

Boaz Public Library
August 14, 2023
Council Meeting

Statistics for July 2023

Total items checked out = 11,162

Digital items downloaded = 1,996

Internet uses = 2,870

New registered patrons = 122

In Person/Virtual/Recorded Programs = 38 with 1,137 in attendance

Passive Programs = 19 with 437 participating

Total library visits = 4,898

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: JULY 2023			Director: Lynn Burgess
Print Circulation	Adult	Juvenile	YA
Books	2468	5040	518
Print Magazines	27	0	0
Physical Audio/Video Circ.			
DVD	531	316	0
CD	121	13	0
Other Physical Circulation			
Games	5	28	6
Microfilm	0	0	0
Other Physical Material	25	86	3
Electronic Circulation			
eBooks	953	72	44
eMagazines	18	0	0
Downloadable Audio	688	88	17
Streaming Video	102	14	0

Interlibrary Loan	Loaned: 0	Borrowed: 0	Total: 0
Internet Usage	Adult: 615	Children: 30	Wireless: 2225
New Borrowers	Juvenile: 49	Adult: 73	Total: 122
Reference Questions	Total: 640	Volunteer Hours	Total: 27

Library Resources	Added	Deleted
Books	193	22
CD's	5	0
DVD's	33	1
Other	64	0

Programs	Adult	YA	Juvenile	All Ages	Total
In Person Programs	9	3	15	11	38
In Person Attendance	138	35	485	479	1137
Live Virtual Programs	0	0	0	0	0
Live Virtual Attendance	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Live/Recorded Programs	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Live Views	0	0	0	0	0
Passive Programs	12	0	6	1	19
Passive Attendance	151	0	211	75	437

Total Material Circulation	Total Electronic Circulation	Grand Total Circulation	Total Internet	Library Visits
9187	1996	11162	2870	4898

Boaz Public Library
Children's Programs & Activities
July 2023

July 3, 2023

All Ages - Summer Reading Program - Montgomery Zoo - The Montgomery Zoo showcased various animals such as hissing cockroaches, a parrot, a tortoise, a hawk, and sugar gliders.

96 Children and 103 Adults

July 5, 2023

All Ages - Crafternoon - All ages could choose to make friendship bracelets, VHS crafts, or journals.

5 Children and 7 Adults

July 6, 2023

Juvenile - Central Primary - We made friendship bracelets and necklaces.

19 Children and 5 Adults

July 7, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Tomorrow I'll be Kind" by Jessica Hische. We made kindness sayings from foam kits.

31 Children and 22 Adults

July 7, 2023

All Ages - Everyone was invited to bring a pillow and a blanket, and we served popcorn and Kool-Aid while watching "Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile."

9 Children, 2 YA, and 4 Adults

July 10, 2023

All Ages - Summer Reading Program - Ventriloquist, Barry Mitchell and his friends provided humor, magic, and storytelling centered around kindness and togetherness. Afterward, we had popsicles.

38 Children, 1 YA, and 25 Adults

July 11, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Group Hug" by Jean Reidy. We made masks of either a moose, an owl, a raccoon, or a black bear.

23 Children and 15 Adults

July 12, 2023

Preschool - Camp Boaz - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Group Hug" by Jean Reidy. We made masks of either a moose, an owl, a raccoon, or a black bear.

12 Children and 3 Adults

July 13, 2023

Juvenile - Academy of Early Learning - Each child chose three crafts from past programs to make.

27 Children and 2 Adults

July 13, 2023

Juvenile - Central Primary - Each child chose three crafts from past programs to make.

14 Children and 1 Adult

July 14, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "Group Hug" by Jean Reidy. We made masks of either a moose, an owl, a raccoon, or a black bear.

27 Children and 19 Adults

July 17, 2023

All Ages - Summer Reading Program - We held our end-of-summer-reading party at the Boaz Rec. Center pool. We served pizza and chips and had door prize drawings.

32 Children, 4 YA, and 23 Adults

July 18, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "How Do Dinosaurs Learn to be Kind?" by Jane Yolen. We made kindness traits with sunshine out of foam kits.

37 Children and 17 Adults

July 19, 2023

Preschool - Camp Boaz - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "How Do Dinosaurs Learn to be Kind?" by Jane Yolen. We made kindness traits with sunshine out of foam kits.

13 Children and 4 Adults

July 19, 2023

All Ages - STEAM Day - Everyone could make solar prints using plants, household objects, ribbons, and more. Then, everyone could draw with chalk.

9 Children, 4 YA, and 7 Adults

July 20, 2023

Juvenile - Academy of Early Learning - Each child drew with chalk on our sidewalks.

26 Children and 2 Adults

July 20, 2023

Juvenile - Central Primary - Each child drew with chalk on our sidewalks.

14 Children and 1 Adult

July 21, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "How Do Dinosaurs Learn to be Kind?" by Jane Yolen. We made kindness traits with sunshine out of foam kits.

40 Children and 27 Adults

July 22, 2023

All Ages - Everyone was invited to bring a pillow and a blanket, and we served popcorn and Kool-Aid while watching "The Bad Guys."

10 Children, 1 YA, and 4 Adults

July 25, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "A Small Kindness" by Stacy McNulty. We made kindness crowns out of construction paper and colored them.

23 Children and 20 Adults

July 27, 2023

Juvenile - Central Primary - We played Bingo with chances to win candy bars.

14 Children and 2 Adults

July 28, 2023

Preschool - Preschool Storytime - Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching, playing instruments, singing, and reading "A Small Kindness" by Stacy McAnulty. We made kindness crowns out of construction paper and colored them.

14 Children and 11 Adults

Passive Programs

BEAM	8
Family Room	75
Crafty Wagon	50
STEAM Area	60
Lego Tables	60
Floor Crossword	15
Kid's Gaming Computers	30
1,000 Books Before Kindergarten	18

Boaz Public Library
Teen & Adult
Programs & Activities
July 2023

July 3, 2023

Teens - Teen Tuesday - VHS and Journal Crafts - Ages 13-19 made VHS tape lights, purses, and pencil boxes. They also made journals out of old books.

3 Juvenile, 6 YA, 1 Adult

July 6, 2023

All Ages - Let's Cook Together - A member of the community did a demonstration about how to make traditional Italian cookies called Pizzelles. Patrons got to ask questions, sample food, and win door prizes.

21 Juvenile, 10 YA, 23 Adults

July 10, 2023

All Ages - Library Got Game - Patrons chose games to play from our wide selection of board games and were able to bring their own games to share.

3 Juvenile, 3 Adults

July 11, 2023

Adult - Dungeons & Dragons - Patrons participated in a fantasy role-playing game set in an imaginary world based loosely on medieval myth.

1 YA, 3 Adults

July 13, 2023

Adult - Lunch & Learn - Decorative Lanterns - Adults made decorative lantern home decor. Patrons brought their own lunch and we provided drinks and dessert.

1 Juvenile, 14 YA, 25 Adults

July 13, 2023

Teens - Teens Only Iced Coffee Mixer - Teens could come hang out with their friends and make new friends at this teens only event. We made them custom iced coffee drinks and served the drinks in a cool color changing cup that they got to take home with them.

4 Juvenile, 14 YA

July 14, 2023

Adults - Movie Day - We provided popcorn and drinks for patrons to enjoy while watching the movie "Mrs. Harris Goes to Paris".

2 Juvenile, 1 YA, 4 Adults

July 18, 2023

Teens - Anime Club - Teens and adults watched "First Squad" the movie while eating Japanese snacks.

1 Juvenile, 5 YA, 1 Adults

July 18, 2023

Adults - Genealogy Society Meeting - The subject for the month was 'What is new in Ancestry and tips on how to use them' with speaker Kathy Buttram.

7 Adults

July 20, 2023

All Ages - The Ukesters - All ages could come and enjoy a concert performed by The Ukesters Ukulele Band.

13 Juvenile, 3 YA, 12 Adults

July 24, 2023

Adults - Books & Brews Book Club - Patrons drank coffee and ate snacks while discussing the book "The Diamond Eye" by Kate Quinn.

4 Adults

July 25, 2023

Adults - Dungeons & Dragons - Patrons participated in a fantasy role-playing game set in an imaginary world based loosely on medieval myth.

1 YA, 2 Adults

July 25, 2023

Adults - Tuesday Trivia With Agatha Quiztie - Patrons tested their knowledge of "Disney Movies" while eating pizza and winning prizes.

7 Juvenile, 4 YA, 14 Adults

July 26 , 2023

Adults - Bingo - Patrons played the game Bingo for a chance to win prizes.

20 Juvenile, 3 YA, 23 Adults

July 27, 2023

All Ages - Book Swap - All ages could come and bring their own books to trade with other patrons.

5 YA, 2 Adults

July 28, 2023

Adults - Movie Day - We provided popcorn and drinks for patrons to enjoy while watching the movie "The War With Grandpa".

2 Adults

Passive Programs

Adult Coloring	25
Cook the Book	10
Purple Box Question	20
Tearable	12
Take Home Craft	10
Just For Fun	8
Book Notes	5
Kindness Cards	11
Ask a Librarian	18
Bright Spot	12
Selfie to the Shelfie	19
Golden Ticket	1