Director's Report May 2023

Buildings & Grounds

April 23: New lawn mower parts purchased by Gary Snyder (reimbursed by library on May 4)

Patron count

Date	Total	Avg/Day	Date	Total	Avg/Day
March 2022	825	36	Oct 2022	1212	55
April 2022	843	40	Nov 2022	828	41
May 2022	810	41	Dec 2022	818	41
June 2022	958	42	Jan 2023	835	38
July 2022	1053	53	Feb 2023	708	36
Aug 2022	1083	49	March 2023	829	38
Sept 2022	840	40	April 2023	865	41

Budget & Finances

- April 11: We received a grant from Nioga for Adult Outreach. This money will be used to create a
 display of materials usable by people with dementia.
- April 17: The remaining portion of the School Tax funds was deposited.
- April 24: The grant money from Nioga for the Summer Reading Program was deposited.

Circulation

	Phys Mat	Internet	Overdrive	Hoopla	Ancestry
March 2022	1096	110	39	126	0
April 2022	1225	120	77	132	32
May 2022	1236	82	59	169	89
June 2022	999	203	40	144	110
July 2022	1479	169	62	165	27
Aug 2022	1352	188	61	178	137
Sept 2022	1029	106	54	169	82
Oct 2022	1137	129	63	189	50
Nov 2022	899	194	78	182	98
Dec 2022	1001	99	77	161	39
Jan 2023	1254	127	104	182	21
Feb 2023	1070	105	62	170	47
March 2023	1385	103	85	164	98
April 2023	1209	144	108	177	223

Cataloging & Collection Development

	Items in Collection	Items Circulated	Items Removed
March 2022	20002	1096	0
April 2022	20009	1225	0
May 2022	20072	1236	0
June 2022	20084	999	31
July 2022	20215	1479	0
Aug 2022	20159	1352	0
Sept 2022	20176	1029	124
Oct 2022	20060	1137	96
Nov 2022	20179	899	0
Dec 2022	20432	1001	28
Jan 2023	20326	1254	173
Feb 2023	20039	1070	341
March 2023	19952	1385	305
April 2023	19488	1209	504

YTD weeding tally:

• Adult Fiction: 300

Inspirational Fiction: 199Juvenile Fiction: 202Intermediate Fiction: 112

Picture books: 226

DVDs: 59Kids' DVDs: 64Magazines: 158

Continuing Education & Professional Development

- March 15: Central Library Workshop at Nioga (attended by Director Gretchen Schweigert)
- March 22: Trustee Training (Webinar)
- March 30: Director's Conference (via Zoom)
- March 31: Cricut for RHCL trustees & staff
- April 5: Library Staff Sexual Harassment training (Webinar)
- April 12: Library Trustee Sexual Harassment training (Webinar)
- April 26: MobileCirc training at Nioga (attended by Clerk Ellen Gagné)

Programming

Date	Program	Attendees	
March 27 The Invention of Wings, by Sue Monk Kidd April 24	Book Club	–; 9ad.	
When Breath Becomes Air, by Paul Kalanithi		–/7ad.	
March 6 - March 9	Gadget Petting Zoo	1ch;0ad	
March 16	Crystals for Beginners	0ch;17ad	
March 20	Tech Help: Computers for Beginners	0ch;4ad	
March 27	All About Bees	0ch;15ad	
April 11-25	Lego Club	4ch;2ad	
April 4	Build It Afternoon	5ch;1ad	
April 5	Gaming & Crafting	4ch;1ad	
Apr 6	Pokemon Afternoon	3ch;1ad	
Apr 13	A Mushroom Journey	0ch;10ad	
Apr 17	Tech Help: Gadgets & Gear	0ch;5ad	
Apr 25	Genealogy: Within the Cemetery Gates	0ch;4ad	
Apr 26	National Library Week Crafts	10ch;6ad	
Apr 26	Tulip Top Basket Weaving	0ch;8ad	
Apr 27	Little Storytime	2ch;1ad	
Apr 24-Apr 29	NLW Scavenger Hunt	4ch;0ad	
	TOTAL	33ch;88ad	

Publicity & Outreach

 April 29: Village Arbor Day Tree Planting with the RH 2nd Grade classes, attended by Director Gretchen Schweigert

Displays

• Book Tree: Children's books & their movie adaptations

• Round table: Libraries

• Children's Shelf: New nonfiction

Social media

Facebook	Instagram	Twitter	Pinterest
790 followers	201 followers	118 followers	1,246 followers

Respectfully submitted, Gretchen Schweigert Library Director