

Library Director's Report by Anne Billeter
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LIBRARY and LIBRARIANS

- The Library opened July 12, 2021 for the first time since March 14, 2020, 3 hours per day, Monday – Saturday, 1 – 4 p.m., for a total of 54 open hours in July.
- One new librarian, Cathy Ullrich, received training while working 2 shifts with Anne Billeter.
- 25 returning librarians and 3 new librarians received 2 hour refresher training.
- 28 librarians worked a total of 126 hours.
- Librarians are credited with 3 ½ volunteer hours for each 3 hour shift, as they are asked to arrive 15 minutes prior to opening and to carry out closing procedures for 15 minutes after closing.
- Number of patrons per day varied from 0 - 6.

MY HERITAGE USAGE STATISTICS

Month	Searches	Pages	Records	Sessions
2020 January	631	1400	448	60
2020 February	475	1051	341	50
2020 March *	202	402	112	20
2020 April **	511	800	302	37
2020 May	894	1982	603	84
2020 June	461	898	209	49
2020 July	756	1537	421	53
2020 August	421	837	219	58
2020 September	545	936	272	53
2020 October	342	808	284	53
2020 November	345	1164	494	57
2020 December	272	1242	575	47
2021 January	217	779	235	42
2021 February	534	681	147	41
2021 March	728	1070	241	48
2021 April	1284	1289	168	31
2021 May	627	1005	270	43
2021 June	627	1410	433	64
2021 July	251	405	167	21

*JCGL only open 2 weeks

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