## April 2023 Library Report

- 1. Library hosted 7 local poets and authors for April Poetry Month, 21 people attended on April 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 2. Sonya had a Zoom meeting with NMSL regarding Resilience in Rural Libraries: A post-Pandemic Overview. A book is in the works by the State regarding outcomes.
- 3. Liana from NMSL came for a site visit and to give away books and other items for SRP. She visited all of the libraries in the SW region.
- 4. Library hosted a poetry reading by 3 local poets and 10 people attended the event.
- 5. AARP finished out tax season on April 17th
- 6. NM Tourism came for a site visit, April 21<sup>st</sup> in conjunction with the CDT event in Silver. We have been the recipients of a grant and they wanted to see the progress on the park.
- 7. Library hosted an artist reception for local artist, Felix Norero who has been exhibiting his artwork for the past 3 months in the library conference room. Over 30 people attended the event.
- 8. Sonya and Jenny met with Cobre HS students, April 25<sup>th</sup> to look at design ideas for the mural to begin on May 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 9. We were awarded a McCune Foundation grant written by Jenny for \$3000.00 to be used toward the mural project.
- 10. Library hosted 4 poets on April 28th to end Poetry Month.
- 11. Sonya ordered new children's furniture for kid's room to replace the old couch, using State Aid or Go Bonds, whichever needs to be spent down by deadline.
- 12. We are in the process of finalizing Alison Bjerke's paperwork as the SRP leader.