Boaz Public Library October 10, 2022 Council Meeting

Statistics for September 2022

Total items checked out = 8,000
Digital items downloaded = 1,534
Internet uses = 2,451
New registered patrons = 112
In Person/Streaming Programs = 15 with 442 in attendance
Passive Programs = 20 with 514 participating
Total library visits = 3,598

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: September 2022			Director: Lynn Burgess	
Material	Adult	YA	Juvenile	
Books	2404	414	4142	
Print Magazines	17	0	0	
DVD	669	0	247	
CD	88	0	8	
Games	7	0	4	
Microfilm	0	0	0	
Total	3185	414	4401	

Electronic Circulation	Adult	YA	Juvenile
eBooks	803	25	92
eMagazines	0	0	0
Downloadable Audio	472	8	81
Streaming Video	47	0	6
Total	1322	33	179

New Borrowers	Adult: 84	YA: 5	Juvenile: 23
Internet Usage	Adult: 571	Juvenile: 35	Wireless: 1845
Interlibrary Loan	Loaned: 0	Borrowed: 0	Total: 0
Reference Questions	Total: 890		-
Volunteer Hours	Total: 2		

Library Resources	Added	Deleted
Books	560	35
CD's	3	0
DVD's	5	2
Other	0	0

Programs	Children	Juvenile	YA	Adult	General	Total
	0-5	6-11	12-18	19+	All Ages	
In-Person - Onsite	4	3	1	6	1	1 5
Attendance	228	116	15	42	41	442
In-Person - Offsite	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
In-Person + Stream	1	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	122	0	0	0	0	0
Live Virtual	2	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	7	0	0	0	0	0
Recorded	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Passive	1	1	0	13	5	20
Attendance	9	119		292	94	514
Kit	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0

Grand Total Circulation	Total Internet	Total Electronic Circulation	Library Visits
8000	2451	1534	3598

Boaz Public Library Programs & Activities September 2022

September 1, 2022

Adult In Person + Stream - More Than Words: Programs for Adults - We had two-time Emmy award winner Mark Everett Kelly, formerly of ESPN, come and do a presentation about baseball legend Jackie Robinson. We provide snacks and drinks.

1 Child, 4 Adults in person 117 online views

September 6, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "A Grand Day" by Jean Reidy. Children brought their grandparent(s) to celebrate Grandparent's Day. Kids made pictures of their grandparents out of cotton balls and construction paper pieces.

33 Children and 34 Adults

September 6, 2022

Young Adult - Teen Tuesday - Tie Dye - Teens created their own tie-dye t-shirts.

2 Children, 8 YA, and 5 Adults

September 7, 2022

All Ages - Homeschool Hangout - Mrs. Savannah presented an "Intro to the Library" slide show. She explained the different types of books, library services, online services, and how to search for a book using the online catalog. Then, kids completed scavenger hunts around the library sections to turn in for a prize.

22 Children, 5 YA, and 14 Adults

September 8, 2022

Juvenile - Lego Day - Children built cars that could hold up a sail they decorated. Then, they were placed in front of a box fan to see how far the wind current could push the cars.

12 Children, 1 YA, and 10 Adults

September 12, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - Patrons met to discuss the book of the month "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley. We provided coffee and snacks.

3 Adults

<u>September 13, 2022</u>

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Escape Goat" by Ann Patchett and Robin Preiss Glasser. Then, we colored sheets of the goat in the story.

24 Children and 18 Adults

September 14, 2022

Adult - Lunch & Learn - Patrons made an assortment of cactus-themed crafts including a cactus wind chime, a personal zen garden, and an impossible-to-kill cactus. Patrons brought their own lunch and we provided drinks and desserts.

1 Child 5 Adults in person 16 take-home bags

September 14, 2022

Adult Live Virtual - Introvert Book Club - Patrons met via Zoom to discuss the book of the month "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley.

5 Adults

September 15, 2022

Juvenile - Third Thursday Thrills - Kids (with adult supervision) shredded crayons with cheese graters. Then, they sprinkled the shavings on top of a stencil on canvas. Mrs. Savannah ironed them to create melted crayon art.

21 Children and 11 Adults

September 19, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - Patrons discussed the book of the month "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley while having coffee and eating snacks.

3 Adults

<u>September 20, 2022</u>

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "The Pirates Are Coming!" by John Condon. Children colored and decorated their own pirate hats out of construction paper and stickers.

36 Children and 22 Adults

September 20, 2022

Adult - Genealogy - The Boaz Chapter of the Northeast Alabama Genealogical Society held their monthly meeting.

10 Adults

September 21, 2022

Juvenile - Shepherd's Place - Mrs. Savannah presented an "Intro to the Library" slide show. She explained the different types of books, library services, online services, and how to search for a book using the online catalog. Then, kids completed scavenger hunts around the library sections to turn in for a prize.

43 Children, 10 YA, and 8 Adults

September 21, 2022

Adult Live Virtual - Introvert Book Club - Patrons met via Zoom to discuss the book of the month "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley.

2 Adults

September 26, 2022

Adult - Books & Brews - Patrons met to drink coffee and eat snacks while discussing the book of the month "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley.

2 Adults

September 27, 2022

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Poopsie Gets Lost" by Hannah E. Harrison. We made cats by using chalk and construction paper pieces.

36 Children and 25 Adults

<u>September 27, 2022</u>

Adult - Tuesday Trivia with Agatha Quiztie - Patrons utilized the Kahoot! A computer program to answer trivia questions about The Andy Griffith Show. We provided pizza and prizes.

7 Adults

Passive Programs	
Crafty Wagon	35
STEAM Area	20
Lego Tables	35
Game Closet	1
Puzzle Table	3
Kid's Gaming Computers	35
Question of the Month	119
1,000 Books Before Kindergarten	9
Adult Coloring	45
Cook the Book	30
Golden Ticket	1
Sudoku	10
Purple Box Question	14
Tearable	8
Bead Bracelet Take Home Craft	10
Interactive Crossword Puzzle	2
Finish the Comic	22
Book Tracker	10
Fun With Eyeballs	10
Knot of the Month	10
September Beanstack Challenge	21