

Director's Report for February 2026.

| Monthly Circulation 2019 - 2026 |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| <i>Month</i>                    | <i>2019</i> | <i>2020</i> | <i>2021</i> | <i>2022</i> | <i>2023</i> | <i>2024</i> | <i>2025</i> | <i>2026</i> |
| January                         | 1,577       | 1,862       | 1,528       | 1,787       | 2,262       | 2,928       | 2,429       | 2,696       |
| February                        | 1,544       | 1,634       | 1,690       | 2,069       | 2,515       | 2,557       | 2,475       |             |
| March                           | 1,956       | 1,307       | 2,077       | 2,510       | 2,625       | 2,294       | 2,257       |             |
| April                           | 1,745       | 198         | 1,769       | 2,529       | 2,433       | 2,049       | 2,623       |             |
| May                             | 1,434       | 456         | 1,609       | 2,561       | 3,410       | 2,301       | 2,625       |             |
| June                            | 2,123       | 1,477       | 2,551       | 2,978       | 4,330       | 3,089       | 3,162       |             |
| July                            | 2,412       | 1,674       | 2,323       | 2,543       | 4,301       | 3,412       | 3,758       |             |
| August                          | 2,166       | 1,885       | 2,022       | 2,670       | 4,440       | 3,132       | 3,390       |             |
| September                       | 2,065       | 1,720       | 1,639       | 2,373       | 3,347       | 2,549       | 3,231       |             |
| October                         | 2,220       | 2,062       | 1,907       | 2,117       | 3,739       | 3,022       | 3,420       |             |
| November                        | 1,886       | 1,479       | 1,772       | 1,971       | 3,519       | 2,726       | 2,740       |             |
| December                        | 1,765       | 1,380       | 1,882       | 1,883       | 3,310       | 2,437       | 2,778       |             |
| TOTALS                          | 22,893      | 17,134      | 22,769      | 27,991      | 40,231      | 32,486      | 34,888      |             |

Circulation for January was 2,696. January of 2025 was 2,429, for an increase of 267 items and 10.99%.

Correspondence: Doris Marsh donated \$200.00.

We held a special event on Monday February 9<sup>th</sup> - travels with Rebecca.

Book club has been pushed back to February 24 because of Mardi Gras.

I hosted trivia in February. Andrea volunteered to host in March. Kelly will host in April.

Fiber arts meets every Friday.

We have volunteers replacing faded DVD labels.

We are currently working on weeding juv., large print and nonfiction. DVD series and YA have been completed.

The head of cataloging at Bridges will be retiring in April

Alli at Eagle will be retiring in July.

I finished the annual report.

We had a drop-in book club meet here on Wednesday 2/11 in the morning.

Two of the three foreign exchange students who initially signed up to volunteer still come to help out regularly – a couple times a week.

D&D has moved from Wednesdays to Mondays.

We have two new volunteers helping out with storytime on Thursdays.

We are offering a new mindfulness program. It meets Monday mornings and Thursday evenings every week.

On 1/23 the library was closed due to extreme cold.