Director's Report - Kristine Palacios - May 10, 2023
Statistics for Digital Collections:

OverDrive + Hoopla:

	Apr 22	May 22	Jun 22	Jul 22	Aug 22	Sept 22	Oct 22	Nov 22	Dec 22	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23
E-books	175	226	221	199	190	178	271	208	187	246	225	208	191
Audiobooks	163	147	158	149	234	200	177	210	166	228	215	211	197
Periodicals	13	19	9	13	13	12	13	8	15	56	18	18	21
Streaming Video	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Overdrive Read	93	102	128	85	62	81	158	103	68	114	102	107	85
Hoopla	52	53	40	41	97	35	48	97	57	54	63	47	57

Quarterly Digital Numbers:

	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	Q1 2022	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	Q1 2023
Overdrive	1226	993	1060	1132	1188	1255	1425
Hoopla	211	190	225	145	173	202	164

Statistics:

	Apr 22	May 22	Jun 22	Jul 22	Aug 22	Sept 22	Oct 22	Nov 22	Dec 22	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23
Library Patron Visits	1570	1197	1447	1630	1990	1537	1241	1564	1420	1275	1315	1661	2045
Attd. for prgs & mtgs	488**	585	418	516	239	216	365	468	506	383	408	651	510
Circulation	1146	842	1055	1084	1103	975	812	911	799	891	818	967	916

Statistics:

	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	Q1 2022	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	Q1 2023
Circulation	2837	2607	2690	3043	3162	2522	2676
Patron Visits	1947	1647	2248	5844	5157	4225	4251

Upcoming Programs:

May 2023
Art Show of the Month: Reception May 7th, 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
Parent & Child Yoga: April 18 - May 9, 2023
Beginners Mahjongg Lessons: May 5 - June 9, 2023 @10am
How to Steal A Masterpiece: May 2, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)
Bharatanatyam with Global Mudra Performers: May 6th, 2023 @5pm (GRANT EVENT)
Youth Advisory Klub (YAK): May 8, 2023 @5pm (Teen)
Family Bingo: May 11, 2023 @6:30pm
Piermont Adult Book Discussion Group: May 17, 2023 @3pm
Cello Concert w/ Alex Prizgintas: May 18, 2023 @6pm (All Ages)
Create n' Sip: May 18, 2023 @7pm (Virtual)
Virtual Museum Tour - The Getty Villa: May 23, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)

June 2023
Art Show of the Month: Student Art Show: Reception June 4th, 430-630pm
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
Beginners Mahjongg Lessons: May 5 - June 9, 2023 @10am
Teen Film Festival: June 1, 2023 @6pm (Teen)
Elevating the Humble: June 5, 2023 @6pm
Piermont Film Festival: June 11, 2023 2:30pm - 4:30pm
Exciting Discoveries in Art History: June 13, 2023 @6pm (Virtual)
Juneteenth Celebration: June 16th, 2023 6pm - 7pm
Piermont Adult Book Discussion Group: June 21, 2023 @4pm
Summer Reading Begins June 26, 2023

A few programs to highlight: Piermont film Festival, Elevating the Humble, Juneteenth

We have hired a replacement for Jen Gage. His name is David Lee. He has been with us for about three weeks now and is doing very very well.

The ArtsWestchester Grant performance was this past weekend. It was well attended and seemed to be enjoyed by all.

We will be closing the library on June 8th for mandatory staff AED/CPR and Narcan training.

The roof contract for Ed Corey has been signed and sent back to him with the ⅓ deposit. He will begin ordering materials and will let me know when we can schedule. Most likely we will be closed for three days while the work is completed, as the only safe access point for his workers is from the front of our building. The noise level is also highly likely to be disruptive to operations anyway.

LVD is ordering parts and will fix our doors next week assuming parts come in on time.

The LCD panel for our sound system is leaking the LCD fluid. The panel still works, but the leak has gotten progressively worse. It is unclear if the panel will still work once all the fluids drains out. To replace it, it appears that it will be rather pricey (5k to 8k range) so it probably is not worth doing unless the panel fully stops working. At this point the equipment is about 10 years old, but overall it still functions well, if not a bit complicated in operation.