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City Libraries

Director's Report for January 2025

We continue to watch **LB 390**, a bill introduced by Senator Murman that would require school libraries to make their catalog available online and also alert parents to any checkout activity from their students. We see no direct impact to public libraries or LCL, specifically. Parents already have access to school library catalogs and can login to their students' accounts. Alerts to parents after an item is checked out may not be a feature in some schools' ILS systems.

Plans are underway for the library's return to **podcasting**, through a partnership with KZUM. Multiple staff will participate in a monthly half hour show that will feature library news and activities, book reviews, and helpful "behind the scenes" overviews of what today's Lincoln City Libraries is all about. We'll also have help from KZUM in producing 2-minute spots that will run everyday in the early afternoon.

The **Staff Innovation Grant** workgroup consists of seven staff who have creatively and quickly pulled together guidelines and dates for implementation of the first grant cycle, which will kickoff in early March and applications due on April 18. The purpose of the grants is to encourage staff to submit innovative ideas for collections, services, programs, technology, and more that ultimately improve service or make a difference for residents. Winning submissions will be announced by May 30. Jodene Glaesemann is coordinating the process this year with help from fellow members Lisa Voss, Rebecca Hueske, Marcella Graybill, Lauren Niedergeses, Katie Murtha, and Wyatt Packard. The \$10,000 allotment is supplied by Foundation for Lincoln City Libraries funding.

The **Annual Public Library Survey** was completed and submitted to the Nebraska Library Commission recently. This substantive report is required of all libraries in Nebraska and collects all types of data: financial, circulation and programming activity, staffing levels, etc. Kudos to Sarah Dale for coordinating this year's submission with help from multiple staff. Filing of the report allows LCL to receive state aid funding.

The library will soon be subscribing to and implementing "**Patron Point**," a communications tool that integrates with our ILS (catalog and patron database) by automatically sending email newsletters that promote programs, services, and new materials. Messaging can be delivered to targeted library users. Most libraries the size of LCL employ a system like this to assist with communications. Also, one of the modules included within Patron Point is "Verify," which authenticates the addresses of new library card holders who sign up for a card via the online form. This will save staff time!

I **recently presented** to Councilman Bowers' monthly Town Hall at Anderson Branch, two church groups, FLCL Board, and highlighted the strategic plan to City Council at a Director's meeting.

Vision: *LCL: Literacy, Community, and Lifelong learning*

Mission: *Lincoln City Libraries provides access to information, ideas, books and lifelong learning opportunities that inform, enrich and empower every individual in our diverse community.*

Priorities:

- 1. Maximizing Access*
- 2. Communicating our Offerings*
- 3. Strengthening our Potential*
- 4. Growing our Support*

Examples of the Library's Vision, Mission and Priorities in our daily work:

- Polley Librarian S. Scholz reports that Composer Gary Bragg visited Polley from Colorado this month, where he spoke about his experiences writing musicals, and the complexities of getting them staged. He also played a couple of tunes from his latest record, on which I accompanied him on lap steel. We had 14 attendees.
- Nancy E. has hosted both sessions of *Construction Crew* that have taken place at Anderson Branch Library. She commented of the program generally, "The Construction Crew program is SO GREAT! We're getting so many people for this that we've never seen in the library before. And, it is wonderful to see the dads sit down and build along with their kids!"
- Lisa V. (NESU) had an encounter with a customer that highlight how important it is for the library to offer access to technology for everyone. "A woman came in to fax some documents. She had a lot of paperwork, and it was very important that she get it sent promptly. Sorting it all and getting it ready to fax was overwhelming for her. I was able to help her organize it all, and as all the pages were two-sided, we made copies so we could fax it all at once. This is something we do often, and it didn't seem that difficult for me, but she was so grateful for the service. She offered to make a small donation to the library and was very moved that we would take the time to do this for her."
- At Anderson, a customer's comments this month demonstrate the positive impact that youth programs can have – even on those who do not "officially" participate. On 01/10/2025, a gentleman who had observed the SNOW Much Fun! Preschool Storytime at Bethany Branch Library told Karrie, "Watching you read that snow story yesterday, and all those kids focused on you, was the highlight of my day. I look for a little slice of heaven every day. And yesterday you were it."
- Mai T. (Walt) shared that "I assisted a patron in replacing her lost library card. She hadn't used the library in years. That day, she came back and inquired about mobile apps her daughter had recommended for a long time but hadn't tried yet due to her a lack of familiarity with technology. I provided her with a flyer and explained the benefits of the Hoopla and Libby apps, highlighting feature like ebooks and audiobooks, which genuinely interested and convinced her. She responded 'wow, I'll be able to listen to books while on the go!' I provided instructions on downloading the app, signing up, and logging in. She mentioned that she would try them out when she got home."
- Lisa W. (Walt) reported the following after the Senior Safety Program with Lincoln Police Department program: "15 people attended and Officer Hellmuth presented for over an hour about safety for seniors online, credit card safety, skimmers, scams, staying alert for increasing AI scams, email and

text phishing. Officer Hellmuth offered many examples and resources for online safety. I presented a quick Canva presentation on how the library can help people with technology. The group seemed interested in the free technology and computer classes that will be offered at Gere and Eiseley in March and April. The group was also interested in any other presentations that LPD might offer at the library.”

- Laurie J. (Walt) shared that “At this month’s 3D Printer/Fusion 360 Training I had a father and daughter duo interested in learning the design side of 3D printing. We used the AutoCAD computers to go over Fusion 360’s user interface, the basics of design, and how to export as a file that can be printed. Afterwards, we printed a design she had made earlier in Tinkercad.”
- At Walt Branch, Courtney S. reported the following: “Staff had noticed that our new Young Adult books weren’t circulating well, so Jessica S. and I asked the Teen Advisory Board members if they had any ideas to help increase circulation. They suggested advertising the books based on comparisons to popular TV show. They gave us a list of popular shows, and I used them to make bookmarks that say ‘If you like (show title), try reading this!’ and put them in the books on display. While we don’t have exact statistics, staff have noticed that books are getting checked out off the display more frequently! It’s great seeing the ideas that our teens came up with come to life in the library!”
- Wyatt P. reported that “LCL was awarded the Library Improvement Grant from the Nebraska Library Commission in the full amount I requested of \$4,636. That is for the cell phone charger locker for Bennett Martin Public Library. Federal funding changes may make it so NLC is unable to provide this, so we are waiting to see what happens.”
- Two Library Love Stories: Liz C. at Walt shared this story: “A parent and two very excited children begged their mom for their own cards. She relented, and we got them taken care of. When we were finished getting them set up, Mom says to them, ‘What do you say?’ and instead of saying ‘thank you’ the kids paused thoughtfully and said ‘Luv you?’” And at Eiseley: Kara G. shared this story: I was working at the circulation desk checking out books to a young boy who was about 3 and his mother. Throughout the transaction, I was asking him questions to make him feel involved and his mother was helping him find the right answers. After I handed him his books back, his mother asked him “What do you say?” The boy looks around for a moment or two before looking up at me and saying, “I love you?” Adorable.
- Susan S. (Eiseley) provided library information and a tour for 2 children’s literature classes from Wesleyan. We issued many new cards and welcomed back some students who hadn’t used LCL for a while. Twenty-eight students participated.
- Selena S. (Eiseley) staffed a library info table at Arnold Elementary’s Book Bingo Family Night. She provided 30 families with information about Williams Branch Library specifically and LCL generally.
- Public Art Lincoln held a reception at Eiseley to introduce the sculpture “Heritage,” by Nebraska artist Eddie Dominguez. Dominguez is Emeritus Professor of the School of Art at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln. The piece is owned by the Museum of Nebraska Art and is on loan to Eiseley for five years through the efforts of Elizabeth Katt. Katt is the Executive Director of Public Art Lincoln. Thirty-two people attended the reception. It was especially interesting to hear the artist talk about his work. Public Art Lincoln should soon have a plaque installed to identify the art and artist. It seems very likely that this work may draw people into the library just to see it – potentially non-library

users. That will give us the opportunity to promote the library to them. In the meantime, the piece has already sparked conversations among staff and regularly attending patrons.

- In January, Gyoung K. (Eiseley) had 2 tech help appointments and she also trained 7 staff members on using the new 3D printer. She has also been making 3D items to accompany displays.
- Virtual Services reorganized public internet stations at Gere Branch during the month. We now have 8 unfiltered stations where the monitor sits under the desk, and 8 filtered stations where the monitor sits on top of the desk.
- Paden H. (Gere) shared this customer service story: "A patron came in and asked for help in doing research about the Orphan Train Movement. She was working on her genealogy and came to the library to look for relevant materials. I didn't know anything about the subject, and it was fun talk to her and to see what we had in our collection to help her research the topic. We were able to find items on Hoopla, a DVD, and a handful of books from adult non-fiction and children's non-fiction. She was excited to find so much material to take home, and complimented us on our collection."
- Ronda H. with input from Gere/South staff was able to create a list of expectations for kids and families that use the library. It matches up simple instructions with fun pictures on a single page – like: no unplugging things, quiet voices, clean up, no running... Next up, with Cally O'Brien's encouragement is to create a similar simple single document for ideas of what to do while visiting the library. It's an effort to help make everyone's visit to the library a positive and successful experience.
- Domonique H. (Gere) shared this great interaction: "At South there has been a recurring patron coming in to print important documents who speaks Portuguese and only understands a small percentage of English, so we've been communicating by google translate on her phone. She is so grateful and it makes my day when she comes in, she always smiles and says, 'Hello friend!'"
- Ronda H., Chad S. and Corey G. hosted 4 Circle of Friends at Gere with 126 attending. Chad shared: "Circle of friends at Gere is clearly such an important place for our participants. They obviously love being in such a safe, welcoming, judgment-free place where they can relax, be themselves, and have some fun.
- Aubrey S. (Gere) shared: "I had a regular patron who spends time in the library ask about the ukuleles on display, which led us to talking about the guitars available for checkout and the music library at BMPL. The patron asked if we had any spaces a person could use to just play music, a question I hadn't gotten before! They explained that they play the banjo (super cool!), but live in their van which makes it difficult to play in the winter months. After thinking on it, I told the patron I didn't see why they couldn't reserve one of the meeting rooms for free since we have groups that come in and practice ukuleles. I explained that the meetings in those rooms have to be open to the public, so they would have to be okay with people potentially popping in to which they said 'Oh I love to play for people, that wouldn't bother me!'"
- Cally O. and Yoel S. (Gere) hosted the Teen Advisory Board (TAB), on the 27th with 10 in attendance. They brainstormed ideas for summer reading programs and pulled titles for *Date with a Book* teen display. Brenda Ealey was helping a retired teacher at the information desk and the customer remarked: "Oh, my goodness – you have a group of teens in the library and it's evening." She went on to say how wonderful it was to see that age group engaged and using the library.
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- Caralyn K. (BMPL) relayed this interaction with a stressed patron: "I helped a woman who came in stressed out over the fact that she needed to print and fax some medical documents. She said she had been having a rough day and was struggling to get this done. I told her I'd be here to help her with this part and together we could get at least one thing off her plate. We were able to save her document that was in an email, to her phone and then print it via the Princh app.
- Lauren E. (BMPL) helped a number of people with technology issues throughout the month, "I assisted multiple Spanish speaking patron navigate the mobile printing process thru a combination of broken Spanish and google translate app. I assisted a different patron print out flyers for a missing pet. I assisted two patrons in using the scanners, finding the documents scanned, and attaching said documents to emails."
- Kim J. (BMPL) facilitated the Page to Stage storytime featuring books by Margaret Wise Brown. The Lied Center provided 50 free tickets for the "Goodnight Moon" puppetry show that we were able to give out to storytime participants!
- Cindy K. (BMPL) received a call from a patron wanting a specific book. Cindy was unable to find it in the catalog, and the woman was disappointed as she did not want to purchase the book. Cindy explained Interlibrary Loan to her and was able to get her request submitted with the potential for a much smaller charge than purchasing the book. The woman was very excited to try it.
- Caralyn K. (BMPL) has been making and distributing promotional material for a tour of the library aimed at showing limited English speakers the resources we have available. She has also contacted representatives of several cultural centers around town making arrangements for groups to visit.

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**Lincoln City Libraries
January 2025 Use Report**

Location	Loans/Circulation			Visits			January 2025 Other Use					January 2024 Other Use					Change: Total Other Use
	Jan 2025	Jan 2024	Change	Jan 2025	Jan 2024	Change	Computer Reservations	Program & Outreach Attendance	Meeting Room Attendance	Study Room Attendance	Total Other Use	Computer Reservations	Program & Outreach Attendance	Meeting Room Attendance	Study Room Attendance	Total Other Use	
Bennett Martin Public Library	13,498	13,540	-0.31%	10,413	10,044	3.67%	2,535	185	143	42	2,905	1,784	424	92	0	2,300	26.30%
Anderson Branch Library	12,222	11,122	9.89%	5,313	4,423	20.12%	732	429	95	0	1,256	595	344	127	0	1,066	17.82%
Bethany Branch Library	8,305	7,404	12.17%	3,032	2,727	11.18%	192	190	0	0	382	180	154	0	0	334	14.37%
Eiseley Branch Library	21,916	21,964	-0.22%	9,405	7,866	19.57%	1,387	1,035	320	307	3,049	1,177	759	242	0	2,178	39.99%
Gere Branch Library	55,936	55,216	1.30%	19,240	16,888	13.93%	1,329	1,609	455	215	3,608	1,022	1,344	433	0	2,799	28.90%
South Branch Library	8,989	8,870	1.34%	3,762	2,892	30.08%	374	196	0	0	570	393	80	0	0	473	20.51%
Walt Branch Library	40,051	39,158	2.28%	13,067	11,190	16.77%	1,162	1,348	386	263	3,159	830	1,109	435	0	2,374	33.07%
Williams Branch Library	1,036	781	32.65%	1,215	6,041	-79.89%	216	178	2	0	396	151	25	7	0	183	116.39%
Lied Bookmobile	1,675	1,261	32.83%	179	119	50.42%	0	94	0	0	94	0	72	0	0	72	30.56%
InterLibrary Loan	180	211	-14.69%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
System Outreach	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	0	23	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
SUBTOTAL	163,808	159,527	2.68%	65,626	62,190	5.53%	7,927	5,287	1,401	827	15,442	6,132	4,311	1,336	0	11,779	31.10%
DownloadStream Audio	52,495	44,950	16.79%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Download/Stream eBooks	39,454	34,621	13.96%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Stream Video	1,054	987	6.79%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Download SUBTOTAL	93,003	80,558	15.45%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
TOTAL	256,811	240,085	6.97%	65,626	62,190	5.53%	7,927	5,287	1,401	827	15,442	6,132	4,311	1,336	0	11,779	31.10%

Holdings Report	PRINT		NON PRINT		Total	REGISTRATIONS	2025	2024	Change
	Adult	Youth	Adult	Youth					
						Purged	537	630	-14.76%
Owned	349,561	304,410	75,143	32,937	762,051	Active			
Added	2,147	2,002	367	102	4,618	Resident	148,447	147,423	0.69%
Withdrawn	-4,156	-2,486	-1,036	-505	-8,183	Library OneCard	52,983	47,689	11.10%
Current	347,552	303,926	74,474	32,534	758,486	County	8,910	9,051	-1.56%
						NonResident	958	935	2.46%
						Reciprocal	492	481	2.29%
						Limited Use	10,157	9,472	7.23%
						Total Active	221,947	215,051	3.21%

Notes for Month: All locations closed for weather 1/8, 1/13, 1/14/24, Closed 10 am - 12 pm on 1/9/24, All locations closed on 1/12/24 for weather except for BMPL (open 12 - 6 pm), Traffic count for Williams 1/10 - 1/16/24 MUCH higher than normal

	2025	2024	Change
WiFi Sessions	112,832	105,023	7.44%
WiFi Users	8,949	7,944	12.65%
Website Users	95,454	110,917	-13.94%
Website Sessions	132,729	149,883	-11.44%
Database Use	8,587	7,850	9.39%

**January 2025 Use Compared to January 2024
Lincoln City Libraries**

Location	Print Checkouts		Print Loan	Non-Print Checkouts		Non-Print	Total Checkouts		Total Loan
	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Loan Change	2025	2024	Change
B MPL	10,658	10,932	-2.51%	2,840	2,608	8.90%	13,498	13,540	-0.31%
Anderson	10,008	9,117	9.77%	2,214	2,005	10.42%	12,222	11,122	9.89%
Bethany	7,518	6,560	14.60%	787	844	-6.75%	8,305	7,404	12.17%
Eiseley	19,279	19,081	1.04%	2,637	2,883	-8.53%	21,916	21,964	-0.22%
Gere	49,082	48,577	1.04%	6,854	6,639	3.24%	55,936	55,216	1.30%
South	7,862	7,765	1.25%	1,127	1,105	1.99%	8,989	8,870	1.34%
Walt	35,313	34,548	2.21%	4,738	4,610	2.78%	40,051	39,158	2.28%
Williams	866	639	35.52%	170	142	19.72%	1,036	781	32.65%
Lied Bookmobile	1,580	1,129	39.95%	95	132	-28.03%	1,675	1,261	32.83%
InterLibrary Loan	180	211	-14.69%	0	0	0.00%	180	211	-14.69%
Subtotal Checkouts	142,346	138,559	2.73%	21,462	20,968	2.36%	163,808	159,527	2.68%
Download/Stream Audio	0	0	0.00%	52,495	44,950	16.79%	52,495	44,950	16.79%
Download/Stream eBook	0	0	0.00%	39,454	34,621	13.96%	39,454	34,621	13.96%
Stream Video	0	0	0.00%	1,054	987	6.79%	1,054	987	6.79%
TOTAL CHECKOUTS	142,346	138,559	2.73%	114,465	101,526	12.74%	256,811	240,085	6.97%

Location	Youth Checkouts		Youth Loan	Adult Checkouts		Adult Loan	Visits	Visits	Visits
	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Change
B MPL	4,800	4,704	2.04%	8,698	8,836	-1.56%	10,413	10,044	3.67%
Anderson	6,068	5,348	13.46%	6,154	5,774	6.58%	5,313	4,423	20.12%
Bethany	4,917	4,251	15.67%	3,388	3,153	7.45%	3,032	2,727	11.18%
Eiseley	13,827	13,934	-0.77%	8,089	8,030	0.73%	9,405	7,866	19.57%
Gere	30,851	30,507	1.13%	25,085	24,709	1.52%	19,240	16,888	13.93%
South	5,022	4,994	0.56%	3,967	3,876	2.35%	3,762	2,892	30.08%
Walt	26,277	26,210	0.26%	13,774	12,948	6.38%	13,067	11,190	16.77%
Williams	761	601	26.62%	275	180	52.78%	1,215	6,041	-79.89%
Lied Bookmobile	1,070	727	47.18%	605	534	13.30%	179	119	50.42%
InterLibrary Loan	0	0	0.00%	180	211	-14.69%	0	0	0.00%
Subtotal Checkouts	93,593	91,276	2.54%	70,215	68,251	2.88%	65,626	62,190	5.53%
Download/Stream Audio	7,212	6,470	11.47%	45,283	38,480	17.68%	0	0	0.00%
Download/Stream eBook	9,445	6,007	57.23%	30,009	28,614	4.88%	0	0	0.00%
Stream Video	0	0	0.00%	1,054	987	6.79%	0	0	0.00%
TOTAL CHECKOUTS	110,250	103,753	6.26%	146,561	136,332	7.50%	65,626	62,190	5.53%

Location	Program & Outreach Attendance - Youth		P&O Att - Youth	Program & Outreach Attendance - Adult		P&O Att - Adult	Computer Use		Computer
	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Change
B MPL	109	209	-47.85%	76	215	-64.65%	2,535	1,784	42.10%
Anderson	414	335	23.58%	15	9	66.67%	732	595	23.03%
Bethany	133	150	-11.33%	57	4	1325.00%	192	180	6.67%
Eiseley	912	725	25.79%	123	34	261.76%	1,387	1,177	17.84%
Gere	1,416	1,344	5.36%	193	0	0.00%	1,329	1,022	30.04%
South	188	74	154.05%	8	6	33.33%	374	393	-4.83%
Walt	1,157	965	19.90%	191	144	32.64%	1,162	830	40.00%
Williams	166	25	564.00%	12	0	0.00%	216	151	43.05%
Lied Bookmobile	35	25	40.00%	59	47	25.53%	0	0	0.00%
System Outreach	0	0	0.00%	23	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
TOTAL	4,530	3,852	17.60%	757	459	64.92%	7,927	6,132	29.27%

Location	Meeting Room Attendance		Meeting Room Att	Study Room Attendance		Study Room Att	2025	2024	Change
	2025	2024	Change	2025	2024	Change			
B MPL	143	92	55.43%	42	0	0.00%			0.00%
Anderson	95	127	-25.20%	0	0	0.00%			0.00%
Bethany	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%			0.00%
Eiseley	320	242	32.23%	307	0	0.00%			0.00%
Gere	455	433	5.08%	215	0	0.00%			0.00%
South	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%			0.00%
Walt	386	435	-11.26%	263	0	0.00%			0.00%
Williams	2	7	-71.43%	0	0	0.00%			0.00%
Lied Bookmobile	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%			0.00%
TOTAL	1,401	1,336	4.87%	827	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%

**Lincoln City Libraries
January 2025 Fiscal Year To Date Use Report**

Location	Loans/Circulation			Visits		
	Loans/ Circulation FY 24-25 YTD	Loans/ Circulation FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change	Visits FY 24-25 YTD	Visits FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change
Bennett Martin Public Library	66,604	68,301	-2.48%	55,481	51,815	7.08%
Anderson Branch	59,302	56,709	4.57%	27,820	25,558	8.85%
Bethany Branch	38,317	36,414	5.23%	14,265	13,903	2.60%
Eiseley Branch	106,674	111,177	-4.05%	47,338	42,569	11.20%
Gere Branch	265,904	283,891	-6.34%	92,727	87,184	6.36%
South Branch	44,201	45,852	-3.60%	18,713	16,889	10.80%
Walt Branch	187,249	192,060	-2.50%	62,358	58,080	7.37%
Williams Branch	4,529	4,840	-6.43%	6,049	10,329	-41.44%
Lied Bookmobile	7,546	6,970	8.26%	1,703	1,558	9.31%
InterLibrary Loan	841	1,005	-16.32%	0	0	0.00%
System Outreach	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
SUBTOTAL	781,167	807,219	-3.23%	326,454	307,885	6.03%
DownloadStream Audio	235,668	209,346	12.57%		0	0.00%
Download/Stream eBooks	170,948	167,919	1.80%		0	0.00%
Stream Video	5,213	4,362	19.51%		0	0.00%
Download SUBTOTAL	411,829	381,627	7.91%		0	0.00%
Total	1,192,996	1,188,846	0.35%	326,454	307,885	6.03%

	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change
Online Registrations	546	897	-39.13%
Overall Registrations	4,975	5,345	-6.92%

	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change
WiFi Sessions	601,427	589,836	1.97%
WiFi Users	45,606	46,958	-2.88%
Website Users	433,005	471,271	-8.12%
Website Sessions	598,926	626,598	-4.42%
Database Use	37,342	40,937	-8.78%

Year-to-Date Holdings Report	PRINT		NON PRINT		Total
	Adult	Youth	Adult	Youth	
Owned 9/1/2024	372,148	329,191	80,850	34,144	816,333
Added YTD	10,762	8,371	1,471	980	21,584
Withdrawn YTD	-35,358	-33,636	-7,847	-2,590	-79,431
Current - 1/31/2025	347,552	303,926	74,474	32,534	758,486

Location	Computer Reservations			Program & Outreach Attendance			Meeting Room Attendance			Study Room Attendance			Total Other Use		YTD CHANGE
	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	YTD Change	FY 24-25 YTD	*Study Room Attendance	FY 23-24 YTD	FY 24-25 YTD	FY 23-24 YTD	
Bennett Martin Public Library	12,195	10,749	13.45%	2,936	4,053	-27.56%	839	637	31.71%	311	0	0.00%	16,281	15,439	5.45%
Anderson Branch	3,985	3,529	12.92%	4,577	3,178	44.02%	938	834	12.47%	0	0	0.00%	9,500	7,541	25.98%
Bethany Branch	1,120	1,099	1.91%	806	827	-2.54%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	1,926	1,926	0.00%
Eiseley Branch	6,933	6,041	14.77%	6,992	4,552	53.60%	1,603	1,561	2.69%	1,468	0	0.00%	16,996	12,154	39.84%
Gere Branch	5,797	5,993	-3.27%	7,409	6,667	11.13%	2,553	2,635	-3.11%	1,486	0	0.00%	17,245	15,295	12.75%
South Branch	2,158	2,176	-0.83%	964	1,056	-8.71%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	3,122	3,232	-3.40%
Walt Branch	5,252	4,706	11.60%	6,378	7,183	-11.21%	1,740	1,854	-6.15%	1,683	0	0.00%	15,053	13,743	9.53%
Williams Branch	989	906	9.16%	1,187	586	102.56%	20	24	-16.67%	0	0	0.00%	2,196	1,516	44.85%
Lied Bookmobile	0	0	0.00%	317	318	-0.31%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	317	318	-0.31%
InterLibrary Loan	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
System Outreach	0	0	0.00%	973	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%	973	0	0.00%
Total	38,429	35,199	9.18%	32,539	28,420	14.49%	7,693	7,545	1.96%	4,948	0	0.00%	83,609	71,164	17.49%

*Study Room Attendance tracking began 9/1/2024