

# Lisle Free Library – Director’s Report

Reporting: October 2024

## Programming:

*Book Club:* November is “Native Voices” month, so we are reading “There There” by Tommy Orange or any other book written by indigenous authors. The meeting is Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00pm.

Also, book selections for 2025 are under review. If anyone has any suggestions to offer, please feel free to share them!

*Haunted Week:* We had 19 trick-or-treaters on Halloween night. Leftover candy was stored for future events and goodie bags.

## Local History & Genealogy:

Staff have been working closely with the Village Historian to barcode the local history and genealogy collections. Barcoding these items allows them to be searchable for both staff and patrons. If any item is not easily replaceable, then they have been marked as non-circulating in the system. Any interested party will be able to find the item in the 4CLS database but will need to visit the Library to access it.

This exercise has reinforced the need to digitize some of our local collection for future preservation.

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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
<b>Oct 2023</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>68</b>	39	21	218	184	1	8	8	<b>479</b>	52	215	58	186	98
<b>Nov 2023</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>68</b>	18	19	209	134	5	8	3	<b>396</b>	70	203	58	210	126
<b>Dec 2023</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>74</b>	23	19	154	68	8	12	0	<b>284</b>	76	231	62	248	125
<b>Jan 2024</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>73</b>	26	23	191	32	3	7	1	<b>283</b>	66	234	52	217	167
<b>Feb 2024</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>74</b>	31	16	165	122	0	15	6	<b>355</b>	57	245	48	203	159
<b>Mar 2024</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>79</b>	19	22	118	61	1	15	5	<b>241</b>	45	247	47	217	142
<b>April 2024</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>53</b>	23	10	144	53	5	27	3	<b>265</b>	44	292	42	240	154
<b>May 2024</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>77</b>	22	10	145	52	0	19	15	<b>263</b>	37	166	61	248	188
<b>June 2024</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>61</b>	21	23	145	72	2	14	14	<b>291</b>	42	184	40	240	289
<b>July 2024</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>57</b>	18	41	234	90	0	10	22	<b>415</b>	48	246	45	310	179
<b>Aug 2024</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>46</b>	27	6	222	98	4	7	3	<b>367</b>	45	228	34	310	142
<b>Sept 2024</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>74</b>	27	7	176	67	0	1	3	<b>281</b>	59	230	52	300	94
<b>Oct 2024</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>58</b>	17	8	205	39	3	10	4	<b>286</b>	43	169	35	310	113