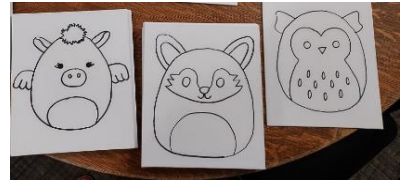


RECAP

<u>Program</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Audience</u>	<u>0-5 yrs.</u>	<u>6-12y</u>	<u>13-17y</u>	<u>18+</u>	<u>Total</u>
Storytime	7/10	0-10 yrs.	5	1	1	3	10
Storytime	7/17	0-10 yrs.	4	3		3	10
Storytime	7/24	0-10 yrs.	5	1	1	4	11
Dan Butler	7/9	13-18 yrs.			8		
Squishmallow painting	7/16	All Ages	5	25	5	20	55
DAVE the GREAT SHOW	7/17	5-12 yrs.					25
Teen Choice Movie	7/18	13-18 yrs.			4		4
Family Movie Wonka w/ Candy buffet	7/25	All Ages	1	10	2	2	15
Scavenger Hunt	7/1-7/6	0-10 yrs.					51
Scavenger Hunt	7/8-7/13	0-10 yrs.					27
Scavenger Hunt	7/15-7/22	0-10 yrs.					67
Scavenger Hunt	7/22-7/27	0-10 yrs.					38

- Summer Reading Program (SRP) registration started June 26th and tracking started July 1st. We exceeded our goal of 100 summer reading participants and ran out of our free gifts before the first week of registration was over. A full report will be available in September.
- We now have 400 subscribers on our newsletter mailing list. Our summer newsletter had 350 views as of July 27th. This is up from 150 views in 2022 and 175 views in 2023.
- Dan Bulter’s Digital Comic class had 8 teens attend. We borrowed iPads from GoArt! so it was completely hands-on. The teens very much enjoyed it and we had a lot of interest from patrons ages 11- 13 years old as well. Offering another program targeted at this age group is under consideration. This program was made possible with funds from the Statewide Community Re grants Program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature and administered by the Arts Council for Wyoming County.
- Our summer programs so far have been very well attended and well received by the community.
 - Scavenger Hunts are as popular as ever, with a new one every week this summer.

- Dave the Powerful put on a **fantastic** magic show for a full house. This was a registration only event that was so popular it generated a wait list.
- Our afternoon movies continue to be popular as well. On the 18th the teens enjoyed bubble tea and mochi while watching a Harry Potter movie in the Gallery. On the 25th, families select candy from a candy buffet to eat while watching the newest *Wonka* movie.
- Our squishmallow painting set a new program record with 30 *artists*. We once again had patrons waiting in the Children's Library for seat to open up in the Gallery to paint. A HUGE thank you to Briana who drew squishmallows on each canvas.



OUTREACH

- Our free summer lunch program started July 8th and we quickly had to contact Mt. Morris to request more lunches. For the last two years we served approximately 25 to 30 meals, four days a week. This year, we are serving an average of 40 meals a day, with many days serving 45 meals. We are so fortunate for this program and for the members of our local Rotary chapter who volunteer to deliver the lunches to the library four days a week throughout the summer.

FACILITIES/ COLLECTION

- We received our AAC board. We are still figuring out where best to mount it for maximum exposure and ease of use. Until then, I have started to use it during storytime so that it is a familiar resource. A few teachers that have attended storytime this summer commented on how great it was to see in the library and we are brainstorming ways we can collaborate next year.
- The VOX books titles have been selected and will be ordered in the near future. We have applied for an OWWL Libraries Inclusive Collections Aid and if we receive the grant, 15 beginner chapter VOX books will be added to our collections. Charging the iPads for our digital comic class and borrowing a few books from other libraries gave us a lot of insight as to the logistics of circulating and charging the VOX books. We are on track to have them circulating before the year's end.

FUTURE PLANS

- We are opening up our fabric bookmark program on August 27th to anyone over the age of 13 years old. Participants are encouraged to bring their own sewing machine and extension cord.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- OWWLUG, June 28th, (2 hr.)