## Library Director's Report Marianne Beck Memorial Library For the Month of January 2017

## **Statistics for January**

The library was open for 25 days in the month of January. Volunteer hours totaled 127.85 hrs. We had 248 patrons used our computers in the month of January. 1598 items were sign out from our library in January. A total of 149 e-books and magazines were checked out in January. The library has a total of 11,357 items. 23 new patrons in January.

## **Funds collected for January**

Copies/Fax: \$188.60 Fines: \$101.70 Total: \$290.30 FOL: \$118.90

## Activities during the month of January

The library hosted a Fireman Program in January. The program explained the many services the Fire Department offers besides just putting out fires. Heidi Lott held a second essential oils class in January. Chef Warren returned with a class on how to cook seafood. We had 29 patrons in attendance, all taking notes and learning how to cook Tuna steaks. A new resident has stepped up and volunteered to do story time every Friday at 2pm. She is teaching a new word each week along with a story and craft.

We have been working hard on the Health Fair that we will host on February 11<sup>th</sup> 11-2pm. We will have approximately 10 stations available for patrons to visit. Included are blood pressure checks, dental information, the Department of Health. Yoga, music, exercise and much more.

I have begun to plan our summer reading program. This year it will be held the five Thursdays in June as school will release this year in May. The elementary theme is "Build". It will concentrate on engineering and building of structures. The teen theme will be "Blueprints of Leadership" and will introduce the teens to how to be good leaders through building exercises.

Respectively submitted, Tara Hall Library Director

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