

## Programming & Makerspace Librarian Report

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### Programs:

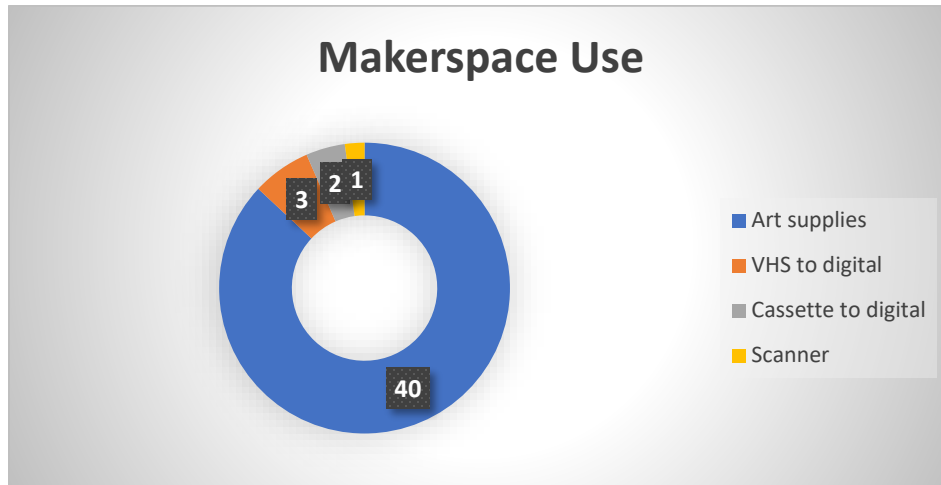
- 3/12: The Magic of Oz\* (5)
- 3/14: Baby Play Date (10)
- 3/19: Winter Sowing\* (25)
- 3/20: Reflect & Realign Guided Journaling (16)
- 3/21: This is Knot Fun take/make (30)
- 3/21: Little Makers (22) – Walworth Co. Head Start attended
- 3/21: Caregiver GPS (0)
- 3/25: Spring Break Game Day (42)
- 3/25: Mindful Mondays Book Club (6)
- 3/26: Spring Break Art Day (53)
- 3/27: Storytime (8)
- 3/27: Spring Break LEGO Day\* (54)
- 3/28: Baby Play Date (14)
- 3/28: Spring Break STEM Day\* (22)
- 4/1: Eclipse Viewing Glasses grab & go (250)
- 4/3: Storytime (3)
- 4/4: Little Makers (13)
- 4/4: Money Smart Kids Storytime w/PremierBank (0)
- 4/8: Solar Eclipse Viewing Party\* (42 + we gave out an additional 58 glasses)
- 4/9: Hora del cuento en español/Spanish storytime (12)
- 4/9: Mark Maas author visit\* (19)
- 4/10: Storytime (16)

\*Deana assisted

### Upcoming Programs:

- 4/16: Spring take/make craft for kids
- 4/17-5/15 on Wednesdays: Storytime
- 4/18 and 5/16: Caregiver GPS
- 4/22 and 5/13: Mindful Mondays Book Club
- 4/23: This is Knot Fun take/make
- 4/24: Reflect & Realign Guided Journaling
- 4/25 and 5/9: Baby Play Date
- 4/25 and 5/16: Maker Club
- 4/29: Music & Art Wonder Club
- 5/2: Money Smart Kids Storytime with PremierBank
- 5/4: Whitewater Storytelling Festival take/make
- 5/6: Goats take/make craft for kids

- 5/7: Tree Troubles/Spongy Moth presentation
- 5/11: Sing, Dance, Thrive
- 5/14: When Life Gives You Cucumbers, Make Pickles take/make
- 5/18: Attending H.S. STEAM Faire



Makerspace Training Appointments: 1.5 hours

Total Makerspace Use: 46

Equipment & Technology:

- The cassette to digital issue is fixed.
- I withdrew all of the quilt patterns that we had available for circulation. Nobody uses them and they take up a lot of space. They will be available for patrons for free for a time period, and then will be donated.

Donations:

- Protect Wisconsin Waterways donated 10 books.
- PremierBank donated 2 children's books.
- Mark Maas donated a signed copy of his book, "One Team /One Family" for the collection.

Other Updates:

- April newsletter was sent out to 112 subscribers.
- Small display case for April – National Poetry Month.

Meetings:

3/13: Kelsey from Associated Bank (re: Financial Literacy programming)

3/13: Staff meeting

3/15: Building Committee meeting

3/20: Staff meeting

3/25: WLA Intellectual Freedom Special Interest Group meeting

3/28: Staff meeting

4/10: Staff meeting

Professional Development:

- Infosec: Spearfishing
- *The 12 Steps to a Community-Led Library* by Barbakoff and Lenstra (ALA Editions, 2024)