

Library Director's Report Marianne Beck Memorial Library For the Month of August 2024

Statistics for August 2024:

Digital: 334, KOHA: 1,890 **Total:** 2,224. Items borrowed from other libraries: 414, items loaned to other libraries: 437. There were 56 computer sessions in August. Cloud library, which will be replacing Libby within the year had 271 checkouts. 13 residents received new library cards. A total of 4,838 residents visited the library in July. The library has 13,818 items in our collection.

Lake County Library System Update:

The process of switching internet providers from Summit to Comcast is still ongoing. No further updates at this time.

Funds collected for August:

Copies/Fax: \$85.45 **Fines:** 73.30 Total: \$158.75

Activities during the month of August:

August is usually one of our quieter months due to the start of school. Trivia night was held on the second Friday; 20 patrons attended. AARP held their driving course on August 14th and 15th in the LEC. Election Day was held on August 19th 7am until 7pm. 352 resident voted. A local nonprofit called New Vision, held a class on the 22nd that introduced people with vision impairment to new technology that would assist them in their everyday lives.

Total Program Attendance for August: 410 patrons.

Respectively Submitted,

Tara Hall Library Director