December 10, 2024 Meeting
Librarian's Report

Materials down 225 from October (*total numbers for month per statistical report for state are in blue)

November 2024: 2,685 (Materials:1,774, ILL: 21, Overdrive 657; Overdrive Advantage:45, Overdrive ILL Advantage 1302; Sora 9, Computers: 130, Wifi: 87, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 16, AtoZ logins: 7; Website visits:477; Mango: 7; 1000 Books B4MS ReaderZone: 76, Children's Computers: 35, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 1, Projector: 3, Bose/ Computer speakers/ OWL 2; Headphones/microphones:42, smart TV: 1; typewriter/cricket: 5; accucut: 1; puzzle/mosaic: 38; toys: 189

Nov 2023: 2,958 (Materials: 2,132, ILL: 31, Overdrive: 612; Overdrive Advantage: 41, Overdrive ILL Advantage 947; Sora 12, Computers: 76, Wifi: 85, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 22, Fiero logins: 8; AtoZ logins: 24; Website visits: 561; Children's Computers: 76, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 1, Projector: 2, Bose/Computer speakers/ OWL: 2; Headphones//microphones: 11,smart TV: 1; typewriter/cricket: 0; accucut: 5; puzzle/mosaic: 16/ toys: 79

Nov 2022: 2,722 (Materials: 1774, ILL: 16, Overdrive: 647, Overdrive Advantage: 33, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 792; Sora 13; Computers: 126, Wifi: 113, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 46, Children's Computers: 27, Microfilms: 1; Microfilm reader: 1, DVD player: 1, Projector: 4, Bose/Computer speakers: 2, Headphones/microphones: 26, mice/webcams: 15; TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen: 1; Overhead: 1;Accucut: 20 ; puzzle/mosaic: 34; toys: 42)

Nov. 2021: 2,526 (Materials: 1694, ILL: 15, Overdrive: 597, Overdrive Advantage: 12, Overdrive ILL Advantage: 372; Sora 69; Computers: 100, Wifi: 77, Laptops/ipad/tablet: 43, Prenda logins: 5; Website visits: 1378; Children's Computers: 9, Microfilms:0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player:1 , Projector: 2, Bose/Computer speakers: 4, Headphones/webcams/microphones: 9, TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen/Overhead:0 ; Accucut: 32; toys: 92)

Nov 2020: 2,744* (Materials: 2,020, Overdrive: 440: of those, our patrons who checked out our Overdrive Advantage: 10, of the 440, Overdrive Sora App: 0; Overdrive ILL: 507; Zinio: 10, Computers: 59, Wifi: 123, ILL: 16, Laptops/Ipads/tablet: 86;Children's Computers: 0, Microfilms: 0, Microfilm reader: 0, DVD player: 1, Projector: 1, Bose/Computer speakers: 1, Headphones/ webcams/microphones:10, TV: 0; typewriter: 0, Cricket: 0; screen/Overhead: 0; Accucut: 6; farm/marble/train:0)

Nov. 2019: 3,845   Nov. 2018: 3,228

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: Computers have been ordered (3); PoE switch has been ordered for the new telephone system, which is ready to go; working to upgrade alarm system.

Landscaping/Building: Unit #4 is in the process of being installed; skylights will be ready mid-January and will be installed on a nice day; skylight company is working with roofers to have them install roof soon after. I turned in all outdoor art list to Arnold Insurance.

Staff: will be interviewing the first week of December.

Programming: See December Newsletter (link at www.wilsonpubliclibrary.org).

Behind the scenes: with staff off for vacations/sick leave in November, I'm running behind on statistical report, but will get it done this month. Doing some weeding in anticipation of inventory next month and trying to get January programming set (newsletter needs to go out by December 18).

Sincerely, Laurie Yocom, Wilson Public Library Director