

**Boaz Public Library**  
**April 11, 2022**  
**Council Meeting**

**Statistics for March 2022**

**Total items checked out = 6,952**

**Digital items downloaded = 1,569**

**Internet uses = 750**

**New registered patrons = 64**

**Total programs = 24**

**Total attendance at programs = 876**

**Total library visits = 3,103**

**Announcements**

**The Friends of the Library is now a 501c3 organization and all donations are tax deductible. If you shop online via Amazon, a new and easy way to support the Library is by purchasing through [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) and choosing Friends of the Boaz Library as your charitable organization. Amazon will give a portion of eligible sales to the Friends to help toward library support and improvement.**

Monthly Report for Boaz Public Library: MARCH 2022			Director: Lynn Burgess
Material	Adult	YA	Juvenile
Books	2325	373	3303
Print Magazines	9	0	0
DVD	647	0	229
CD	53	0	2
Games	2	0	9
Microfilm	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3036</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>3543</b>

Electronic Circulation	Adult	YA	Juvenile
eBooks	806	41	155
eMagazines	73	0	0
Downloadable Audio	393	36	27
Streaming Video	31	0	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>1303</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>189</b>

<b>New Borrowers</b>	Adult: 39	YA: 8	Juvenile: 17
<b>Internet Usage</b>	Adult: 614	Juvenile: 12	Wireless: 124
<b>Interlibrary Loan</b>	Loaned: 0	Borrowed: 0	Total: 0
<b>Reference Questions</b>	Total: 680		
<b>Volunteer Hours</b>	Total: 0		

Library Resources	Added	Deleted
Books	415	17
CD's	100	0
DVD's	15	0
Other	0	0

Programs	Children 0-5	Juvenile 6-11	YA 12-18	Adult 19+	General All Ages	Total
In-Person - Onsite	5	3	1	1	2	12
Attendance	225	46	2	10	122	405
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	1	0	2	8	12
Attendance	10	15	0	11	435	471
Kit	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0

Grand Total Circulation	Total Internet	Total Electronic Circulation	Library Visits
6952	750	1569	3103



## Boaz Public Library

March 2022

### March 1, 2022

Preschool – Preschool Storytime – Mrs. Savannah and Mrs. Chelsea, dressed as The Cat in the Hat, led Storytime by marching and playing instruments, singing songs, and reading “The Cat in the Hat” by Dr. Seuss. We made our own Cat in the Hat’s out of construction paper and glue. Then, everyone could take a photo with the Cat.

36 children

22 adults

### March 1, 2022

Young Adults – Teen Tuesday – Teens printed out a photo of their choosing to make Faux Stained Glass. Then, they used puffy paint to outline their photo on one side of a picture frame glass. Flipped over, they then painted in their design with acrylic paint mixed with mod podge.

2 YA

### March 2, 2022

Juvenile – Homeschool Hangout – Mrs. Savannah led the children through a PowerPoint of Art Appreciation: Seurat & Van Gogh. We discussed a brief history of both artists, as well as some of their more famous pieces of work and how both artists were part of the Post-Impressionist movement. Then, they made their own Pointillism painting of a tree using paint and q-tips to create the dotting effect.

86 children

21 adults

### March 3, 2022

All Ages – Dr. Seuss Crafternoon – Everyone could make Dr. Seuss-themed crafts for Read Across America Week including: The Cat in the Party Hat, cupcake liner Lorax, cupcake liner Truffala Trees, tissue paper hot air balloons, Cat in the Hat hats, Daisy Head Maisy headbands, and more.

11 children

4 adults

### March 8, 2022

Preschool – Preschool Storytime – Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching and playing instruments, singing songs, and reading “Strange Planet: The Sneaking, Hiding, Vibrating Creature” by Nathan Pyle. We made aliens and flying saucers using construction paper and popsicle sticks.

27 children

17 adults

### March 10, 2022

Juvenile – Lego Day – Children made various types of pizza either from their imagination or from a paper guide.

15 children  
8 adults

### March 15, 2022

Preschool – Preschool Storytime – Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching and playing instruments, singing songs, and reading “Five Little Leprechauns” by Jeffrey Burton and “Ten Lucky Leprechauns” by Kathryn Heling and Deborah Hembrook. Each child colored their own Leprechaun coloring sheet to be displayed in the library for St. Patrick’s Day.

24 children  
13 adults

### March 15, 2022

Adults – Genealogy Program – The Boaz Chapter of the Northeast Alabama Genealogical Society met for their monthly meeting.

10 adults

### March 17, 2022

Juvenile – Third Thursday Thrills – Children picked out a photo to make Faux Stained Glass. Then, they used puffy paint to outline their photo on one side of a picture frame glass. Flipped over, they then painted in their design with acrylic paint mixed with mod podge.

7 children  
4 adults

### March 22, 2022

Preschool – Preschool Storytime – Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching and playing instruments, singing songs, and reading “Pete the Cat’s Groovy Imagination” by Kimberly & James Dean. We made submarines using brown paper bags and construction paper.

22 children  
14 adults

### March 29, 2022

Preschool – Preschool Storytime – Mrs. Savannah led Storytime by marching and playing instruments, singing songs, and reading “Chez Bob” by Bob Shea. We made alligator chefs using construction paper and glue sticks.

31 children  
19 adults

March 31, 2022

Juvenile – IditaRead Challenge Party – Kids who participated in the reading challenge were invited to have snacks and build their own stuffed husky. Those who completed the reading challenge were awarded a completion certificate.

8 children

4 adults

Passive Programs

BEAM	15
Crafty Wagon	75
STEAM Area	100
Lego Tables	102
Game & Puzzle Closet	8
Clover Hide & Seek	101
Question of the Month	13
Adult March Madness	9
IditaRead Challenge	15
1,000 Books Before Kindergarten	10
Cook the Book	2
Puzzle	21