

Rushford Free Library 2025 Report to the Community

A looking back on 2024....

- 14,019 total holding at the library (books, dvd, magazines, etc.)
- 3,705 circulation at the library
- 901 interlibrary loaned materials received
- 409 registered borrowers
- 379 new items were added to holding this year
- 3,823 patrons visited the library
- 68 adult programs with 424 attendance
- 27 general programs with 436 attendance
- 39 preschool programs with 143 attendance
- 26 grade school programs with 376 attendance
- 5 off-site programs with 399 in attendance

Grand total of 160 programs with 1,406 in attendance.

Looking Forward to 2025

On-going programs at the library are:

- ♦ “Little Bookworms” is a story time program for infants to 4 year old’s. This program is on Friday mornings at 10:00am. Bring your littles for a fun time of story-reading, crafts and snacks.
- ♦ “The Needler’s” meet on the 1st, 2nd & 4th Tuesday afternoon of each month at 1:30pm to visit and work on personal projects. All are welcome to come and join them.
- ♦ “Kidz Club” on every Tuesday, kids come to “The Rock” for an after school program with Ann & Julia. On the 3rd Tuesday of each month, the kids come to the library for a program with Kaleena.
- ♦ “Book Club” will start up again in the spring. Watch to signs on facebook and around town. They usually meet on the 3rd Tuesday afternoon at 1:00pm. All are welcome to join this group.
- ♦ “Cookbook Club” meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:00pm.
- ♦ “Adult Craft Night” meets on the 4th Monday of the month at 6:00pm.

The library is pleased to welcome Julia Perrington to our staff. Julia started working at the library in 2024 as our Program Coordinator. Julia provides programs for all ages. She has some great ideas lined up for the coming year.

Julia and Kaleena have begun working together on the Summer Reading Program. This year’s theme is “Color Our World.” A lot of fun activities are being planned for the children in our community this summer. Plan on joining us for these events.

Please follow us on our web page or on Facebook as we work on setting up new programs for the coming year.

Our library is steadfast in providing diverse programming for all ages as we strive to grow our service footprint in the community, all-the-while drawing closer to realizing our goal of a new library.

The Library Board of Trustees meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00pm. The public is always welcome to join us.



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Library Hours:

Monday 9-Noon
Tuesday 1-6 pm.
Wednesday 9-Noon
Thursday 1-6 pm.
Friday 9-Noon & 1-4 pm.
Saturday 9-Noon

Librarian/Director:

Rebecca Cole

Assistant Librarian:

Kaleena Bell

Program Coordinator:

Julia Perrington

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