

Kilgore Memorial Library
Director's Report
Prepared for the March 19, 2020
York City Council meeting

1. The Elmer Baker display case is filled with a display WWII model planes from the collection of Galen Naber. The Kent Bedient Gallery has a display of art from the students Randy Howell from York Middle School.
2. Classes and workshops continue to be popular and well attended. Offerings in March include:
 - a. Tech Tuesdays
 - b. Library Learning Time
 - c. Friday the 13th Club
 - d. Gaming for Teens
 - e. Trivia Night
3. The theme for Learning Time for Walkers, Wigglers & Crawlers on February 21 was a Sink Your Teeth into This. Dr. Miles Berg from York Dental Associates and an assistant read to the audience. This was to help celebrate and promote National Children's Dental Health Month.
4. SPED classes from YMS and YHS and the local home school association continue to come to the library. Every other week the students come to the library and learn library skills to use for the rest of their lives.
5. The library staff member, James Tidei, continues to proctor tests for several students enrolled in online classes from schools and universities from across the United States.
6. The library's education coordinator, Carol Baker, has partnered with the Boost Program to provide workshops for their students when school breaks are scheduled.
7. Summer Reading planning is in full swing. The national theme this year is Imagine Your Story. This theme lends itself well to many programs planned for Summer Fun at the Library in 2020. Details will be unveiled at the Youth Involvement Fair later this month.
8. The library staff and Friends of the Library together nominated a long-time volunteer at the library, Carla Snodgrass, to be honored as an outstanding volunteer during Advocacy Day in Lincoln. Carla was selected and the award was made during a legislator luncheon.
9. Adult Basic Education classes continue to be well-attended at the Library on Monday and Thursday evenings. Instructor, Kathy Highstreet, shared that she has one student ready to graduate by the end of this semester. This is an awesome service provided to the region at our Library.

Respectfully submitted by,



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