

**Boaz Public Library**  
**September 26, 2022**  
**Council Meeting**

**Statistics for August 2022**

**Total items checked out = 8,199**

**Digital items downloaded = 2,001**

**Internet uses = 2,312**

**New registered patrons = 114**

**In Person Programs = 13 with 360 in attendance**

**Passive Programs = 20 with 443 participating**

**Total library visits = 3,881**

**Announcements**

**Check out the Library's website and Facebook page for up-to-date information on programs and services for adults, children, and teens.**

Monthly Report for Boaz Public Library		AUGUST 2022	Director: Lynn Burgess
Material	Adult	YA	Juvenile
Books	2625	397	3996
Print Magazines	12	0	0
DVD	808	0	231
CD	116	0	8
Games	4	0	2
Microfilm	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3565</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>4237</b>

Electronic Circulation	Adult	YA	Juvenile
eBooks	867	26	307
eMagazines	86	0	0
Downloadable Audio	531	26	96
Streaming Video	54	0	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>1538</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>411</b>

<b>New Borrowers</b>	Adult: 80	YA: 9	Juvenile: 25
<b>Internet Usage</b>	Adult: 662	Juvenile: 82	Wireless: 1568
<b>Interlibrary Loan</b>	Loaned: 0	Borrowed: 0	Total: 0
<b>Reference Questions</b>	Total: 640		
<b>Volunteer Hours</b>	Total: 2		

Library Resources	Added	Deleted
Books	321	163
CD's	4	0
DVD's	12	4
Other	3 (PUZZLE)	0

Programs	Children 0-5	Juvenile 6-11	YA 12-18	Adult 19+	General All Ages	Total
In-Person - Onsite	5	0	1	7	0	13
Attendance	309	0	6	45	0	360
In-Person - Offsite	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
In-Person + Stream	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Live Virtual	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Recorded	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Passive	1	2	0	12	5	20
Attendance	7	97	0	135	204	443
Kit	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0

Grand Total Circulation	Total Internet	Total Electronic Circulation	Library Visits
8199	2312	2001	3881

Boaz Public Library  
Programs & Activities  
August 2022

August 1, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - We discussed chapters 1 - 5 of "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley and compared the chemistry of Arabica and Robusta coffee.

5 Adults

August 2, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Lola Goes to School" by Anna McQuinn. We made backpacks out of construction paper and stickers.

35 Children and 27 Adults

August 2, 2022

Young Adult - Teen Tuesday - Let's Be Giants Party - Teens made tiny terrarium crafts and put together tiny board games. They also played oversize games such as Jenga and Connect Four. The teens also ate tiny snacks and drank tiny drinks.

6 YA

August 8, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - We talked chemistry and coffee and discussed chapters 6 - 11 of "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley.

5 Adults

August 9, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Special Guest Reader Ms. Misty from Northeast Alabama Community College led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "It's a Firefly Night" by Dianne Ochiltree. The children colored fireflies in a jar coloring sheet and used their thumbprints to make the fireflies.

36 Children and 22 Adults

August 10, 2022

Adult - Lunch & Learn - Vegetable Prints - Patrons brought their own lunches and we provided drinks and dessert. They used different fruits and vegetables dipped in paint to make prints on tea towels and canvases.

2 Children 3 YA 14 Adults

### August 15, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - We learned what chemistry has to do with decaffeinated coffee and discussed chapters 12 - 17 of "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley.

3 Adults

### August 16, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Special Guest Fallin Roe brought a pony named Ellie. She is training Ellie to be a therapeutic pony for a special needs group "Maker's Child." The children could pet Ellie and have their pictures taken with her. We colored pony coloring sheets afterward.

32 Children and 27 Adults

### August 22, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - Today we talked about the aroma of coffee and discussed chapters 18 - 23 of "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley.

4 Adults

### August 23, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "The Bear Ate Your Sandwich" by Julia Sarcone-Roach. We made sandwiches out of construction paper pieces.

42 Children and 28 Adults

### August 23, 2022

Adult - Tuesday Trivia with Agatha Quiztie - Patrons ate pizza and dessert while playing trivia utilizing the Kahoot! computer program. The theme of the trivia was "Friends the TV show" We played two rounds and the winner of each round got to pick a prize off of the prize table. We also had a drawing for a "Friends" themed tumbler and participants got to take home a "Friends" keychain.

7 Adults

### August 23, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Can I Play Too?" by Mo Willems. We made an Elephant and Piggie picture of them playing catch out of construction paper pieces.

36 Children and 24 Adults

August 29, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - We discussed what goes into a cup of coffee and talked about chapters 24 - 27 of "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley.

2 Adults

Passive Programs

Crafty Wagon	62	
STEAM Area	60	
Lego Tables	65	
Game Closet	2	
Puzzle Table	15	
Kid's Gaming Computers	82	
Question of the Month	15	
1,000 Books Before Kindergarten		7
Adult Coloring	25	
Cook the Book	19	
Golden Ticket	1	
Sudoku	7	
Purple Box Question	7	
Tearable Take What You Need	22	
Keychain BuddyTake Home Craft	10	
Interactive Crossword Puzzle	4	
Finish the Story	10	
Book Recommender		10
Take and Make Dinosaur	10	
Knot of the Month Monkey Fist	10	