

Director's Report - Kristine Palacios - February 8, 2023

Statistics for Digital Collections:

OverDrive + Hoopla:

	Jan 22	Feb 22	Mar 22	Apr 22	May 22	Jun 22	Jul 22	Aug 22	Sept 22	Oct 22	Nov 22	Dec 22	Jan 23
E-books	230	165	253	175	226	221	199	190	178	271	208	187	246
Audiobooks	118	125	147	163	147	158	149	234	200	177	210	166	228
Periodicals	3	4	14	13	19	9	13	13	12	13	8	15	56
Streaming Video	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Overdrive Read	88	69	138	93	102	128	85	62	81	158	103	68	114
Hoopla	85	73	67	52	53	40	41	97	35	48	97	57	54

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Library Patron Visits	411	656	1181	1570	1197	1447	1630	1990	1537	1241	1564	1420	1275
Attd. for prgs & mtgs	84	35	100	488**	585	418	516	239*	216	365	468	506	383
Circulation	812	898	980	1146	842	1055	1084	1103	975	812	911	799	891

Upcoming Programs:

February 2023

Art Show of the Month: Robert Adzema - Reception February 5th, 3-5pm
Story Time: weekly on Mondays @11am (Youth)
Preschool Story and Craft: weekly on Thursdays @430pm (Youth)
Art Class series: Monday, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, @5:30pm (Youth)
Friday Movie Matinee Series: Fridays @1pm
Knitting Group: weekly on Wednesdays @3pm
Artists and Writers Potluck: February 6, 2023 @6:30pm
Youth Advisory Klub (YAK): February 13, 2023 @5pm
Janet Mandel Art Talks: February 14, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)
Piermont Adult Book Discussion Group: February 15, 2023 @3pm
She Persisted Book Club: February 15, 2023 @6pm (Youth)
Create and Sip: February 16, 2023 @7pm (Virtual)
Family Bingo: February 17, 2023 @6:30pm

March 2023

Art Show of the Month: March 5th, 3-5pm
Story Time: weekly on Mondays @11am (Youth)
Preschool Story and Craft: weekly on Thursdays @430pm (Youth)
Art Class series: Monday, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, @5:30pm (Youth)
Friday Movie Matinee Series: Fridays @1pm
Knitting Group: weekly on Wednesdays @3pm
Winter Book Sale: March 13 - April 8, 2023
Virtual Museum Tour - The Louvre: March 7, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)
Family Bingo: March 10, 2023 @6:30pm
Youth Advisory Klub (YAK): March 13, 2023 @5pm
Piermont Adult Book Discussion Group: March 15, 2023 @3pm
She Persisted Book Club: March 15, 2023 @6pm (Youth)
Meal Planning 101: March 21, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)
Janet Mandel Art Talks: March 28, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)

Our CREST grant continues to move along. We need to get the contractor on the schedule for Spring and get the project finalized with him and for ourselves.

Romeo Electric completed the installation of the electric hand dryers. They will be coming back to investigate our malfunctioning handicapped door mechanicals. In all likelihood, this will be a pricey fix. I will provide a quote once I know more.

Frontline will be completing their work tomorrow.

We were awarded \$1100 from ArtsWestchester for our performance event. We will be hosting Global Mudra, an Indian dance group, on May 6th.

Our Spring Craft Fair is scheduled for April 15th from 12-3p. We are currently seeking vendors, so feel free to share with anyone who may be interested. Applications are available on our website and at the library.

The book sale will run March 13th through April 8th. We will be collecting books from February 20th through March 8th.

Reminder: The Board Retreat is February 16, 2023 from 9am to 12noon here at the Library.