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Library Board Meeting
Thursday, September 21, 2023
7:00pm-8:00pm (ET)
Margaret Dundon Reading Room

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of Minutes from August 17, 2023 meeting

4. Public Participation *(limited to 5 minutes)*

5. Librarian's Report
   a. Circulation
   b. Calendar of events
   c. Budget Report
   d. Book Bills
   e. Friends of the Library
   f. Sustainable Shelves
   g. Beanstack

6. Committee Reports
   a. Finance Committee

7. Communications

8. Unfinished Business
   a. Requested 2024 Library Budget

9. New Business

10. Public Participation *(limited to 5 minutes)*

11. Date of next meeting: Thursday, October 19, 2023 at 7:00 pm

12. Adjournment

Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library

Board Minutes August 17, 2023

Present: Elyse Bertucci, Darren Boldt, Paul Olson, Kaylee Reno and Brooke Routhier. Jesse Shirtz, Library Director was present. Absent: none; Public: none.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM.

Motion by Darren Boldt and second by Kaylee Reno to approve the June 15, 2023 meeting minutes as presented. Motion passed.

Public Participation: none.

Librarian's Report:

Jesse Shirtz, Library Director, presented the monthly library report for June and July. Summer reading program ran from June 13 through August 5 and exceeded 150,000 minutes of reading with a total of 248,966 minutes. The door counter at the upper door remains failed but has been repaired and will be sent back. The Children's room counter is still functional. The City Council has approved replacing both air conditioning units (7-8 years old) that failed at the start of warm weather. NICE District second graders visited the library and were able to get library cards. Adult outreach is continuing at the Senior Center and Bell Hospital. A book club is being started at the Senior Center. The Townships are also being coordinated with for outreach events for information and library card registering. These outreach efforts have increased registrations and library card!

- Circulation: Circulation and attendance was up over the summer. June was the highest month of circulated items ever recorded.
- Calendar of events was included. There are a lot of activities including Homeschool Hangout.
- Budget report: There is no budget report this month from the City but will be available for next month. Presented with invoice copies. Book invoices were reviewed, and the summary was signed by the library board.
- Association of Friends of the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library (FOL) is now officially a nonprofit.
- Sustainable Shelves: Model has been changed to exclude recycle – only books for resale will be accepted for credit. Discussion of alternative methods to recycle were discussed such as a donation box for books designated as to be recycled.
- Beanstack: Information on accounts and activities was provided by age group. Very nice increase from the summer reading program.

Committee Reports: None

Communications: Summer Reading Program donations were received from Pizza Hut and River Rock Lanes. The City Council liaison inquired is there an attendance expectation from the Library Board. Discussed that the city council liaison is welcome at any meeting at their discretion. Budget and policy discussions would be of particular interest for the Council.

Unfinished Business:

- Tousignant donation: no update
- The Children's room redesign (Friends will cover up to $15,000 for the renovation plan). No update this month.
- Future Building maintenance/upgrades were discussed for potential 5 year planning:

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    - Ramp condition
    - Roof repair
    - heating system repairs
    - Front steps deterioration
    - Tile repair
    - Ivy growing on west wall – does it need to be removed?
    - Picture rail for donated art display – more items would be able to be displayed
    - Interior design assistance for the YA reading area
- Policy manual review, revision and updating will resume in September.
- Develop a list of potential "enhancement and enrichment" that would be in the spirit of the Tousignant family donation. A definition of the spirit of the donation should be developed.

New Business:

- MI Right to Read presentation. Provided as informational. The library has already implemented the policy and governance suggestions that the MI Right to Read recommends.
- Requested 2024 Library Budget. Budget was discussed as well as the process and timing to provide the budget to the City Council. The request includes more Children's Room librarian hours. The Finance Committee will meet before the next meeting.
- Discuss potential beautification of the land immediately surrounding the library.

Public Participation: None

Next meeting is September 21, 2023 7:00PM in person at the Library.

A motion was made by Brooke Routhier and seconded by Elyse Bertucci at 8:32 PM to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by,

Brooke Routhier

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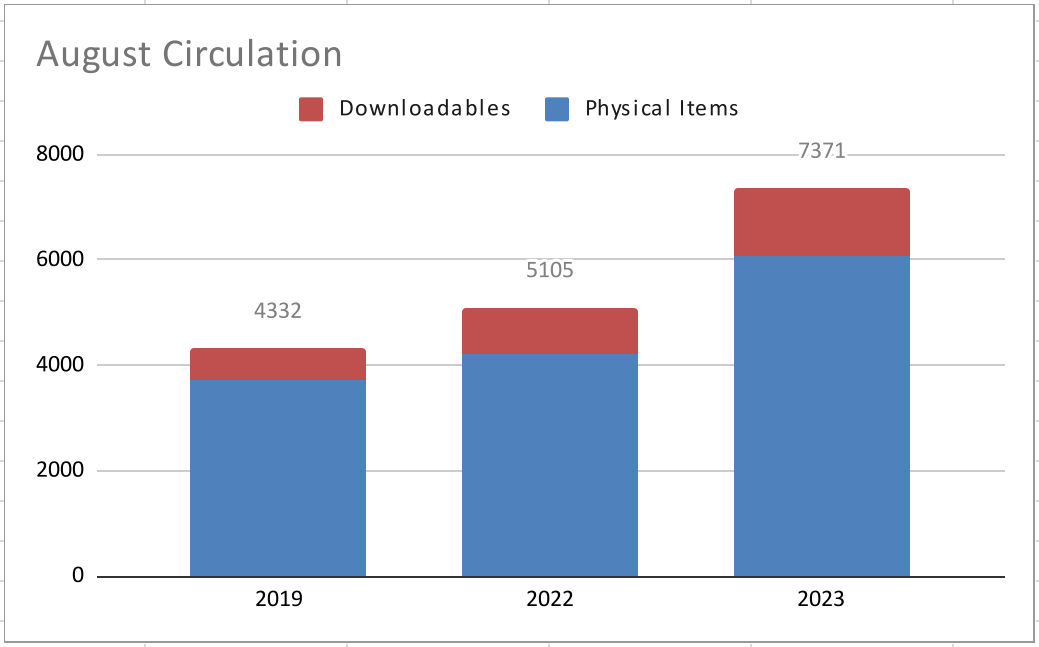
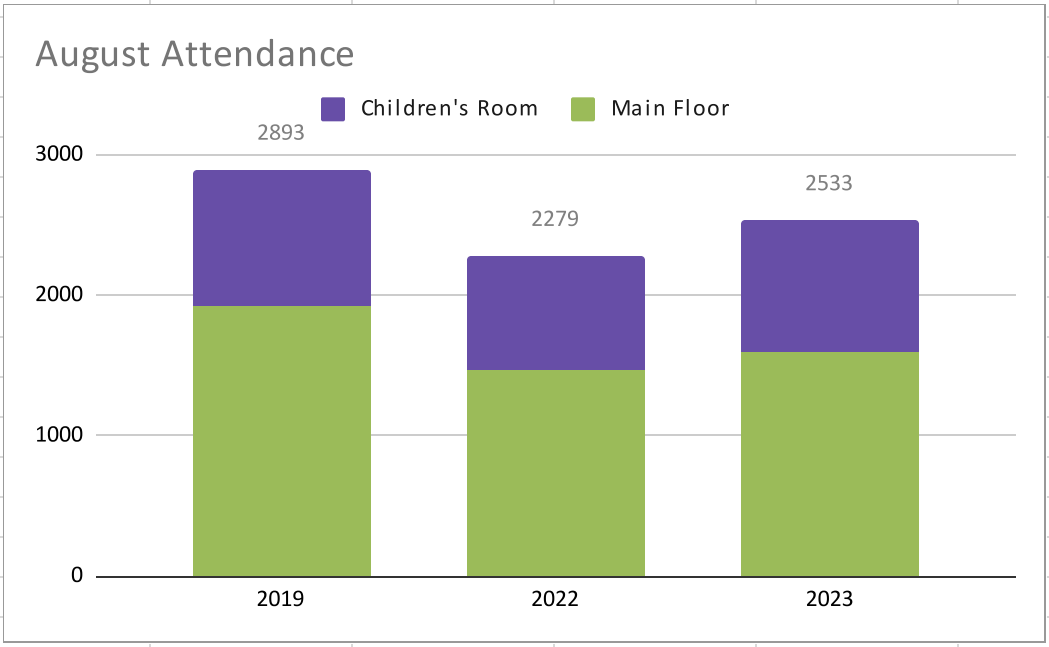
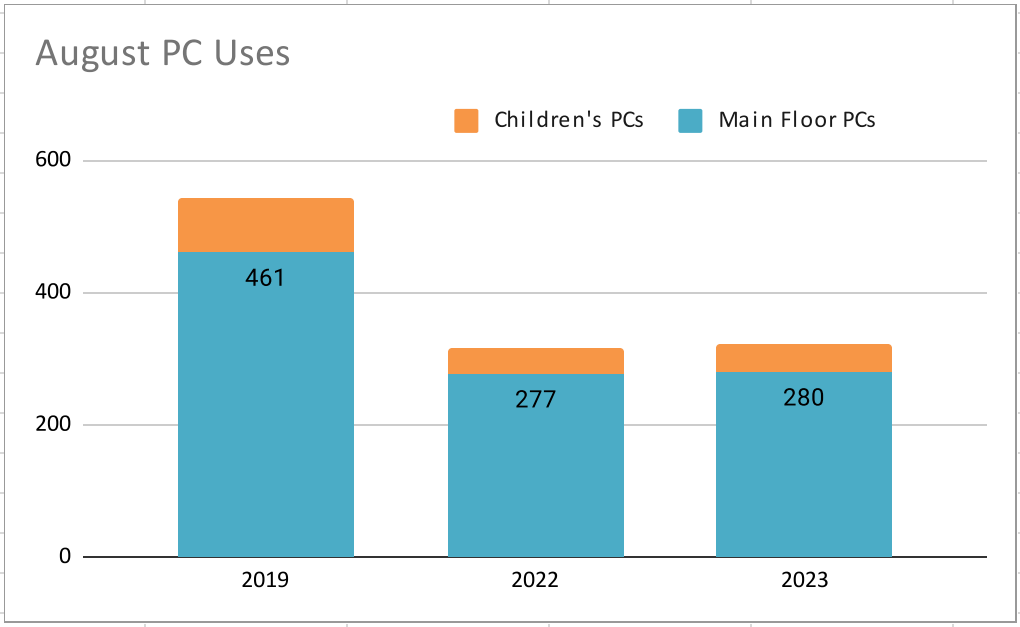
Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library

Monthly Report

September 2023



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Children's PCs
Main Floor PCs
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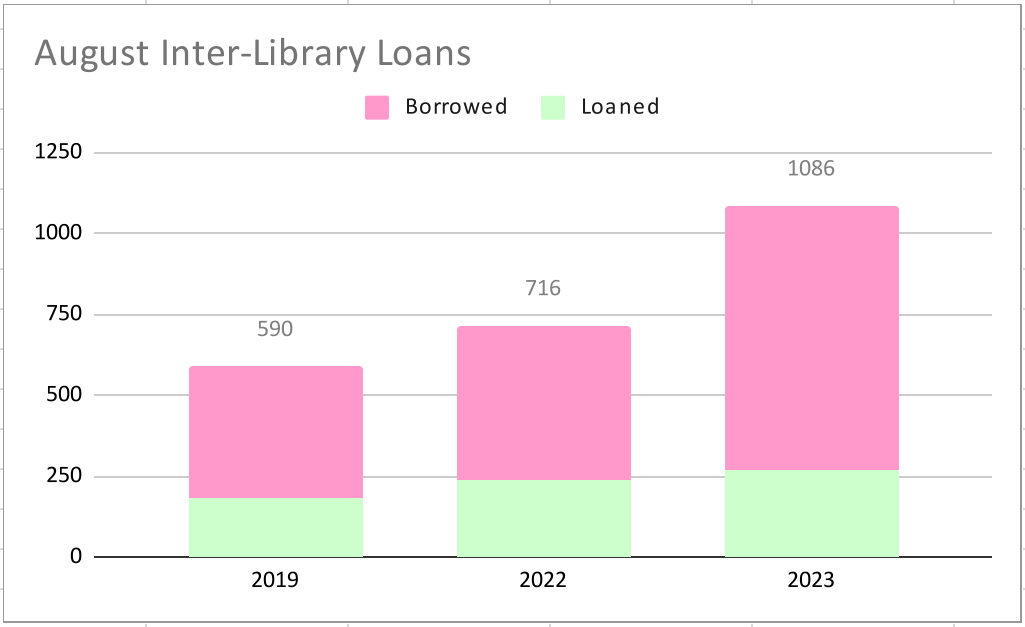
280
2019
2022
2023


August Inter-Library Loans
Borrowed
Loaned
1250
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750
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2019
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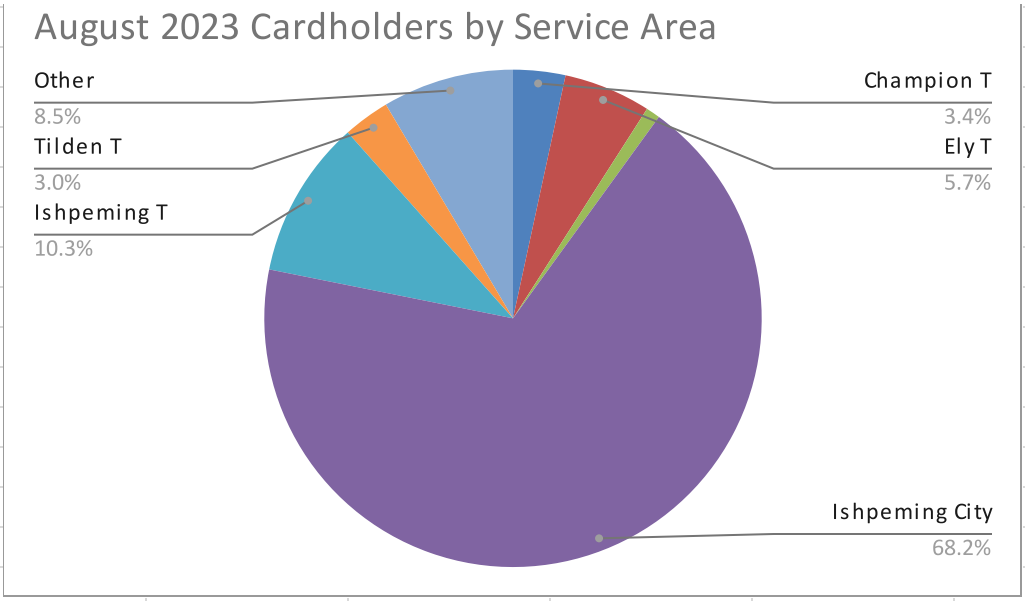
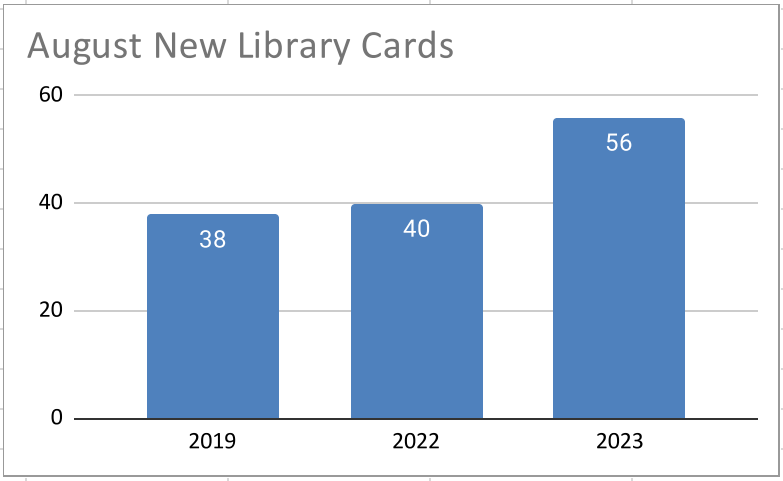

August 2023 Cardholders by Service Area
Other
8.5%
Champion T
3.4%
Tilden T
3.0%
Ely T
5.7%
Ishpeming T
10.3%
Ishpeming City
68.2%


August New Library Cards
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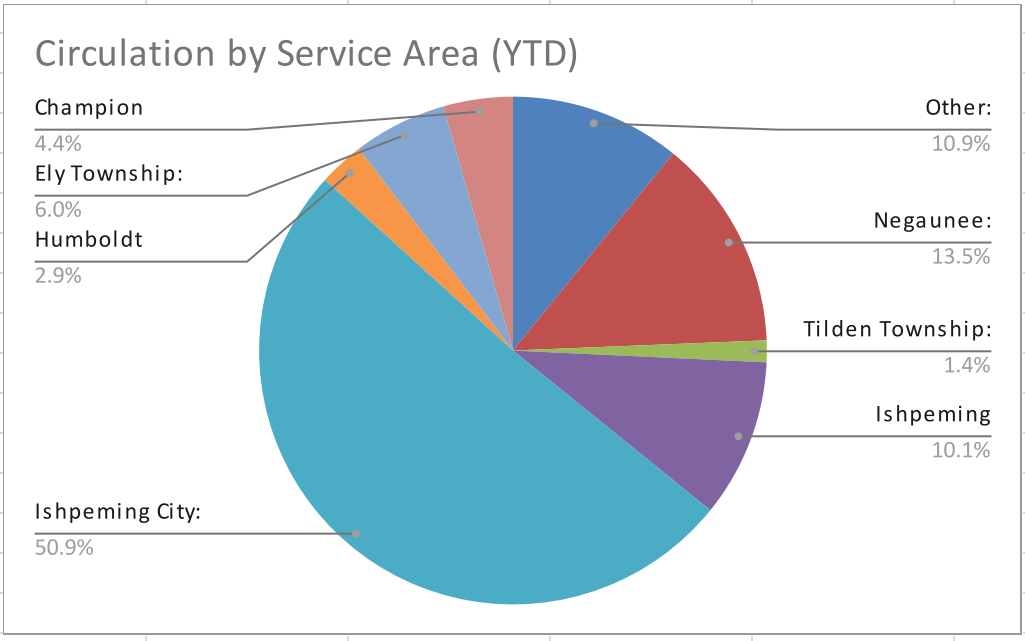
2019
2022
2023


Circulation by Service Area (YTD)
Champion
4.4%
Other:
10.9%
Ely Township:
6.0%
Negaunee:
13.5%
Humboldt
2.9%
Tilden Township:
1.4%
Ishpeming
10.1%
Ishpeming City:
50.9%

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Monthly Recovery Statistics: Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library

9/2022 Through 8/2023

Month	Cash	Material	Waives	Total	Assets Only	Invoice Amount
August-23	$0.00	$324.81	$117.30	$442.11	**$324.81**	$104.85
July-23	$0.00	$160.93	$29.20	$190.13	**$160.93**	$46.60
June-23	$4.00	$151.95	$78.60	$234.55	**$155.95**	$46.60
May-23	$20.00	$25.00	$0.00	$45.00	**$45.00**	$34.95
April-23	$0.00	$301.69	$35.00	$336.69	**$301.69**	$46.60
March-23	$28.00	$233.93	$113.80	$375.73	**$261.93**	$0.00
February-23	$35.00	$233.76	$163.50	$432.26	**$268.76**	$69.90
January-23	$23.80	$161.84	$0.00	$185.64	**$185.64**	$58.25
December-22	$0.00	$139.98	$46.00	$185.98	**$139.98**	$46.60
November-22	$30.00	$194.99	$53.00	$277.99	**$224.99**	$34.95
October-22	$0.00	$236.85	$0.00	$236.85	**$236.85**	$69.90
September-22	$72.00	$484.78	$30.00	$586.78	**$556.78**	$46.60

Total	$212.80	$2,650.51	$666.40	$3,529.71	**$2,863.31**	$605.80
Average	$17.73	$220.88	$55.53	$294.14	**$238.61**	$50.48
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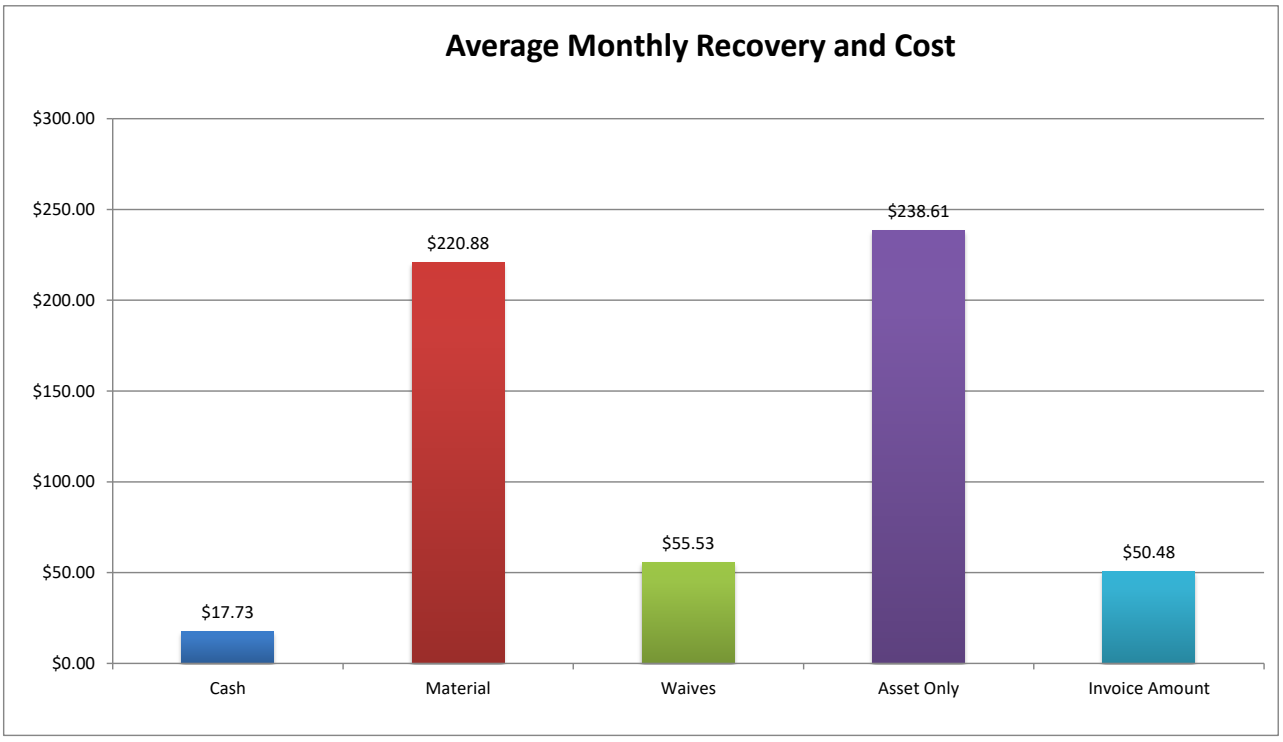

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Written Report for the September 21, 2023 Meeting

Jesse Shirtz, Library Director

Friends of the Library

The Friends are holding their first post-Covid Lyceum! Jack Deo will be presenting a photographic history tour on Saturday, September 30 at 1:30 in the Children's Room. They have also tentatively scheduled their holiday book sale for November 30-December 2.

Adult Outreach

Nicole will be visiting 4 of the 5 townships we serve as part of Library Card Sign-Up Month. Tilden, the only one not on the list, requested we instead visit in December during a children's Christmas party they host each year. Her presence at the township halls means that the population we serve can ask questions, get help, and sign up for cards in their own neck of the woods, and will hopefully translate to them visiting the library in the future.

Tousignant Donation

No update.

Policy Manual

Policy Manual revision will resume at October's meeting; additional budget preparation necessitated pushing this back one month.

Library Repairs

Ramp: DPW Foreman has contacted his contractor to determine our options.
Roof: We experienced another leak in my office. When the roof drain becomes plugged with debris the water comes in through the ceiling. A printer and phone had to be discarded due to water damage. DPW suggested we call to have the roof drain unplugged at the start and end of every winter season. The roof drain was last cleared in early Spring 2023.

Upcoming Events

moved from monthly report
September 1-30: *Back to School Reading Challenge* Beanstack Reading Challenge
September 21 at 7:00: Library Board Meeting
October 12 at 7:00: Friends of the Library Meeting
October 19 at 7:00: Library Board Meeting

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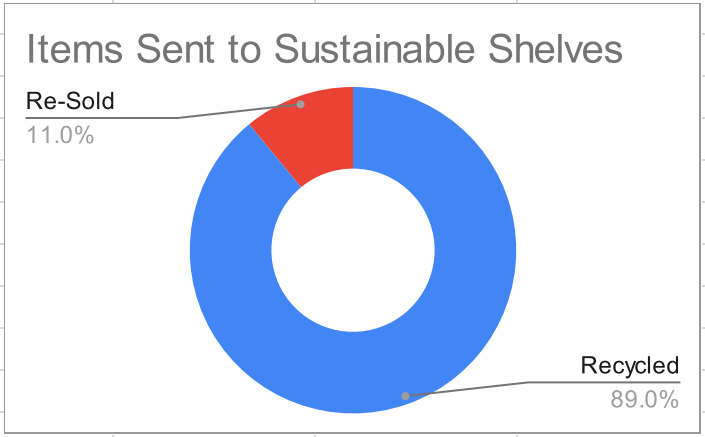
Statistical Report - Nicole Johnson, Librarian

August 2023

- We circulated 7,371 items (6,067 physical items; 1,304 ebooks and eaudiobooks) in the month of August—457 more items than our previous record-setting month of June 2023 and 2,266 more items than August 2022). These numbers are just wild and SO exciting to see.

- We had 56 new people register for library cards.
- Collections that have the highest percentage of circulation:
    - NEWJAUDIO (new kids VOX books) - 173.42%
    - NEWFIC (new adult fiction) - 120.31%
    - NEWJGRAPHIC (new kid graphic novels) - 91.38%
    - NEWBRDBOOK (new kid boardbooks) - 86.36%
    - NEWJREADER (new kid easy readers) - 85.37%
    - NEWJEASY (new kid picture books) - 85.21%
    - NEWLP (new adult large print) - 84.71%
    - JGRAPHIC (kid graphic novels) - 57.08%
    - NEWASCIFI (new adult sci-fi and fantasy) - 52.94%
- Also of note: we had a big jump in interlibrary loans, as we borrowed 815 items from other libraries, 225 more items than July 2023.

Sustainable Shelves				
List Date	**Total # books**	**# recycled**	**# re-sold**	**$ credit earned**
4/7/2021	15	15	0	$0.50
6/16/2021	91	80	11	$18.80
7/12/2021	175	152	23	$32.84
8/5/2021	133	109	24	$26.93
10/8/2021	111	97	14	$17.52
11/9/2021	141	132	9	$16.95
1/13/2022	178	156	22	$19.37
2/10/2022	379	360	19	$24.98
3/10/2022	521	489	32	$40.08
4/11/2022	432	424	8	$22.58
5/5/2022	281	262	19	$34.98
6/9/2022	520	503	17	$28.14
8/3/2022	118	106	12	$2.72
10/6/2022	180	156	24	$10.63
3/9/2023	211	96	115	$52.40
4/5/2023	161	115	46	$15.20
5/11/2023	113	98	15	$9.94
7/17/2023	384	339	45	$17.91
TOTAL:	**4144**	**3689**	**455**	**$392.47**



Beanstack - August 2023

Beanstack Monthly Registration & Participation Totals

Month	New Accounts	New Readers	Completed Activities	Completed Activity Badges	Logged Books	Logged Minutes
August 2023	32	32	2	1	2,524	86,793
July 2023	1	1	99	76	1,887	132,246
June 2023	102	102	97	86	2,391	92,356
May 2023	5	5	11	5	2,138	24,449
April 2023	13	13	27	15	2,115	22,647
March 2023	6	6	12	9	2,336	16,205
February 2023	7	7	50	18	2,048	16,827
January 2023	12	12	81	52	1,504	22,114
December 2022	0	0	4	4	613	13,215
November 2022	1	1	14	10	652	8,581
October 2022	4	4	10	6	865	15,217
September 2022	7	7	4	4	890	16,531
August 2022	35	35	14	29	930	45,499
TOTAL:	**225**	**225**	**425**	**315**	**20,893**	**512,680**

1000 Books Before Kindergarten: Local Area Participation Totals (since January 2023)

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books	Logged Minutes*
City of Ishpeming	25	3	2,260	7,488	0
Champion Township	1	0	36	258	0
Ely Township	6	0	107	936	0
Humboldt Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ishpeming Township	8	0	421	2,611	0
Tilden Township	2	0	75	730	0
Negaunee	10	0	168	438	0
Other	1	0	2	10	0
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**53**	**3**	**3,069**	**12,471**	**0**

*This challenge only counted books read, not minutes.

August 2023: M.T. Anderson's Hometown Lore Challenge

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books*	Logged Minutes
City of Ishpeming	10	10	3,948	0	16,079
Champion Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ely Township	2	2	464	0	3,866
Humboldt Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ishpeming Township	0	0	0	0	0
Tilden Township	0	0	0	0	0
Negaunee	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**12**	**12**	**4,412**	**0**	**19,945**

*This challenge only counted minutes read, not books.

Beanstack - SRP 2023

SRP 2023: All Together Now (Early Literacy)

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books*	Logged Minutes
City of Ishpeming	24	12	2,213	0	17,938
Champion Township	1	1	36	0	600
Ely Township	4	3	80	0	5,590
Humboldt Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ishpeming Township	10	9	390	0	6,690
Tilden Township	2	1	22	0	1,915
Negaunee	19	16	318	0	12,537
Other	3	3	42	0	1,800
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**63**	**45**	**3,101**	**0**	**47,070**

*This challenge only counted minutes read, not books.

SRP 2023: All Together Now (Children)

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books*	Logged Minutes
City of Ishpeming	29	18	752	0	28,074
Champion Township	2	2	31	0	3,030
Ely Township	9	5	110	0	8,415
Humboldt Township	2	2	130	0	1,988
Ishpeming Township	14	10	205	0	10,590
Tilden Township	1	0	2	0	505
Negaunee	15	15	177	0	16,780
Other	3	3	66	0	2,045
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**75**	**55**	**1,473**	**0**	**71,427**

*This challenge only counted minutes read, not books.

SRP 2023: All Together Now (Teen)

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books*	Logged Minutes
City of Ishpeming	4	1	82	0	3,578
Champion Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ely Township	1	1	25	0	4,505
Humboldt Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ishpeming Township	2	1	12	0	723
Tilden Township	0	0	0	0	0
Negaunee	2	2	21	0	12,420
Other	1	0	15	0	3,960
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**10**	**5**	**155**	**0**	**25,186**

*This challenge only counted minutes read, not books.

SRP 2023: All Together Now (Adult)

Local Area	Total Readers Enrolled (Challenge)	Total Completions	Total Earned Badges	Logged Books*	Logged Minutes
City of Ishpeming	21	6	1,874	0	76,286
Champion Township	0	0	0	0	0
Ely Township	12	9	855	0	32,683
Humboldt Township	1	0	62	0	0
Ishpeming Township	5	3	149	0	5,915
Tilden Township	0	0	0	0	0
Negaunee	4	3	119	0	5,098
Other	0	0	0	0	0
No Local Area	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL:	**43**	**21**	**3,059**	**0**	**119,982**

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SEPTEMBER 2023 EVENTS

Check out our lineup of programs at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library!

All events are free and open to the public!

Tot Tuesday Preschool Storytime

Tuesday, September 5 at 11 am
Tuesday, September 12 at 11 am
Tuesday, September 19 at 11 am
Tuesday, September 26 at 11 am

Join us at the library for stories, songs, and crafts perfect for toddlers and preschoolers.

Book Club at the Ishpeming Senior Center

Thursday, September 7 at 11 am at the Senior Center

The Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library is hosting a monthly book club at the Ishpeming Senior Center (121 Greenwood St., Ishpeming)! The first book club selection is *I Must Betray You* by Ruta Sepetys. Copies are available for checkout at the library. Newcomers are always welcome to attend.

Cooking a Book with Amy Sklansky

Thursday, September 7 at 6 pm

Inspiration is just one of several ingredients needed to "cook a book"! Learn all about the "recipe" that authors follow to make their ideas into published books. Children's book author, Amy Sklansky will use her own books, including "These Little Piggies Go To The Beach", as examples of the process.

Author Visit: Skyla Arndt with Q&A and Book Signing

Saturday, September 9 at 12 pm

Debut young adult author Skyla Arndt will be visiting our library! Join us on Saturday, September 9th at 12pm as Skyla will be reading from her debut novel, *Together We Rot*, followed by a Q&A and book signing. We are thrilled that Snowbound Books will also be here selling copies of *Together We Rot*. This book is set in the Upper Peninsula, which makes it of special interest to us here!

Author Q&A and Book Signing

Adult Fantasy Book Club

Saturday, September 9 at 2 pm

Fantasy Book Club will be discussing *Stone Blind* by Natalie Haynes. Newcomers are always welcome. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library.

Adult Book Club

Tuesday, September 12 at 2 pm
Wednesday, September 13 at 6 pm

Join us for adult book club! Copies of *Hester* by Laurie Lico Albanese are available for check out. Meetings are held at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library.

Crochet Club

Thursday, September 14 at 2 pm

Gather with fellow crafters and bring along a project that you're currently working on. Basic crochet supplies and instruction will be provided for beginners!

Great Lakes Great Books Club

Thursday, September 14 at 6 pm

We'll meet to share our thoughts on the non-fiction picture book for older readers, "To the Front!: Clara Barton Braves the Battle of Antietam" written by Claudia Friddell and illustrated by Christopher Cyr. Copies will be available for checkout at the library!

Friends of the Library Monthly Meeting

Thursday, September 14 at 7pm

The Friends of the Library meet the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM at the library for their monthly meeting. New members are welcome to attend and join!

Homeschool Hangout

Friday, September 15 from 10 am-12 pm

Homeschooling families are invited to visit the library and hangout with both old and new homeschooling friends. During your visit, network with library staff and learn about library resources that are available for your family, share your ideas for future programs, and sign up for library cards.

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SEPTEMBER 2023 EVENTS

Graphic Novel Book Club

Saturday, September 16 at 11 am

Graphic Novel Book Club will be discussing *Growing Pangs* by Kathryn Ormsbee. This will be the inaugural meeting. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library.

Adult Horror Book Club

Wednesday, September 20 at 6 pm

Horror Book Club will be discussing *Slewfoot* by Brom. Newcomers are always welcome. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library.

Young Adult Book Club

Saturday, September 23 at 3 pm

Join us for young adult book club! Copies of *A Far Wilder Magic* by Allison Saft are available for check out at the circulation desk. Meetings will be held at the ICPL. All readers of young adult fiction welcome!

Library Outreach @ the Ishpeming Township Hall

Wednesday, September 27 at 10 am - 12pm

If you are an Ishpeming Township resident, you can get a FREE library card from the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library! Visit the Ishpeming Township Hall on Wednesday, September 27th from 10am-12pm to conveniently sign up for a library card and learn more about the library resources that are available.

Introduction to Bird Watching

Wednesday, September 27 at 5:30 pm

Join us at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library for a presentation from the Laughing Whitefish Audubon Society about bird identification, migration patterns, and the importance of bird awareness. All ages.

Historic Ishpeming: A Photographic Tour with Jack Deo

Saturday, September 30 at 1:30 pm

Please join us at the library for "Historic Ishpeming: A Photographic Tour" with local photographer, Jack Deo!

September is Library Card Sign-Up Month!

Sign up for a library card at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library!
Library cards are available to residents living within the
City of Ishpeming and surrounding townships including:
Champion, Ely, Humboldt, Ishpeming, and Tilden.
Also, if you have a Negaunee library card, you are eligible to sign up for an Ishpeming card as well!

Sign-Up Month Giveaway!

Visit us and share what you love about the library! There will be a sheet to fill out at the front desk, put it in the jar, and be entered for a chance to win a library themed t-shirt and tote bag, donated by the Friends of the Library!

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OCTOBER 2023 EVENTS

Check out our lineup of programs at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library!

All events are free and open to the public!

Tot Tuesday Preschool Storytime

Tuesday, October 3 at 11 am
Tuesday, October 10 at 11 am
Tuesday, October 17 at 11 am
Tuesday, October 24 at 11 am
Tuesday, October 31 at 11 am - Halloween Storytime
Join us for stories, songs, movement activities followed by an optional craft and playtime. Perfect for toddlers and preschoolers.

Book Club at the Ishpeming Senior Center

Thursday, October 5 at 11am at the Senior Center
The Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library is hosting a monthly book club at the Ishpeming Senior Center (121 Greenwood St., Ishpeming)! This month's selection is *Everything I Never Told You* by Celeste Ng. Copies are available for checkout at the library. Newcomers are always welcome to attend.

Homeschool Hangout

Friday, October 6 from 10 am - 12 pm
Friday, October 20 from 10 am - 12 pm
Homeschooling families are invited to visit the library and hangout with both old and new homeschooling friends. During your visit network with library staff and learn about library resources that are available for your family, share ideas for future programs, and sign up for library cards.

Popcorn & a Movie

Friday, October 6 at 2pm
The library will be showing the 2021 movie release titled, "Dune" (PG-13). The movie will begin at 2pm in the Ray Leverton Community Room at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library. Popcorn will be provided; bring along a beverage of your choice.

Poetry Reading Featuring Superior Voyage

Saturday, October 7 at 12pm - 2pm
Join us for a poetry reading featuring selections from the Marquette Poets Circle collection titled, "Superior Voyage." Poets Beverly Matherne, Marty Achatz, Milton Bates, Lynn Domina, and Lisa Fosmo will be here reading from the collection. *Copies of Superior Voyage will be for sale. Proceeds benefit the library!*

Library Outreach @ Humboldt Township Hall

Wednesday, October 11 at 11am-1pm
Humboldt Township Hall (244 Co Rd FAF, Champion, MI)
If you are a Humboldt Township resident, you can get a FREE library card from the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library! Sign up for a library card and learn more about the library resources that are available to you conveniently at your local township hall.

Teen Book Fair

Wednesday, October 11 at 3pm - 7pm
Teens and YA book lovers are invited to visit the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library to browse a selection of new young adult books and choose 2 free books to keep! This is a drop-in event from 3-7pm on October 11th. *While supplies last.*

Great Lakes Great Books Club (Grades 4-5)

Thursday, October 12 at 6pm
We'll meet to share our thoughts on the middle grade novel *A Duet for Home* by Karina Yan Glaser. Copies will be available for checkout at the library!

Friends of the Library Monthly Meeting

Thursday, October 12 at 7pm
The Friends of the Library meet the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM at the library for their monthly meeting. New members are welcome to attend and join!

Adult Fantasy Book Club

Saturday, October 14 at 2pm
Meetings held at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library.
Copies of *The Witch's Heart* by Genevieve Gornichec are available for checkout!

Adult Book Club

Tuesday, October 17 at 2pm
Wednesday, October 18 at 6pm
Join us at the library for adult book club!
Copies of *The Dead Romantics* by Ashley Poston are available for check out.

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OCTOBER 2023 EVENTS

Library Outreach @ Champion Township

Wednesday, October 18 at 12pm-1pm at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (US Hwy 41, Champion, MI)
1pm - 3pm at Champion Township Hall (5317 US Hwy 41, Champion, MI)
If you are a Champion Township resident, you can get a FREE library card from the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library! Sign up for a library card and learn more about the library resources that are available.

Author Visit: Carrie Pearson and Doll Clinic

Thursday, October 19th at 5:30pm
Meet local children's author, Carrie Pearson and learn all about her amazing new book, *Virginia Wouldn't Slow Down! The Unstoppable Dr. Apgar and Her Life-Saving Invention*. Children are invited to bring along a baby doll or stuffed animal to join them in the interactive doll clinic where they will learn all about Apgar test.

Graphic Novel Book Club (Grades 4-8)

Saturday, October 21 at 11am
Join us for book club! Our October book club book is *Garlic and the Vampire*! Copies of the book will be available for check out. Meetings are held at the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library.

Young Adult Book Club

Saturday, October 21 at 3pm
Join us for young adult book club! Copies of *White Smoke* by Tiffany D. Jackson are available for check out at the circulation desk. Meetings will be held at the ICPL. All readers of young adult fiction welcome!

Library Outreach @ Ely Township Hall

Monday, October 23 at 12pm-2pm at
Ely Township Hall (1555 Co Rd 496, Ishpeming, MI 49849)
If you are an Ely Township resident, you can get a FREE library card from the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library! Sign up for a library card and learn more about the library resources that are available to you at your local township hall.

Adult Horror Book Club

Wednesday, October 25 at 6pm
Horror Book Club will be discussing *The Daughter of Doctor Moreau* by Silvia Moreno Garcia. Newcomers are always welcome. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library.

Halloween Slime Time!

Thursday, October 26 at 5:30pm
***Registration Required*, Ages 6+**
Is it a solid, liquid, gas or something spookier? Make two kinds of slime while we investigate the states of matter with the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum.

SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER FOR HALLOWEEN SLIME TIME:

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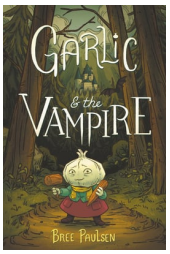
October Book Club Selections

GLGB Book Club Grades 4-5



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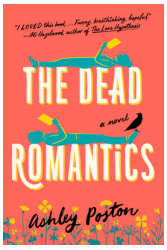

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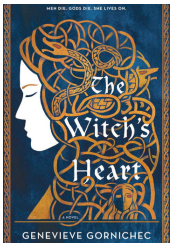

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