Librarian's Report May 7, 2024

I. Statistics: Mar 2024 (+/- % Changes From Last Year)

Circulation: 1880 (-4%) Digital Circulation: 583 (+3%)

Computer Use: 247(-11%) WIFI Use: 2821

Interlibrary Loan Loans: 293(-19%) ILL Borrows:363(-19%)

Children's Programs:312 YA Programs:0 Adult Programs:281

One on one: 0 Community Organization Use: 0

II. Program Report

Children (PK – Grade 4)

Our Spring session of Storytime began in April and will run to the end of May. There has been a great turnout each week and some new faces have been attending. We also had 46 people (kids and parents) come for an afterschool Lego event.

Teen (Grades 5 – 12)

Teens had fun at an Ink Art event in mid- April. There was an attendance of 12 teens for that session. Their next event will be held on April 30th where teens will be solving logic puzzles to complete an "Escape Room". This will be for middle schoolers only with a limited attendance to 10 youth. There will be a session for High School ages in May.

Adult

We had two special events this month. The first was a Poetry Reading night by the Alchemy Poetry Group to celebrate National Poetry Month which brought in 15 people. The second was a "Clean-up Day" for all ages with 9 individuals in attendance to help clean up the library and streets nearby. This was held in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce village cleanup day. Book Discussion met last week to discuss Beyond that, the Sea. This was the first book that I can remember being unanimously loved by all 12 people in attendance! All regular programming continues to have steady attendance with waiting lists.

III. Upcoming Programs

See calendars and flyers for more details about upcoming programs.