## Kilgore Memorial Library Director's Report Prepared for the April 17, 2015 York City Council

- 1. **Carol Gruber** attended the Nebraska Library Association's spring meeting of the paraprofessional section online. Topics of the presentations offered covered leadership, online and social media management, and public relations at the front desk.
- 2. The Elmer Baker display case is filled with a collection of antique tools from Stan Schulz. The Kent Bedient Hall Gallery holds a powerful display from CASA.
- 3. The Friends of the Library is looking for a new date and time to have their meetings when new members would be able to attend. We are currently testing the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm.
- 4. On March 28<sup>th</sup> **Judy Andrews** served as one of the judges for the State Reading Classic Competition held at Utica. She was a judge at the Middle School level finals.
- 5. Children's librarian, **Judy Andrews**, is working on preparations for the Summer Reading Club activities which will kick off on May 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- 6. The Library has partnered with the Parks and Recreation department to develop a StoryWalk® project along the walking trail starting at the Beaver Creek Park entrance. With financial support from the local Elks and Lions service clubs stands have been designed, built and installed by the Parks department and the books have been selected and the individual pages are being designed and constructed by the Library staff.
- 7. Other upcoming events include: CASTL meeting in Hebron on April 17, April 23<sup>rd</sup> the Public Library and Trustees Section of the Nebraska Library Association will have their Spring Meeting in Kearney, StoryWalk kickoff event at Beaver Creek Park on Saturday, May 9 from 9 11 am.

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