

Leland Township Public Library

Director's Report April 2022

ACTIVITY and COLLECTIONS: Attached

PROGRAMS:

April 8, Storytime (7)
April 15, Storytime (12)
April 22, Library Book Club (2)
April 21, National Lakeshore Movie in Association with Historical Society (39)
April 22, Storytime (22)
April 28, Birding Program (37)
April 29, Storytime (21)
May 1, Birding Program Field Trip (10)
May 6, Storytime
May 12, Organic Gardening at Home with Richard Allen
May 13, Storytime
May 16, Job Fair at LPS in association with Leland School and Leland Chamber
May 19 Library Book Club
May 20, Storytime
May 25, Renewable Energy 101 in association with Leelanau Energy
May 27 Storytime

PROGRAMS

The birding program and had a great turnout, and even more impressive is 10 people turned out the following Sunday morning at 7:30am to go on the associated field trip.

We are teaming with Leland School and the Leland Chamber of Commerce for a Job Fair at the School on May 16.

FRIENDS & VOLUNTEERS

The next meeting of the Friends is on May 12.

BUILDING & GROUNDS

The water softener was given a 6 month service using a resin cleaner. The technicians instructed me on how to do this and left resin cleaner for use in 6 more months. This will save us the cost of a service call (\$220) twice a year, all I will need to do is order the cleaner.

TECHNOLOGY

I received permission from the Leland Township Board to mount the large screen TV in the Munnecke Room at their regular meeting on April 11. It is scheduled to be installed by Netlink Business Systems on Tuesday May 10.

BUDGET INFORMATION:

Reports for April 2022 are attached with this report. With 8% of the FY elapsed, we have spent 10% of the budget.

MISCELLANEOUS

We are teaming with the Title 1 program at the Leland School to get library cards to students in the program that are learning English or speak another language at home (Spanish). After speaking with the other Leelanau County library directors we are going to try to reach out to the Migrant Headstart program to see if we can continue this program with them. Much of this effort will be to give these students access to our online digital resources.

The library received 300 COVID testing kits from MDHHS to distribute for free. In three weeks we have given out about 100 kits.

Submitted by Mark Morton