

**Cobb Public Library Board Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, May 19th, 2026 @ Cobb Public Library**

1. Meeting called to order at 5:59pm by President Gina Peat.
2. Roll call: **President-** Gina Peat, **Vice President-** Karey Menard, **Secretary-** Colleen Fingerson (absent), **Treasurer-** Christi Kennicker (absent), **Trustee-** Jenni Allen, **Village Rep-** Alaina Benton, **Iowa Cnty Rep-** Carol Anderson (absent), **Director-** Carrie Jewell.
3. Proper Notice was given; approved by Alaina and Jenni (seconded).
4. Adoption of agenda- approved by Karey & Jenni (seconded).
5. Adoption of minutes- approved by Karey & Alaina (seconded).
6. **Treasurer's report-** Checking: \$2,015.82 & Savings: \$6,025.00
 - a. Jenni made the motion to approve the Treasurer's report and Alaina seconded it.
7. **Director's report-** Carrie provided a recap to the board including bills, income, donations, and statistics of events offered to the community.
 - a. Motion passed by Karey & Alaina (seconded) to pay bills as presented.
8. **Old Business:** Carrie reported on the library activities from April & May.
 - a. Rough draft of Cobb Public Library Strategic Plan was passed by Jenni & Karey (seconded).
9. **New Business**
 - a. No new business from the Village Board and Iowa County
 - b. Discussion of replacing library signs. Carrie & Alaina will look into possible companies to use.

Meeting adjourned at 6:19 pm by Alaina & Jenni (seconded).

NEXT MEETING WILL BE 6PM TUESDAY JUNE 16TH at Cobb Public Library

STATISTICS MAY 2026

Circulation	Adult	Non-res. Adult	Juvenile	Non-res. Juvenile
MAY 2026	296	182	7	4
MAY 2025	210	142	17	33
	2026		2025	
Library Cards issued	2		1	

Library Visits	Computer Use	Phone/email
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	Library Programs and Events	
TUESDAYS	STORYTIME	35
T/TH	EXERCISE FOR SENIORS	31
WED 5/13	CARDMAKING WITH JONI	17
WED 5/27	AFTERNOON MOVIE	7
TH 5/28	EUCHRE	6

What's New 2 GN, 3 donated children's books, 4 picture books, 2 DVD's, 4 Large Print adult fiction

JUNE/UPCOMING Events:

- 6/2 Dementia 101
- 6/9 The Magic of Isaiah
- 6/10 Card Making with Joni
- 6/23 Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium
- 6/25-6/27 Used Sale
- 6/30 Zoozort