

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

1. The Elmer Baker Display case is filled with a display of Kokeshi Dolls from the collection of Kathy Redman. The Kent Bedient Gallery has a display for the summer reading SMACKDOWN between the readers in York and Seward.
2. May is traditionally our planning month. There is a lot in the works for summer time fun at the library. The details will be shared later when they are completed. For now I can share the following:
 - a. StoryTime is in planning mode and will return as part of Summer Reading Club in June.
 - b. Summer reading SMACKDOWN is scheduled to start on May 20. Come, register, and enjoy the fun. The Summer Reading Club activities for all other ages will have a Kick Off picnic on Saturday, May 27. The Friends of the Library will serve a picnic lunch and other fun activities are in the works!
3. On Friday, May 12, Carol Baker and Leo Jacobsen traveled to Seward to attend the Southeast Library System's annual Training Extravaganza.
4. The Nebraska Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association offered a workshop at our library on April 28. The title of this talk was *The 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's*. This volunteer presenter is scheduled to return with the second talk in this series on May 30. This presentation will share the most recent research on, *Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body*.

Respectfully submitted by,



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Director, Kilgore Memorial Library

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	194	243	272	287						1924
Added to E-Book Collections	379	355	474	712	505	562	273						3260
Physical item circulation	5,032	4,729	2,698	4,844	4,733	5,538	3,028						30602
E-books Circulations	1,405	1,427	1,447	1,629	1,555	1,758	1,675						10896
New Patrons	28	18	26	30	35	33	50						220
Public Computer logins	675	538	480	595	553	783	682						4306
Door Count	3,051	2,811	2,592	2,905	2,929	2,894	3,020						20202
Website visits	2,216	1,852	1,569	1,909	1,795	1,916	2,260						13517
Meeting Room Use	1,258	301	209	300	483	813	521						3885

Data Type	Total 2022	Total 2021	Total 2020
Physical Collections	62,255	64,107	63,321
E-Book Collections	59,624	52,789	57,200
Physical item circulation	63,625	58,648	45,885
E-book Circulations	17,362	17, 647	16,935
Registered Borrowers	4,077	5,104	5,348
Public Computer logins	6,849	6,445	6,391
Door Count	36,648	48,055	36,276
Website visits	47,270	49,025	51,633
Meeting Room Use	5,239	3,000	3,576

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