

Lisle Free Library – Director’s Report

Reporting: August 2024

Programming:

Book Club: We are celebrating “Banned Book” month by reading “Nineteen Minutes” by Jodi Picoult or any other banned book of choice. “Nineteen Minutes” is banned in 35 states for obscene language. The meeting is Wednesday, September 25th @ 6:00pm.

Summer Reading Program: We hosted the Dinosaur Adventure show at the Fire Hall on Wednesday, 8/14 @ 7pm with 12 kids and 12 adults attending and Ron Cain’s Magic Show on Friday, 8/30 @ 7pm with 12 kids and 13 adults attending.

Weeding:

In August, we finished weeding the adult nonfiction. In September, we will complete adult large print nonfiction, which should conclude weeding for this year.

Staff:

Emily Yalch submitted her two-week notice listing her last day as Friday, September 6th. I am personally so grateful for her years of dedication, energy, and enthusiasm with our organization and wish her all the best for her future endeavors!

Raquel Howell will be assuming the available hours.

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MONTH				BOOKS OUT				AUDIO				ILL STATS		TECHNOLOGY		
	ATTEND	?	MAT'L	AN	JN	AF	JF	MAGS	ADULT	JUV.	TOTAL	IN	OUT	COM	WIFI	WPV
Aug 2023	508	87	90	35	26	247	188	5	8	2	511	48	229	72	372	144
Sept 2023	264	61	56	39	8	235	178	1	6	2	469	73	232	47	300	119
Oct 2023	290	71	68	39	21	218	184	1	8	8	479	52	215	58	186	98
Nov 2023	252	62	68	18	19	209	134	5	8	3	396	70	203	58	210	126
Dec 2023	253	53	74	23	19	154	68	8	12	0	284	76	231	62	248	125
Jan 2024	233	57	73	26	23	191	32	3	7	1	283	66	234	52	217	167
Feb 2024	250	65	74	31	16	165	122	0	15	6	355	57	245	48	203	159
Mar 2024	318	82	79	19	22	118	61	1	15	5	241	45	247	47	217	142
April 2024	354	93	53	23	10	144	53	5	27	3	265	44	292	42	240	154
May 2024	296	75	77	22	10	145	52	0	19	15	263	37	166	61	248	188
June 2024	317	65	61	21	23	145	72	2	14	14	291	42	184	40	240	289
July 2024	300	68	57	18	41	234	90	0	10	22	415	48	246	45	310	179
Aug 2024	283	66	46	27	6	222	98	4	7	3	367	45	228	34	310	142