



Wigan
Council

Request

I was one of the leaders of the Save Tyldesley Library fight to rescue our wonderful Stanley Street building on behalf of the Friends of Tyldesley Library group. We were genuinely elated to hear the news that the council had changed their plans and we were all excitedly looking forward to the grand re-opening. It seemed that the refurbishment was completed around Christmas 2024 but nothing has progressed.

1. Can you please give me an update on the planned timescale of the re-opening and an explanation of why we have been kept waiting for months and months.
2. What is stopping the Stanley Street building opening its doors to the public. I get regular emails from members of our group asking for updates.

Please furnish me with the information and a reliable date to look forward to.

Response

The council will be aiming to open Tyldesley Library November/December 2025. We hope to improve DDA access and are exploring options, any improvements approved would be post opening.

There has been contractual snagging taking place, now complete orders will be placed for furniture and installing soft FM contracts.