

Leland Township Public Library

Director's Report July 2024

ACTIVITY and COLLECTIONS: Attached

PROGRAMS:

July 11, Teen Wellness Program (3)
July 12, Children's Summer Program with Jennifer Strauss (101)
July 15, Summinars, Gaza (37)
July 18, Book Club (15)
July 19, Children's Summer Program with magician Cameron Zvara (139)
July 23, Summinars, Food Insecurity I, with 5 Loaves 2 Fish (13)
July 25, Teen Wellness Program (5)
July 26, Children's Summer Program with Dummunity (76)
July 30, Summinars, Food Insecurity II, with Groundwork Center and Food Rescue (10)
Aug. 2, Children's Summer Program, Folklorico (96)
Aug. 5, Author Presentation, "Slow Birding"
Aug. 8, Teen Wellness Program
Aug 9, Children's Summer Program, Improv for Kids
Aug. 15, Book club
Aug 16, Children's Summer Program, Touch a Truck
Aug. 20, Summinars, Current State of Youth Mental Health
Aug. 23, Children's Summer Program, Musical Storytime with Mary Robertson

PROGRAMS

Summer programs continue to get great attendance.

FRIENDS & VOLUNTEERS

The Friends have "I Love My Library" signs available to pick up at the library (donations appreciated). The July book sale went well with over \$1,500 made. They will do a pop-up book sale outside like they did last year in September during the Museum's Nautical History Day.

BUILDING & GROUNDS

The irrigation system has been sticking on. Lautner Irrigation came and fixed it but it stuck the next night. We are on their list to return to fix it.

TECHNOLOGY

Our Apollo computer system (ILS) now has a meeting room feature for scheduling events. This will make Munnecke Room scheduling much easier. It will also be available for scheduling a study room and a conference room.

BUDGET INFORMATION:

Financial Reports for July 2024 are attached with this report. With 33% of the fiscal year elapsed we have spent 33% of the budget.

MISCELLANEOUS:

I will be giving a presentation to the Suttons Bay Rotary on August 8, discussing library services available at the four Leelanau county libraries.

We have received an unrestricted donation of \$1,500 from the Leland Women's Civic Club. We have also received a \$30,000 donation to the capital campaign from the Gordon J. Hammersley Foundation.

I will be attending the Michigan Library Association Annual Conference October 16-18. This year it is at the Grand Traverse Resort so there won't be hotel costs associated with my attending. They also have a Rural and Small Libraries pre-conference the day before the main conference (the 15th) that I will be attending.