

April 8, 2025 Meeting
Librarian's Report

Physical materials up 169 from February (*total numbers for month per statistical report for state are in blue)

March 2025: 2,962 (Materials:1,908, ILL: 46, Overdrive 774; Overdrive Advantage: 71, Overdrive ILL Advantage 1397; Sora 9, Computers: 124, Wifi: 100, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 10, AtoZ logins: 9; Website visits: 708; Mango: 3; 1000 Books B4MS ReaderZone: 16, Children's Computers: 50, Microfilms: 8, Microfilm reader: 2, DVD player: 1, Projector: 8, Bose/ Computer speakers/ OWL 4; Headphones/microphones: 38, smart TV: 1; typewriter/cricket:8 ; accucut:24; puzzle/mosaic:56; toys: 139

March 2024: 2,929 (Materials: 1,974, ILL: 38, Overdrive: 691; Overdrive Advantage: 45, Overdrive ILL Advantage 1198; Sora 28, Computers: 114, Wifi: 85, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 27, Fiero logins: 0; AtoZ logins: 20; Website visits: 754; Mango:0; 1000 Books B4MS ReaderZone: NA, Children's Computers: 27, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 1, Projector: 4, Bose/ Computer speakers/ OWL: 3; Headphones/microphones: 24, smart TV: 1; typewriter/cricket: 4;accucut: 30; puzzle/mosaic: 46; toys: 161

Mar 2023: 2,914 (Materials: 2129, ILL: 19, Overdrive: 730; Overdrive Advantage: 68, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 902; Sora 19; Computers:115, Wifi: 65, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 19, Fiero logins: 8; Website visits: 207; Children's Computers: 24, Microfilms: 6, Microfilm reader: 6, DVD player: 0, Projector: 4, Bose/Computer speakers: 0, Headphones/webcams/microphones: 33,TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen/Overhead: 0; Accucut: 24; toys: 206;mice: 14)

Mar 2022: 2,824* (Materials: 1998, ILL: 15, Overdrive: 644, Overdrive Advantage: 42, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 518; Sora 39; Computers:129, Wifi: 92, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 38, Prenda logins: 21; Website visits: 1279; Children's Computers: 20, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 1, Projector: 3, Bose/Computer speakers: 6, Headphones/webcams/microphones: 61,TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen/Overhead: 0; Accucut: 68; toys: 167; mice: 18)

Mar 2021: 2525 (Materials: 1870, ILL: 15, Overdrive: 520, Overdrive Advantage: 27, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 512; Sora 3; Computers:82, Wifi: 34, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 12, Children's Computers: 9, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 0, Projector: 0, Bose/Computer speakers: 0, Headphones/webcams/microphones: 10, TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen/Overhead: 0; Accucut: 0; toys: 21)

Mar 2020: 3,349* (Materials: 1,985, Overdrive: 466, Overdrive Advantage: 32, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 457; RB Digital: 1, Zinio: 10, Computers: 185, Wifi: 67, Children's Computers: 14, ILL: 10, Microfilms: 2, Microfilm reader: 2, Laptops/locks: 47, DVD player: 2, Projector: 5, Bose/Computer

Goal 1: Creating opportunities for community involvement (engaged citizenry/better communication)

Goal 2: Appearance of Town

Goal 3: Creating opportunities for youth/teen involvement in the community

Technology: No issues

Landscaping/Building: Carpet in back area and in north entry has been finished from hail damage. It looks amazing! I have asked Five Star to give me separate quotes for the west entry (we would only need one box of carpet with the extra that we had from the west entry) plus labor, as well as for carpeting the remaining area in the back that wasn't affected by the hailstorm (there's a little lip of a difference currently and you can tell how worn that carpet actually is when next to the new carpet. Graczyk came and cleaned up the landscaping outside; I need to find out if they sprayed pre-emergent or not on the mulch before "fluffing" that up. I'm keeping an eye on the new landscaping to see if it made it through winter.

Staff/Board: I have completed evaluations of the staff and copies of those evaluations will go into their personnel files at the City.

Programming: See April newsletter; getting amped up for summer reading.

Sincerely, Laurie Yocom, Wilson Public Library Director