



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

Statistics for October 2024:

Digital: 281, KOHA: 1,840 **Total:** 2,121. Items borrowed from other libraries: 398, items loaned to other libraries: 403. There were 78 computer sessions in September. 18 residents received new library cards. A total of 4,258 residents visited the library in October. The current holdings in our library are 14,008.

Lake County Library System Update:

There will be no Library Director's meeting in December due the State Library Public Director's Assembly in Tallahassee; December 12th and 13th. In January the Directors will begin to discuss possible impact fee applications for 2025.

Funds collected for October:

Copies/Fax: \$73.35 **Fines:** \$74.90 **Total:** \$148.25

Activities during the month of October:

The library was closed for two days due to Hurricane Milton. October 18th the FOL hosted a "Meet and Greet" for the incoming new council members. 55 local citizens attended. Mike Ertel was MC for the event. The town hosted the Halloween Bash this year on October 26th. Approximately 110 to 120 kids participated. I would like to thank all those who attended and gave their time to volunteer. The Trivia night, hosted by Jim Steele was attended by 33 residents.

Total Program Attendance for October: 368 patrons.

Respectively Submitted,

Tara Hall
Library Director