

Director's Report
Rusk County Community Library
April 12, 2022

General: 2 Take and Make bags: 60, Teen Night: 6, March Beanstack: 15 participants read 18,812 minutes. Storytime Trail was updated for the first time this year and 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten will be starting in April. Adult programs had 6 for live program for Wallace Grange presentation and 97 video views. 50 for the live Magic of Meditation Badger Talk and 93 video views.

Budget: On track so far!

Meetings: Christinna attended a Dept. Head meeting, conducted a staff meeting, a County board meeting and a Director's Council meeting, in addition to training with IFLS coordinators on ILL and other resources, an adult programming meeting and several webinars.

Valerie attended her first PBS meeting and several webinars.

Staff & Volunteers: We have had one volunteer return on Mondays from 10:30am-12pm, mainly to help with shelving.

Planning: Work on the roof/exterior of the building and on HVAC now slated to begin sometime in April as long as the weather warms up but no definitive date yet. Our Workplace Culture, Communication and Teamwork date has been set for May 3rd.

Other:

Statistics **Upper Level:** 1410 **Lower Level:** --

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>
Checkouts	2,538 (15)	4,550 (10)
Checkins	2,286 (17)	4,315 (8)
Renewals	1,347 (10)	2,368 (8)
Total Circulation	3,885	6,918
Items Borrowed	1,447 (10)	1,673 (9)
Items Lent	1,714 (13)	1,520 (12)
Net Difference	267	-153
% Locally-owned Checkouts	42.99%	63.23%
New Patrons	2 (39)	25 (18)
New Items	230 (14)	384 (6)
Pharos Sessions	47 (13)	239 (7)
Wireless Sessions	990 (19)	501 (11)
Overdrive Checkout	1,261 (11)	1,273 (11)
Freeding Checkout	6 (20)	3 (19)
Website Pageviews	1,285 (14)	1,625 (14)

