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

- 1. The Baker Display case is filled with a display of model trains from the personal collection of Dan Bauer. The Bedient Gallery has a display of the items made during the Christmas Craft Club and other paper designs by library staff.
- 2. Beside keeping the community satisfied with the variety of information needs we assist with every day all the library staff are deep in planning for events to be held in 2022. There will be two Story Time sessions this spring on Friday mornings we will have Family Story Time for preschoolers of all ages and their caregivers. Once a month on Tuesday's we will have STEM Story Time provided for prekindergarten age patrons and their caregivers. There will be several special Story Time events with a dentist, a Sheriff, a UNL Extension event, Valentines, Easter Bunnies, and much more. Alter Book Club events will take place the fourth Monday of each month at 5:00 pm. This club is for all ages. Summer reading events are being planned. This summer fun activity for all ages will start on Saturday, June 4 with the Friends of the Library hosting a picnic. We hope to have the Music Mogul provide some fun music and everyone will register for Summer Reading Club! We are seeking interns and will be advertising openings soon. Fall will fill with Story Times and book clubs. There will be teas, Halloween parties, and much more. Many other ideas have been discussed. Our calendar is not complete, but it is going to be a busy year.
- 3. 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.
- 4. As this report is written the Friends of the Library are still planning to host York Uncorked on Saturday, February 12. Tickets are on sale for \$25 each and are available for purchase at Grand Central, The Chamber of Commerce or the Library.
- 5. Staff members, Carol Baker, Janey Due and Kat Karabel are all working to become certified library staff through the Nebraska Library Commission. This is to meet the requirements for library accreditation with certified staff at the level required for a City of the First Class.
- 6. The Citizen's Advisory Board members have been attending webinars on a variety of topics to meet their required CE to maintain their certified status also. Our certificate will expire in December of 2022 and we are on track to meet the required 20 hours for recertification in 2023. Meeting this expectation is also required for the accreditation process we renew every three years.

Respectfully submitted by,

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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										986
Added to E-Book Collections	873	474	491										1838
Physical item circulation	5,088	4,994	4,679										14761
E-books Circulations	1,322	1,384	1,349										4055
New Patrons	28	27	26										81
Public Computer logins	531	508	391										1430
Door Count	3 <i>,</i> 085	2,652	3,379										9116
Website visits	2,073	4,204	9,734										16011
Meeting Room Use	510	453	372										1335

Data Type	Total 2020	Total 2019	Total 2018
Physical Collections	63,037	63,921	61,933
E-Book Collections	57,200	52,276	47,755
Physical item circulation	45,885	64,409	67,385
E-book Circulations	16,935	12,790	11,587
Registered Borrowers	5,348	8,276	8,527
Public Computer logins	6,391	13,864	12,126
Door Count	36,276	52,003	51,756
Website visits	51,633	59,600	55,582
Meeting Room Use	3,576	5,331	7,963

Data gathering for annual report to Nebraska Library Commission is in progress.