

Kilgore Memorial Library
Director's Report
Prepared for the January, 2023
York City Council meeting

1. The Elmer Baker Display case is hosting a display of art by Library staff member, Janey Due. There are water color paintings and Artist's Conk etchings included. The Kent Bedient Gallery has a display of artwork by York resident Giovanni Correa. This display includes a variety of portraits in several mediums.
2. Reindeer Boot Camp closed our StoryTime season for 2022. This fun program helped the participants learn about working at the North Pole and preparing for Santa's big day. After making crafts, pulling sleighs filled with books and having refreshments, participants received their antlers and red noses from Santa himself. Thanks to the volunteers from the Friends of the Library for making this event possible.
3. Our Technical Services staff, Rachel and Leo are preparing to start an inventory of the cataloged items at the library. This process will take most of the year. After scanning items in each collection reports of missing, miss shelved and deleted items will be generated. The data cleanup will be the most time consuming part of this process. Having a clean catalog will be appreciated by front desk staff and patrons alike.
4. The Saturday morning Lego Club continues to meet this fall. Stop in any Saturday at 10 am to learn more. We will be celebrating International Lego Day on January 28. The Friends plan to donate new Legos for the club and there will be Lego-like snacks at this meeting.
5. Our partnership with the YMS after school program continues. Janey and Carol will be leading a workshop studying artists and their style of art. This class will meet once a week through February 2.
6. New security cameras have been installed at the Library. The new interior cameras provide a 360° view of the facility and outside of the building a new bi-directional camera offers views of the new Music Garden instruments.

Respectfully submitted by,



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LIBRARY DATA AT A GLANCE

Data Type	Oct 2022	Nov 2022	Dec 2022	Jan 2023	Feb 2023	March 2023	April 2023	May 2023	June 2023	July 2023	Aug 2023	Sept 2023	Year to Date
Added to Physical Collections	235	310	383										928
Added to E-Book Collections	379	355	474										1208
Physical item circulation	5,032	4,729	2,698										12,459
E-books Circulations	1,405	1,427	1,447										4279
New Patrons	28	18	26										72
Public Computer logins	675	538	480										1693
Door Count	3,051	2,811	2,592										8454
Website visits	2,216	1,852	1,569										5,637
Meeting Room Use	1,258	301	209										1,768

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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