# **Library Board**

# Monday, September 19, 2022 Regular Meeting

## Item C1

## **Approval of Director's Report**

The Director's Report typically consists of:

- 1) a monthly report of programs and activities, public use of meeting spaces, library media, and Librarians' Reports
- 2) a quarterly Report of Household Library Cards Issued to Hall County Residents Outside of Grand Island provided in January, April, July and October of each year
- 3) a quarterly statistical usage report provided in February, May, August and November of each year
- 4) upon execution of agreement, regularly scheduled report of use of Grand Island Public Library Foundation library support funds
- 5) upon publication, a Library newsletter
- 6) and additional administrative items of note, either in the agenda packet or discussed at the meeting.

**Staff Contact:** 

# **Library Director**

Name: Celine Swan Date: September 2022

# **Since Last Report**

### **August**

- Media Report, Shaun and Laura Report
- Shaun/Celine/Laura working on updating library policies with Anna and Tanya
- Police Substation being paid for by the City in 2022-2023 budget
- Fall Grand Island 150- Adult Humanities Programs, Bookclub, Bus Tours in Sept.
- Library teen computers and Gateway Makerspace going in teen area
- 2 School workers here GIPS Success Academy and GIPS Voc Rehab, Indrid House, another group, ILS to start in Sept.
- Outreach to JBS Swift for Library Card Signups/promos 8/25 & 8/26
- New signage for the Early Learning Outdoor Discovery Area ELODA in window
- Budget Mtg at City Hall on FTE requests and Celine Presented Library for Study Session

### **Upcoming-Library work**

- Northwest High School Band was here Sept. 1 at 10:30 am
- State Fair-partnered with the Latino Day on Sept 4 with two bilingual Storytimes/Crafts
- Knickrehm outreach 9/1 GISH monthly outreach, Walnut is coming to the library for trunk and read, Laura outreach to Third City Christian Preschool
- PrimeTime Family Reading began 9/10 for preschoolers and 9/12 for elementary ages
- Insert for Utility Bill for October-info on Fine Free and library fall programs
- Fall Programs begin Sept 6, added Bookbop, Anime, A Little Art and Teen Programs when school is not in session
- Fall Makerspace CCC partnership programs begin in Sept
- Met with Nicki Stoltenberg GISH Academy Liaison
- Community Artist Reception 9/11/22 over 60 attended
- GITV Grand Island 150 taping 9/9/2022
- Thriving Children Conference 9/19/2022
- Laura and a couple children's staff attending Plum Creek Festival 9/24/22
- September 25 Edith Abbott Victorian Tea Party
- Partnering with United Way for Multi-language marketing to welcome new people to GI Sept. 30 Meeting
- October 6 Nebraska Library Association in Kearney
- October 8 Active Chiro Fall Festival-table
- October 23 Train Program Plum Creek Station GI 150
- October 25 Literacy Council outreach trunk or treat
- October 29 Mexican Consulate 8-6 pm at the library in Meeting Rooms (if closed-fover)
- Nov 5 or 6<sup>th</sup> United Way is doing promotions on their services/resources info tables
- Nov 8 General Election
- Nov 11, 24 and 25 Library is Closed for Veteran's Day,

# GRAND ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

#### AUGUST 2022 STATS OVERVIEW & COMPARISON



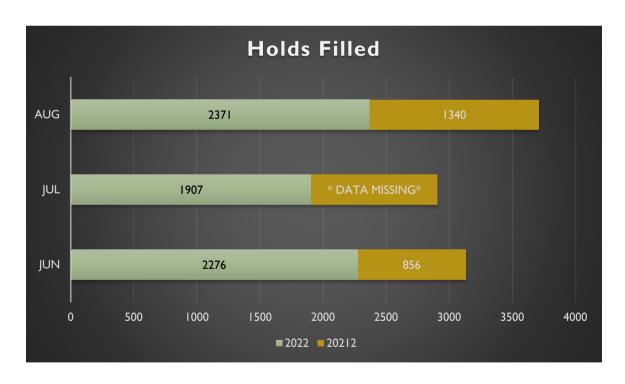
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## CIRCULATION

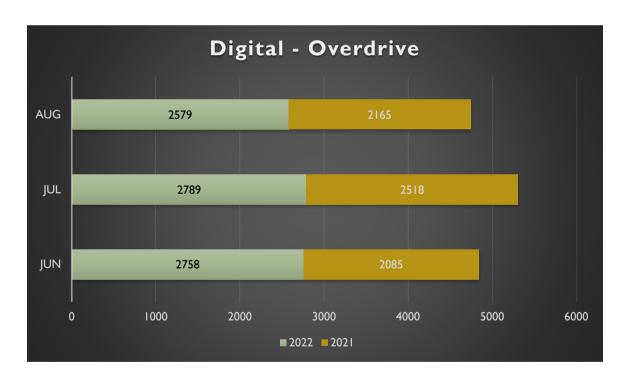
### HOLDS PLACED





#### **CHECKOUTS**







## **Grand Island Public Library**

# Youth & Family Services Librarian Monthly Report

Laura Fentress September 2022

## **Since Last Report**

## Fall programming begins

Kids' fall programs began Tuesday, September 6. New programs (or programs that we did not have in 2021-22) are highlighted in yellow.

#### Monday

Pajamatime (Nicole) in Bookingham 6:30 PM for ages 0-11

#### Tuesday

Bookbop (Jeanne & Laura) in Bookingham 10:30 AM for ages 0-5

#### Wednesday

Preschool Storytime (Brenda & Jackie) in Bookingham 10:30 AM for ages 3-5

#### **Thursday**

TLC 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday (Elle) in the Makerspace 4:00 PM for ages 10-18

Homeschool 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday (Lori) in Bookingham 3:00 PM for grades K-5

Anime Club 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday (Elle & Jackie) In Meeting Room B 4:00 PM for ages 10-18

#### **Friday**

**Baby & Toddler Lapsit** (Elle & Laura) in Bookingham OR MR-C if we need the space 10:30 AM for ages 0-2

On Fridays there is no school:

A Little Art @ Your Library (art program) (Jeanne) in Meeting Room B 10:30 AM for ages 5-10 Teen/tween programs (Chris, Elle, Jackie, Alessandra, and/or Lindsay) in the Makerspace 2:00 PM for ages 10-18

- September 16
- October 14
- October 28
- January 20
- February 17
- April 7
- April 28

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#### **Prime Time**

#### **Elementary Prime Time**

- September 12
- September 19
- September 26
- October 3
- (Skipping October 10)
- October 17
- October 24

#### **Preschool Prime Time**

- September 10
- September 17
- September 24
- October 1
- (Skipping October 8)
- October 15
- October 22

## Gateway Makerspace

- Computers and workspace are set up
- Open House program for teens September 16

#### Outreach to schools

- Knickrehm Open House September 1
- Biweekly visits to GISH start Tuesday, September 6
- Third City Christian Preschool September 14 & 15

## Library Card Sign-Up Month

- Tree display at front desk
- Every patron who signs up for a new card or renews an expired card will be automatically entered into a drawing to win a Walmart gift card (ages 11 and over) or a Scout plush (ages 10 and under) at the beginning of October

## **Upcoming**

### Victorian Tea Party September 25

#### Plum Creek Literacy Festival September 24

- At Concordia University Nebraska in Seward
- 4 staff members planning to attend

#### Planned outreach events

- Walnut Middle Family Library Night November 14
- Active Family Chiropractic Fall Festival
- Multicultural Coalition Trunk or Treat

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Laura sent out two PSAs to KRGI in Spanish for library programs	8/1/2022	KRGI
Grand Island Public Library Summer 2022 Newsletter	8/1/2022	GI Independent
GIPL Beyond the Stacks:Celine Swan: 'It's been a minute'	8/1/2022	GI Independent
Grand Island Public Library hosts first ever Community Art Show	8/7/2022	KSNB Local4
Amid ongoing baby formula shortage, Central District Health Department plans		
breastfeeding workshop	8/7/2022	Local4
Bygone Book Club opens second season on Saturday	8/11/2022	GI Independent
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Andrew Carnegie' program a part of Grand Island's 150		
	8/15/2022	KNSB Local4
Grand Island celebrates 150 years as a city	8/15/2022	GI Independent
Humanities Nebraska program to feature Andrew Carnegie, public library philanthrop		GI Independent
GINW Marching Band to perform at the Grand Island Public Library Sept. 1.	8/17/2022	Local4
What's Going On-Andrew Carnegie	8/19/2022	GI Independent
	5, 25, 2522	
GIPL Beyond the Stack: Laura Fentress: Fall into New Programs at Your Library	8/21/2022	GI Independent
Northwest Marching Band to perform at the library	8/24/2022	GI Independent
KRGI-Celine	8/30/2022	KRGI
Grand Island City Council approves \$273M budget for 2022-23 year	8/31/2022	GI Independent
What's Going On-Children's Fall Programming	9/4/2022	GI Independent
Library announces new children's, teens' school-year programs	7 17 20 22	
September is Library Card Sign-up Month	9/4/2022	GI Independent
What's Going On-Children's First Day of Programming	9/6/2022	GI Independent
Fall off to a busy start in Central Nebraska-Platte Valley Chronicles: Tales from Nebras		GI Independent
What's Going On: Local happenings in the Grand Island area	9/9/2022	GI Independent
Library PSA's in Spanish on KRGI	ongoing	KRGI
GITV Taping-Grand Island 150 (Celine taped with Michelle from Hall County His Soc)	9/11/2022	GI Independent
GIPL: BEYOND THE STACKS-Shaun Klee: Celebrate Grand Island history with the	9/11/2022	GI Independent
What's Going On-Community Art Show Artist's Reception	9/11/2022	GI Independent
University of Nebraska at Kearney professor will present Roosevelt's speech on	9/15/2022	GI Independent
GIPL: BEYOND THE STACKS-Let Your Imagination SING at Your Library	9/16/2022	GI Independent
Historic bus tours start Saturday	9/16/2022	GI Independent
Teen Program-Gateway Makerspace	current	Newschannel NE
Nebraska Makerspace Database	current	NLC website
Grand Island Library Newsletter	current	GIPL Journal