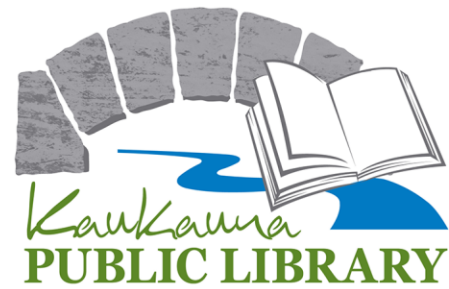


To: Kaukauna Public Library Board of Trustee
From: Library Director Ashley Thiem-Menning
Date: 6/16/2026
Re: Community Partnership



We had another large-scale donation from Trim Hunger! This came at a time when the pantry was quite low.

Thank you to Kaukauna Utilities and Associated Bank for sponsoring the Summer Feeding Program! The library started putting out lunches on June 8. We serve from 11a-1p Monday through Saturday. On June 25, Associated Bank will be volunteering at the library, and as part of their volunteer tasks, they will be packing a significant number of lunches for us, so we are prepared for most of the summer.

The Friends of the Library have purchased some additional shelving units for us, which Associated Bank volunteers will build, which will line the staff hallway, so we have a place to store the lunches. When we do not have lunches to store, that space will be used as overflow storage, as we have completely run out of space in the workroom.

As part of the Strategic Planning process, we now have our paper surveys out on the floor. Thank you to Yenny for translating it into Spanish for us! The survey will go live online soon as well!

Jenny conducted our first focus group with our Daytime Book Discussion group, which had a lot of wonderful ideas. We have two more focus groups this month, one with our Friday card players, and one with our garden storytime families. Thank you to the Board members who signed up to conduct these!

