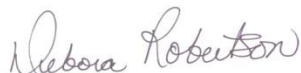


Kilgore Memorial Library
Director's Report
Prepared for the June, 2022
York City Council meeting

1. The Baker Display is filled with a Summer Reading display on the theme, "Oceans of Possibilities." The Bedient Gallery has a display with fact sheets and artifacts from data gathered at the York County Historical Association office about the Nebraska Territory and its development. These displays will be up through June.
2. The Summer Reading Kickoff picnic was a huge success. More than 100 children and family members attended. The Friends provided a picnic lunch including cupcakes that the children decorated with M&Ms to create fish. Other activities included a take and make crab with pool noodle pieces and pipe cleaners.
3. The popular SMACKDOWN with Seward to learn, "Who Reads More on Highway 34!" For our adult reading club is off to a great start. After two weeks of reporting the tally is York 115 vs Seward at 50! This activity ends on July 29 so there is still plenty of time to join the fun.
4. The ConnecTech classes continues on an appointment based plan. This will tell us which type of service the public finds to meet their needs best.
5. The Altered Book Club met in May and participants created journals or scrapbooks with recycled book page paper to make new paper for the covers of each journal. Dried flowers were provided to decorate the front cover and blank pages were tied inside each book. The June activity will be a stack of books with stenciled phrases on the spines to create a decoration for a shelf or end table decoration.
6. Through a partnership with the York County Extension Office the Anything Goes group enjoyed a learning time about dolphins on Tuesday morning. This event will take place each Tuesday through July 12.
7. The Public Works team has been working to replace the concrete around the perimeter of the library the last two weeks. Today they are working on the south side that includes the installation of the Music Garden instruments that were purchased by the York Public Schools Six Pence program. Benches have been ordered by the Friends of the Library to complete this new area at the library. We also have partnered with a Boy Scout, Conner Leetch, who is working to earn his Eagle Scout award by being part of this project.

Respectfully submitted by,



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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 | 445 | 288 | 319 | 281 | | | | | 2394 |
| Added to E-Book Collections | 873 | 474 | 491 | 430 | 420 | 673 | 672 | 395 | | | | | 4428 |
| Physical item circulation | 5,088 | 4,994 | 4,679 | 4,863 | 4,820 | 5,103 | 4,862 | 5,543 | | | | | 39952 |
| E-books Circulations | 1,322 | 1,384 | 1,349 | 1,543 | 1,262 | 1,402 | 1,359 | 1,475 | | | | | 11096 |
| New Patrons | 28 | 27 | 26 | 23 | 25 | 44 | 32 | 32 | | | | | 237 |
| Public Computer logins | 531 | 508 | 391 | 582 | 534 | 620 | 479 | 485 | | | | | 4130 |
| Door Count | 3,085 | 2,652 | 3,379 | 2,595 | 2,954 | 2,771 | 2,716 | 3,065 | | | | | 23217 |
| Website visits | 2,073 | 4,204 | 9,734 | 3908 | 1,877 | 2,212 | 1,713 | 1,784 | | | | | 27505 |
| Meeting Room Use | 510 | 453 | 372 | 280 | 333 | 436 | 578 | 250 | | | | | 3212 |

| 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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