**Librarian’s Report**

**Aug. 26, 2025**

1. **Statistics: June 2025+/- % Changes from Last Year)**

Circulation: 1269(-30%) Digital Circulation: 588(+28%)

Computer Use:237(-10%) WIFI Use: 2301

Interlibrary Loan Loans:181(-42%) ILL Borrows:423(-39%)

Children’s Programs:301 YA Programs:29 Adult Programs:239

**Statistics: July 2025+/- % Changes from Last Year)**

Circulation: 2114(-10%) Digital Circulation: 603(+3%)

Computer Use:434(+25%) WIFI Use: 2893

Interlibrary Loan Loans:248(-17%) ILL Borrows:603(+1%)

Children’s Programs:334 YA Programs:39 Adult Programs:237

Please note that the circulation statistics that were reported for Aug. 2024 – May 2025 included the number of check-ins, as well as check-outs and renewals. This happened because of the way the new Koha report system defines circulation. As a result, the percentages of increase reported on reports during that period were inflated and circulation (checkouts & renewals) decreased each month as compared to the previous year, except for the month of Aug. 2024. These will be updated and correctly reported for the annual report.

1. **New Translation Device**

Thanks to a grant from RCLS, we now have a live translation device at the front desk for use with patrons who do not speak English. The company that produces it is Translate Live. We will be able to use this to assist with our registration process for Bookworm Club as well as in person.

1. **Program Report**

**Children (PK – Grade 4)**

Summer reading concluded this month with 45 children participating in this age group. Our attendance at our programs for kids aged 0-5 was 164 and attendance for ages 6-11 was 336. Both animal programs had over 100 children each, even the event which was held during the morning. Kids also loved the craft days and we had between 5 and 15 kids each weekly session.

**Teen (Grades 5 – 12)**

We had 28 teens participate in Summer Reading. The total attendance at our 6 sessions of our Teen Programming was 53 which is one of our best years for teen turnout at programs.

**Adult**

Attendance has been slightly lower for our senior events and our weekly programming such as knitting and Mahjong. Many people have mentioned parking issues related to the construction in the back parking lot as a reason for not attending. We did have a good turnout for the “Bones Krew” music performance with 42 people in attendance.

1. **Upcoming Programs**

See calendars and flyers for more details about upcoming programs.