

Director's Report – May 2017
Joy Neal, Director

Library:

Circulation for May 2374. Patron count was 2445. We had 342 uses of the computers. We made 5 new library cards. We had 98 people attend library programs.

We had Legos in the library on the 23rd.

Tech nights were held on May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

We are promoting the Imagine Academy. We received a grant that gave us laptops and tablets for testing along with some money. We are using the tablets for coding with the students through the after school program.

KAPPS radio approached us about advertising. We have grant money to promote the Imagine Academy and will run ads in June to see how effective this might be.

Staff:

We had a staff meeting on the 24th.

I am proctoring a person taking his real estate tests.

Mat is doing an after school class in coding.

Susan S. is going to read weekly to the Head Start program at the tribal center and to the preschool. The once a month lunch book club at the middle school continues as well.

Community:

Attended the Kiwanis breakfast meetings on May 3, 10, 17, and 24.

I attended the Friends of the Library meeting on the 15th at the Farmhouse.

Other:

I attended the SIHRMA meeting on the 18th.

Director's meeting was in Concrete on the 8th. Included a tour of the area being remodeled for the library's new home.

I attended a webinar on the 23rd, called Measures that Matter, a series discussing using our data in a more effective way than just sighting numbers.

Carolyn Peterson stopped by to have lunch on the 31st. She got to meet Susan S. between school visits.