



**Director's Report to Board of Trustees  
July 7, 2025 Regular Meeting**

**Lyla Grills Reporting**

**Meetings attended: MCLS Directors Council 6/4, Friends of MPL meeting 6/10, BOT Budget Committee meeting 6/23**

- Library windows will be cleaned by Fish Windows on July 11.
- Our carpet/floor/furniture cleaner retired! We are in the process of getting quotes from some new cleaners.
- Patron Point dynamic content text and email notices have been rolled out. Patron Point also includes a newsletter creator we will transition to using.
- Honeoye Falls Vest Pocket Park (Totem Pole Park) was selected as a site for a solar table from the Wired for Opportunity grant. This table will provide a charging station and free wifi.
- Adirondack chairs were ordered from LL Bean and arrived last week.
- No trustees have completed any training forms so far this year. Here are two upcoming THBC trainings: *Recruiting & Retaining Quality Staff*- Tuesday, July 15, 5:00-6:30 pm; *Next Level Trusteeship: Building an Effective and Impactful Board Culture* – Tuesday, November 18, 5:00-6:30 pm.

**Programming Highlights for June 2025 – Kelly P. Reporting**

Kids: June saw us gearing up to roll out our Summer Reading Program. We put up our decorations, gathered our materials, finished up our craft kits and crossed our fingers that our community will appreciate all the fun things we have planned. When June 11th came, we had several “full” Summer Reading events! The Kickoff Magic Party on June 25th will get the fun started. Journals will be handed out, reading fun and creativity will be promoted!

We’re super excited to have some new folks joining us for programs this summer. Sand Art Mandala Artist Katie Jo Suddaby, Magician Nick Mambretti, Truck Day at Local Municipal Garages, Plein Air Paint Out with the Mill Arts Center, News 8 Meteorologist James Gilbert, and a MAGconnect Field Trip are just a few of the totally new programs/events. Further into the summer, we’ll welcome Captain Jack for the first time, and offer a puppet workshop with NYS Puppet Festival’s Josh Rice.

We’re super thankful for all the partnerships we’ve developed for Summer Reading. Local groups and businesses have stepped forward to offer prizes and our monetary support. Here’s a list of our generous community partners:

Summer Reading 2025 Sponsors

Masters, \$1000 and Up

The Friends of Mendon Public Library

Emerging, \$500-\$999

M&T Bank (Program Sponsorship)  
 Memorial Art Gallery (2 guest passes) (Program Sponsorship)  
 Mill Art Center (Program Sponsorship)  
 Salvatores (Gift Cards for Readers - \$3 for 150 readers)  
 Creative, \$100-\$499  
 20 Deep Winery (program sponsorship/wine tastings coupons)  
 Canandaigua Sailboard (10 1-Hour Passes)  
 Dipper Dan (\$1 Dipper Dollars for 120 readers)  
 Genesee Country Village and Museum (Family Four Pack)  
 Honeoye Falls Marketplace (1-\$50.00 HFMP Gift Card Adult Price, 4-\$25.00 Gift Cards Teen Prizes, and 150-Donut Gift Cards = Total Value \$300)  
 Kiwanis (Hoping they come through with Kona Ice Truck)  
 Rochester Americans (4 Tickets)  
 Rochester Knighthawks (4 Tickets)  
 Rochester Museum and Science Center (Family Fun Pack, 2 Free Admission Passes)  
 Seabreeze (6 Free Weekday Passes)  
 Seneca Park Zoo (4 Free Passes)  
 Strong Museum of Play (2-1 child/1 adult passes, 4 child passes)  
 Yoga Love (Gift Card to Yoga Love)  
 Teen Involvement: Emily English continues to amaze us with her tremendous creativity and planning abilities. We're excited that she'll have at least two teen offerings each week during Summer Reading. Her mastery of the Cricut machine is impressive and helped up create awesome prizes for Summer Reading. Teens will be assisting with our programs as volunteers. Adults: Our Adult Book Display will feature the colors of the Rainbow for "Color Our World" at the Mendon Public Library. Additionally, The Friends have sponsored the purchase of several pocket U.S. Constitutions. We will display these in our main lobby through July or until they are gone. Additionally, our Sand Art Mandala program will allow us to share a sand art installation through early July. We're hoping everyone will enjoy this special way we're adding color to our world.

**Library Visits**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>
<b>Jan</b>	2912	3315	3288	3549	1763	1061	3444	3713	3288
<b>Feb</b>	3297	3387	3090	3292	2006	1011	3258	3928	3594
<b>March</b>	3917	3840	3852	1982	2776	2046	3892	4229	4189
<b>April</b>	3946	3954	4286	0	2490	1905	3765	4113	4061
<b>May</b>	3664	3629	3902	0	2203	1487	3707	3904	3526
<b>June</b>	4076	4126	3748	0	2984	1696	3652	3914	4015
<b>July</b>	4292	4741	5134	4503?	3319	1759	4139	4903	
<b>Aug</b>	4730	4296	4399	1982	3062	3610	4649	4118	
<b>Sept</b>	3383	3358	3965	3462	2587	1902	3891	3743	
<b>Oct</b>	3887	3766	3996	2633	2351	2000	3749	4194	
<b>Nov</b>	3074	3429	3328	2507	2247	3050	3532	3556	
<b>Dec</b>	2698	2970	2512	2108	1663	2794	3219	3406	
<b>Total</b>	<b>43876</b>	<b>44811</b>	<b>45500</b>	<b>21515</b>	<b>29451</b>	<b>24321</b>	<b>44897</b>	<b>47721</b>	<b>22673</b>

## Circulations

	Mendon
June	
Charge/Renew	4,621
Catalog Plus	140
Auto-Renewal	2,297
Overdrive	2,086
June 2025	9,144
June 2024	9,561
Gain/Loss	(417)
Percentage	-4%