

Librarian's Update to the Trustees
10-21-2021

Successes

September 2019 - 2021 Comparison

Circulation:	2019	2020	2021
Audio/Video	356	115	106
TOTALS:	1,803	1,773	1,156
Computer Use:			
Computers	592	0	190
Wi-Fi	1,351	554	852
TOTAL COMBINED:	1,943	554	1,042
Patron Visits:	2,085	537	1,022
Reference Questions:	547	416	458

General

- VT Author S. Lee Manning is here Monday October 18th; Reading & Discussion is Tuesday October 19th; Paint & Tea with Victoria is Friday October 22nd; story times both Friday & Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. We have had the Stuffed Animal Sleepover on Thursday evening October 7th and the pickup of the Stuffedies was Friday morning October 8th at 9 a.m. This was a very well received event. Leo the Enosburg Lions Club lion attended also. We had 14 kids and 10 adults attend this event.
- The VT Reads book for this year is *We Contain Multitudes* by Sarah Henstra and will be available for the public to pickup a free copy here starting on Tuesday October 19th. The Reading & Discussion group will be discussing this book on Tuesday November 16th.
- Avery was able to join her first Core Course for her Public Librarian Certification and this course will run for 5 Wednesdays starting Wednesday October 20th. This course is for 1.5 hrs. each time and I have given her permission to do this from home and just record her time on the timesheet.
- I signed the grant agreement for the ARPA Library Grant with the State of Vermont. We should hopefully receive this money the first week of November. This was the grant for \$4,235.53.
- I will be attending the ARSL (Association for Rural & Small Libraries) conference virtually Oct 20-23.
- Our Community Town Story Walks is still being well received. We have had more local businesses reaching out to us join. Sara is putting up the 3rd one this week. We will be putting one up in November and one in December. The December one will be in conjunction with Christmas in Enosburgh.
- I will be at the library on Halloween evening from 4:30-6:30 to distribute candy and non-candy items to the Trick-or-Treaters.
- We have been approached by the EBA to collaborate in future events.
- Our Family Picture Day will be Saturday November 13th from 10-2.
- We will be closed Thursday November 11th for Veterans Day and also Thursday November 25th for Thanksgiving. We will use our floating holiday for Thursday December 23rd.