

**Lester Public Library
Director's Report
April 2022**

News

- A water leak was identified April 15 by the copier near the help desk. In operation, the new humidifier expels water into a floor drain. The drain pipes had blockage, when Maritime Plumbing ran a snake to free the blockage the snake broke off in the pipes. Maritime Plumbing cut out a piece of the drain pipe and retrieved the snake while removing the blockage. The leak has been repaired.
- Lisa Krall, Custodian, is seeking quotes for front door repair/replacement. After 25 years of building shifting and wear and tear, the front doors are becoming drafty during winter months and difficult to secure upon closing. Three quotes are in the packet.
- The Spring Lester Public Library Foundation Book Sale was a success with a grand total of \$968.00. After sales tax, the library and the Library Foundation split came to \$459.80 each.
- The roof repair project is slated to begin the second week of May.
- Data from the Above Average Reading Challenge - 56 people earned their Above Average Reader bag (to earn the bag readers must read 13 books), 40 have picked them up. 5 people have already read 52 books to earn their Superior Reader badge. There are 141 people registered for the program. There are 252 participating in the winter reading challenges.

Library Foundation

- April was the Annual Meeting where the Lester Public Library Foundation Board approved the 2022 allocation to the Library at \$47,286.00.
- Officers approved for year 2022/2023: Collette Tegen, President; Teri Wagner, Vice President; Bob Fay, Treasurer; and Stephanie Carpenter, Secretary.

Library Legislation – No Report

Activities

04/04/22 – Two Rivers City Council Meeting
04/05/22 – CPR Training and Certification, City Hall
04/06/22 – Lester Bentley Committee, transfer Stations of the Cross from the Hamilton Wood Type Museum to St. Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church
04/06/22 – Educational Horizons Foundation Board Meeting, Two Rivers High School
04/07/22 – Two Rivers Business Association Meeting
04/07/22 – Lester Public Library Management Team Meeting
04/08/22 – Two Rivers Parks and Recreation Director Candidates Interviews
04/12/22 – City of Two Rivers Room Tax Commission Meeting
04/12/22 – Lester Public Library Board Meeting

04/13/22 – Lester Public Library All Staff Meeting
04/13/22 – City Department Heads Meeting
04/14/22 – City of Two Rivers Safety Committee Meeting
04/18/22 – Help Desk Shift
04/18/22 – Two Rivers City Council Meeting
04/19/22 – Lester Public Library Foundation Board Annual Meeting
04/19/22 – Two Rivers City Council Re-Organization Meeting
04/27/22 – City Department Heads Meeting
04/28/22 – Met with Peter Crabbe, Director of the Hamilton Wood Type and Printing
Museum
04/28/22 – Lester Public Library Management Team Meeting
04/28/22 – Met with Lester Public Library Board of Trustees Vice President, David
Pennefeather

Jeff Dawson, Director, Lester Public Library 05/02/2022