## **Library Report**

Dates included: April 1, 2025 - April 30, 2025

Circulation Statistics: 4,368 Checkouts (up 797 from April 2024)

Cards issued: 77 total new cards | 41 in-person cards | 36 website sign-ups

Materials Added: 42 Items Value: \$1,018.65

Materials Weeded: 296 Items Value: \$3,620.08

Overdrive (WT Digital Consortium) – 3,940 eBooks, 3,665 eAudiobooks, and 508 eMagazines

Overdrive New User Registrations – 41 new users

Total number of visitors: 2,707 (up 198 from April 2024)

Total number of computer users: 133

Total number of reference questions: 704

Meeting Room reservations: 22

Program totals: 40 Total Programs: (24 more programs than April 2024)

Family - 13 | Preschool - 12 | School Age - 4 | Teen - 1 | Adult - 2 | Outreach - 8 | Passive - 0 |

Total Participation: 719 Total (247 more than April 2024) | 117 Giveaways (sponsored by Literacy Lubbock)

367 Babies/Toddlers (0-5) | 29 Children (6-11) | 5 Teens (12-18) | 318 adults

Volunteer Hours: 11:17 hours

All library staff have been actively preparing for our annual summer reading program that will kick-off on May 30<sup>th</sup> with a community-wide event at Patterson Park. We will have food trucks, BigFoot Foam, and art stations run by library staff and volunteers. We will be helping families get library cards and get signed up for our summer reading programs that will run through June and July. This is our first year hosting a summer reading kick-off event instead of a party at the end of summer, but due to excessive heat the past two years, we have chosen to try something a little different. We are hopeful that this will give our community a fun, family-friendly event to start the summer months and encourage them to continue reading and learning through the summer.

We had our first meeting with 720 Design to begin work on our Master Plan on April 14 to go over our goals, schedule, and planning strategies for community input. A large portion of the discussion was focused on the library's service area and population growth for Wolfforth and the immediate county area around us. This growth will have a large impact on our master plan and how we prepare to continue serving our community in the next 15-20 years. The next phase of our planning with be discussing our space needs, conducting environmental scans, and preparing for our community input surveys. We are preparing to begin community input surveys in June and running them for 4-6 weeks, which will allow us to promote these surveys during our summer reading programs and at our booth at Wolfforth 4<sup>th</sup> on the 5<sup>th</sup>. Our hope is to get as much feedback as possible from the community as possible to ensure that we are prepared to meet the needs of our residents for many years to come. The current schedule should have us presenting the final master plan in late September or early October.















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## MAY 30, 2025 @ 6PM PATTERSON PARK WOLFFORTH

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