

Kilgore Memorial Library
Director's Report
Prepared for the February, 2022
York City Council meeting

1. The Baker Display and The Bedient Gallery are both waiting for new displays. If you or someone you know has a collection of unique or special items to share with the community let Deb Robertson know so they can be added to our schedule.
2. Two Story Time sessions have resumed for the spring season. Family Story Time is the traditional event for preschoolers and their care givers to come to the library and develop lifelong learning skills, love for reading, and come to and using the library. The second session is a new offering for the pre-kindergarten age group. Each month there will be a story and an activity based on one of the disciplines of STEM. The February lesson explored Engineering concepts with the Three Little Pigs and structure strength. In March we have reserved Dot and Dash robots from the Nebraska Library Commission's Technology Kits program. Kudos to Carol Baker for creating exciting learning experiences for our youngest patrons and their caregivers.
3. The Altered Book Club met in January and created cityscapes with books. Plans for these creations included shelf decoration, kitchen knife block, and plant container display. There were seventeen participants at this inaugural offering of this program.
4. The Vision 2025 community interest group's survey data has been sent to the members. We will put together a summary of the results to be shared with everyone soon.
5. York Uncorked will take place Saturday, February 12. The Friends of the Library have partnered with Warren from Grand Central this year. There are eight vendors scheduled to share their beverages and the members of the friends are preparing a variety of appetizers to pair with their drink samples.
6. The annual Nebraska Public Library Survey has been submitted and accepted by the Nebraska Library Commission. A complete copy of the York data is attached to this report.

Respectfully submitted by,



Debora Robertson
Director, Kilgore Memorial Library

LIBRARY DATA AT A GLANCE

Data Type	Oct 2021	Nov 2021	Dec 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022	July 2022	Aug 2022	Sept 2022	Year to Date
Added to Physical Collections	358	260	368	75									1061
Added to E-Book Collections	873	474	491	430									2268
Physical item circulation	5,088	4,994	4,679	4,863									19624
E-books Circulations	1,322	1,384	1,349	1,543									5598
New Patrons	28	27	26	23									104
Public Computer logins	531	508	391	582									2012
Door Count	3,085	2,652	3,379	2,595									11711
Website visits	2,073	4,204	9,734	3908									19919
Meeting Room Use	510	453	372	280									1615

Data Type	Total 2021	Total 2020	Total 2019
Physical Collections	64,107	63,321	63,921
E-Book Collections	52,789	57,200	52,276
Physical item circulation	58,648	45,885	64,409
E-book Circulations	17, 647	16,935	12,790
Registered Borrowers	5,104	5,348	8,276
Public Computer logins	6,445	6,391	13,864
Door Count	48,055	36,276	52,003
Website visits	49,025	51,633	59,600
Meeting Room Use	3,000	3,576	5,331

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