



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

ANNUAL MEETING

Thursday, January 16, 2025
Grinton I. Will Library



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**YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY
AGENDA FOR ANNUAL BOARD MEETING
JANUARY 16, 2024
GRINTON I. WILL LIBRARY**

MINUTES

[ACTION ITEM] Approve Minutes of Meeting on December 18, 2024

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEE FOR YEAR 2024 – Director Montero presides.

[ACTION ITEM] “The regular meeting in January shall be the Annual Meeting at which officers shall be elected for a term of office of one year each. The President shall name standing committees for a term of one year at the Annual Meeting, or within one week from the date of the Annual Meeting.”
-YPL By-Laws III.3

MANAGEMENT REPORT

UNION REPRESENTATIVE’S REPORT

WLS REPORT

PERSONNEL REPORT

[ACTION ITEM]

Ratify the following appointments:

Sanal, Sandhya; Permanent Clerk II, \$52,676/yr, eff. 1/3/2025

Acknowledge the following resignations:

Thaler, Susan; Librarian II (P/T), \$25.35/hr, eff. 12/1/2024

Costanza, Blanche; Permanent Clerk II, \$65,547/yr, eff. 1/3/2025 (retired)

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Fundraising & Development - Jannetti (chair)

Foundation Update

RATIFY PAYMENT OF BILLS

[ACTION ITEM] Schedule #871

[ACTION ITEM] In the absence of the Treasurer and the President, designate a Trustee to certify claims for payment, to be ratified by the Board.

NEW BUSINESS

PUBLIC COMMENT

EXECUTIVE SESSION

NEXT MEETING DATE

Thursday, February 27, 2025 at 7:00pm at Riverfront Library

YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY
BOARD MEETING
CRESTWOOD LIBRARY
DECEMBER 18, 2024

ATTENDANCE

TRUSTEES:	Nancy Maron Joseph Puglia Steven Jannetti Patricia Phelan John Daily Jr. Ofunne Edoziem
LIBRARY DIRECTOR:	Jesse Montero
ASSISTANT LIBRARY DIRECTOR:	Shauna Porteus
BUSINESS MANAGER:	Vivian Presedo
ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY:	James Hackett
WLS BOARD REPRESENTATIVE:	Patricia Phelan
UNION REPRESENTATIVE:	Brandon Neider
GUESTS:	Zahra Baird, Mary Amato, Gloria Fields, Joseph Harbeson, Mary Ann Penzero, Patricia Ricardo

The Board Meeting began at 7:00 pm.

President Maron opened the meeting and welcomed members of the public from the Crestwood community and the Friends of Crestwood Library. She announced that public comments would be heard immediately following the Management Report.

MINUTES

On motion of Trustee Puglia, seconded by Trustee Phelan and unanimously carried, the Board approved the Minutes of the Meeting of November 20, 2024.

MANAGEMENT REPORT

Director Montero discussed the Winter Wonderland programs at the libraries. All three locations hosted well-attended holiday-themed programs and conducted outreach at offsite locations with community partners such as Untermeyer Gardens, St. Joseph's Hospital and several daycare centers.

Director Montero reported that YPL was awarded a \$40,000 grant from the New York State Council for the Arts (NYSCA) to support arts programming, an increase from \$25,000 last year. The grant is particularly flexible and will fund items such as teaching artist's stipends, equipment and art installations.

Director Montero discussed the Windows and Doors art exhibition at the Riverfront Art Gallery. The exhibition is a partnership with Rehabilitation Through the Arts (RTA) and features art from incarcerated artists and has a successful track record of reducing recidivism among the program participants. The exhibition is on display December 6 through January 3 and he expects them to return next year as well.

Director Montero also discussed two murals on display. The Legend of the Four Crows, created by Gallery Curator Haifa Bint-Kadi, is on display on the first floor of Riverfront Library and depicts one of the Lenape Tribe creation stories, whose land is now inhabited by Yonkers. The Will teen space also features a new mural created by illustrator Erwin Ong and is the result of discussions and focus groups with teens. Both murals were funded in part by NYSCA.

Director Montero reported that Riverfront Library was honored by the Mexican Consulate of New York on December 6 for hosting its Consulate of Wheels program. Riverfront has hosted the popular program for over ten years, which assists Mexican citizens in obtaining passports, voting cards and other government documents. He thanked the Riverfront staff and mentioned other programs and outreach with other organizations in the Yonkers Hispanic community.

Director Montero asked Crestwood Library Administrator Zahra Baird to present a report on Crestwood. Ms. Baird discussed the Annual Homeschool Entrepreneurship Fair. The fair allowed 7-18 year olds to develop and display their business ideas and featured exhibits on shopping, branding and advertising.

Ms. Baird discussed a Book Tasting with seventh grade students at School 15. Two classes came to Crestwood to sample books on display from multiple genres like mystery, horror, mythology, nonfiction etc. Ms. Baird and Crestwood staff also pushed into the school to present to other classes as well.

Ms. Baird also reported on programs conducted with community partners. Bluey Friendsgiving was conducted with the Kiwanis Club of Yonkers and featured storytime with the popular television character. Crestwood also celebrated Diwali with the Neighborhood Naturally Occurring Retirement Community of Yonkers (NNORC), which featured Indian music, food and health and wellness.

Ms. Baird also reported that Crestwood hosted a clothing swap. The event aimed to raise awareness and promote sustainability and underconsumption. More than 60 people participated over three days by exchanging clothing rather than throwing it away, while the remaining supply was donated to clothing bins.

President Maron asked management for an update on Spanish classes for the staff. Assistant Director Porteus replied that five classes have been conducted so far on the first three Wednesdays of each month for an hour. The classes are well-attended by dozens of staff where they practice Spanish in an effort to better communicate with the growing Hispanic community of Yonkers.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Friends of Crestwood Vice President Library Mary Amato thanked the Board and YPL management for directing funded programs at Crestwood, specifically arts programs with Professor Val Franco and health and wellness programs.

Gloria Fields, Friends of Crestwood Board Member, spoke about the importance of making Crestwood ADA-accessible and discussed the loss of a group of senior citizens that used to meet regularly but could no longer due to physical challenges and difficulty accessing the building. She also expressed her concerns that Crestwood was understaffed and short on space, citing the need for professional staff to regularly move furniture for programming as well as the time it requires staff to produce virtual programs or host offsite programming. She thanked the Board and management for already securing funding for several planned building improvements and looked forward to working together in future phases to make the building ADA-accessible and perhaps expand the building.

Joseph Harbeson, Friends of Crestwood Board Member, commented that he understood the City and YPL's decision to not purchase neighboring property and appreciated the consideration. He also looked forward to working together with YPL and City administration to make the building ADA-accessible and promised the support of the Friends of Crestwood.

Mary Ann Penzero, local dance instructor, thanked Ms. Baird and Crestwood Library on behalf of her dance school for their support and assistance copying material and scripts for her students.

YPL Board President Maron acknowledged and thanked the members of the public for their constructive comments and invited them to continue attending meetings. She went on to talk about the limits of City support and promised to strengthen the library's appeal to the City for capital funding at Crestwood, but also encouraged the local community to consider patronizing the nearby Grinton I. Will Library in light of Crestwood's current physical limitations, where Will is a much larger building with meeting rooms and an auditorium and urged them to participate in conversations to improve the Will Library as well, which has greater City support to fund renovations.

UNION REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT

No report.

WLS REPORT

No report.

PERSONNEL REPORT

There were no personnel updates.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Buildings and Grounds - Daily Jr. (chair).

Trustee Daily announced that he met with Director Montero to discuss ideas on how to highlight the library's operational capacity and the efficiency of library service within the City's overall budget as they advocate for City capital funding. They also discussed how the Board can be more aggressive in pitching goals and a broader vision. The Board talked at length about goals and how they can better build support to meet those goals.

Finance, Budget & Planning – Jannetti (chair).

Director Montero reported that the library will include in its capital request funds to make Crestwood ADA-accessible and discussed the next steps. He thanked the Friends of Crestwood for its advocacy of purchasing the neighboring property and believed it will help build more support in the City administration for the ADA project.

Fundraising & Development - Jannetti (chair)

Foundation Update: President Maron reported that the Foundation's appeal continues and thanked Manager of Public Relations and Marketing Patricia Ricardo and Assistant Director Porteus for assisting with the campaign. Trustee Daily discussed leveraging social media engagement to support fundraising.

PAYMENT OF BILLS

On motion of Trustee Jannetti, seconded by Trustee Phelan and unanimously carried, the Board approved payment of bills as listed on Schedule #870.

NEW BUSINESS

President Maron discussed the upcoming annual meeting and the election of officers for the new year. On motion of Trustee Daily, seconded by Trustee Puglia and unanimously carried, the Board created a Nominating Committee and appointed Trustee Jannetti as its chair to seek a slate of nominees for office to present at next month's annual meeting.

Trustee Jannetti discussed a trustee education program he attended earlier in the month on the role of Board officers and shared material he received from it.

The Board discussed how often the Board should meet per year. The Board agreed to continue meeting monthly but will discuss further.

NEXT MEETING DATE

Annual Meeting on January 16, 2025 at 7:00pm at Will Library

On motion of Trustee Daily, seconded by Trustee Edoziem and unanimously carried, the Board adjourned the Meeting at 8:09 pm.

Jesse Montero
Library Director & Secretary

Yonkers Public Library

Bill List December 2024

Vendor Name	Description	Date	Amount
CAPITAL FUNDS			
NATIONAL BUS FURNITURE, LLC	FURNITURE: SINGLE PEDESTAL DESK	12/11/2024	704.10
TOTAL			704.10
CONTRIBUTIONS FUNDS			
ALVAREZ, ASHLEY	PROG: HOMEWORK HELPER-RIV	12/31/2025	285.00
ALVAREZ, ASHLEY	PROG: HOMEWORK HELPER-RIV	12/4/2024	375.00
AMERICAN EXPRESS	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	12/31/2025	61.04
BAIRD, ZAHARA M.	REIMB EXP: APPRECIATION LUNCH	12/31/2025	100.00
BENNETT, DARRIAN	PROG: WINDOWS & DOORS	12/19/2024	150.00
CITY OF YONKERS	FEES & FINES: LOST BOOKS	12/4/2024	77.95
DERENTIIS, ROSETTA	PROG: TECHNOLOGY CLASS (3)	12/11/2024	202.50
DICHIARA, MARY	REIMB EXP: APPRECIATION LUNCH	12/31/2025	40.00
EMS MUSIC	PROG: MUSIC TRIBUTE 12/5/2024	12/11/2024	500.00
FEDYK, ELAINE	PROG: SENIOR FITNESS VIA ZOOM (7)	12/11/2024	350.00
GAMBHIR, SATISH	PROG: DIWALI CELEBRATION	12/11/2024	100.00
GOVCONNECTION, INC.	TONER: PUBLIC PRINTING (2 INVS)	12/11/2024	1,395.99
GOVCONNECTION, INC.	TONER: PUBLIC PRINTING	12/18/2024	1,635.26
HABER, ZEV	PROG: MUSIC CLASS 11/22/2024	12/11/2024	275.00
HAWKINS, SARAH	PROG: HOMEWORK HELPER-CREST	12/4/2024	270.00
HAWKINS, SARAH	PROG: HOMEWORK HELPER-CREST	12/18/2024	360.00
LEDESMA, SOLYARIS	PROG: ZOOM ZUMBA CLASSES (3)	12/18/2024	225.00
MANOR BAGEL	DINNERS: NOV & DEC BD MTS	12/19/2024	855.00
MARTINEZ, RUSSELL	REIMB EXP: APPRECIATION LUNCH	12/18/2024	140.00
MUSEUM OF MODERN ART	MEMBERSHIP: CORP 1/1/25-1/31/25	12/16/2024	1,500.00
PRESEDO, VIVIAN	REIMB EXP: APPRECIATION LUNCH	12/31/2024	141.47
RONG, YIAN-YANG	PROG: ZOOM QI GONG (2)	12/11/2024	150.00
ROSS, JOANNE, RDH	PROG: AUTHOR VISIT/DENTAL HEALTH	12/11/2024	155.00
SAMPOGNA, STEPHANIE	PROG: BILINGUAL STORYTIME 12/4/2024	12/18/2024	50.00
SIEGAL, MARTIN	PROG: HOMEWORK HELPER-WILL	12/18/2024	1,035.00
SOOKDEO, CHANDRA	PROG: MEDITATION & SOUND	12/11/2024	200.00
THRIVE REIKI, LLC	PROG: MINDFULNESS VIA ZOOM	12/11/2024	100.00
WAH CHAN, YAO	PROG: TAI CHI CLASSES (3)	12/4/2024	225.00
WILDEMAN, RODDY	PROG: ART INSTALLATION	12/4/2024	600.00
ZENDER, BENJAMIN	REIMB EXP: SLC FELLOW	12/18/2024	583.48
TOTAL			12,137.69
GRANTS FUNDS			
CASTRO, ANGEL	PROG: SOCIAL MEDIA WORKSHOP	12/13/2024	400.00
GAMBHIR, SATISH	PROG: DIWALI CULTURAL FESTIVAL	12/13/2024	180.00
PEREIRA DA SILVA, FRANKLIN	PROG: LINOCUT WORKSHOP-NYSCA	12/23/2024	150.00
VILLANUEVA, PHYLLISHA	PROG: POETRY SERIES (3)	12/5/2024	500.00
TOTAL			1,230.00

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Date	Num	Memo	Amount
Abbey Ice & Spring Water			
12/04/2024	20518	spring water	93.00
12/04/2024	20520	spring water	25.50
12/06/2024	20519	spring water - Will	63.00
12/24/2024	182621	cooler rental - RF	47.25
12/24/2024	182799	cooler rental - RF	47.25
12/24/2024	182814	cooler rental- Will l...	47.25
12/24/2024	182948	cooler rental - CW	33.00
12/24/2024	18933	spring water - RF	138.00
Total Abbey Ice & Spring Water			494.25
Alvarez, Kevin			
12/13/2024	20KA-NOV	tech support Nov 2...	160.00
Total Alvarez, Kevin			160.00
Avila, Teresa			
12/06/2024	VR1	Spanish instructio...	300.00
12/06/2024	VR34	English class 11/6-...	240.00
Total Avila, Teresa			540.00
Baby Fingers LLC			
12/04/2024	22 FALL 2024	Creative Sign Lang...	200.00
Total Baby Fingers LLC			200.00
Baird, Zahra			
12/13/2024	120624ZMB	employee reimbur...	39.99
Total Baird, Zahra			39.99
Baizan, Ayanna P.			
12/13/2024	12072024	sew amazing class...	150.00
Total Baizan, Ayanna P.			150.00
Barnes & Noble			
12/16/2024	4598961	materials	243.74
12/24/2024	4601547	materials	448.94
12/24/2024	4601818	materials	528.77
12/24/2024	4602096	materials	266.85
Total Barnes & Noble			1,488.30
Cablevision Lightpath			
12/13/2024	101397894	internet 12/1-12/31...	4,173.23
12/13/2024	101397911	phones 12/1-12/31/...	3,548.55
Total Cablevision Lightpath			7,721.78
Cablevision Optimum			
12/04/2024	07803550279DEC24	internet/phone 11/...	35.72
12/04/2024	07803550279DEC24	internet/phone 11/...	104.90
12/23/2024	07803065546DEC24	cable box 12/8/24-...	8.40
Total Cablevision Optimum			149.02
Citadel Pest Control			
12/04/2024	5089	pest treatment- Wil...	260.00
Total Citadel Pest Control			260.00
Con Edison (Consolidated Edison)			
12/06/2024	1166421000DEC24	gas charges 10/25...	231.32
Total Con Edison (Consolidated Edison)			231.32
Cosmos Music Corp			
12/23/2024	096CMC	Bilingual music/mo...	200.00

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Date	Num	Memo	Amount
Total Cosmos Music Corp			200.00
Crown A/C Heat & Power			
12/13/2024	4444	boiler service-Cre...	490.00
12/13/2024	4445	boiler repairs	840.00
12/13/2024	4446	boiler service	1,120.00
Total Crown A/C Heat & Power			2,450.00
Demco			
12/16/2024	7577195	magazine savers	92.04
Total Demco			92.04
Fun Express LLC			
12/06/2024	73458213001	program supplies	167.72
12/16/2024	73475739701	children program s...	41.86
Total Fun Express LLC			209.58
Fusco, Eileen			
12/04/2024	112124EF	employee reimbur...	67.30
12/23/2024	121224EF	employee reimbur...	41.76
Total Fusco, Eileen			109.06
Geeknasium			
12/23/2024	INV0001	Geeknasium work...	160.00
Total Geeknasium			160.00
GovConnection			
12/04/2024	75915263	replacement batte...	36.09
12/04/2024	75924484	blu-ray disc player	78.98
12/04/2024	75915196	Samsung 65" HD c...	1,078.29
12/04/2024	75923903	color toner cartrid...	589.38
12/16/2024	75936792	HP roller kit	240.00
12/16/2024	75942080	true black print fila...	54.98
12/16/2024	75944818	toner cartridge ver...	1,472.20
12/16/2024	75954647	model 1 extruder	376.09
12/24/2024	75971373	HP black toner	249.80
12/24/2024	75975977	credit memo blu-ra...	-78.98
12/24/2024	75977729	HP xl black cartrid...	266.07
12/24/2024	75992591	HP toner cartridges	565.68
Total GovConnection			4,928.58
Home Depot Credit Service			
12/06/2024	4901865	chest freezer	189.00
Total Home Depot Credit Service			189.00
ISE OP Office Plus			
12/06/2024	471685	business cards-Sil...	38.49
Total ISE OP Office Plus			38.49
Johnson, Suzanne			
12/23/2024	111524SJ	employee reimbur...	47.61
Total Johnson, Suzanne			47.61
Keane & Beane			
12/23/2024	112304	professional servic...	567.00
Total Keane & Beane			567.00
Laperuta, Patricia			
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	26.00
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	228.07
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	4.17
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	15.97
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	2.09

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Date	Num	Memo	Amount
12/23/2024	121224PL	employee reimbur...	2.99
Total Laperuta, Patricia			279.29
Lexis-Nexis/Matt Bender			
12/24/2024	43987001	materials	3,877.00
Total Lexis-Nexis/Matt Bender			3,877.00
Lloyd, Joan			
12/06/2024	120224JL	earring making wo...	100.00
Total Lloyd, Joan			100.00
Midwest Tape			
12/16/2024	506350311	materials	83.94
12/16/2024	506371242	materials	41.98
12/16/2024	506371244	materials	113.35
12/16/2024	506394395	materials	28.68
12/16/2024	506394396	materials	51.69
12/16/2024	506394398	materials	27.98
12/16/2024	506394399	materials	27.98
12/16/2024	506350312	materials	55.97
12/16/2024	506350313	materials	34.98
12/16/2024	506350314	materials	14.99
12/16/2024	506371240	materials	13.99
12/16/2024	506371241	materials	193.11
12/16/2024	506371243	materials	34.98
12/16/2024	506371245	materials	23.98
12/16/2024	506396170	materials	30.09
12/24/2024	506454635	materials	17.49
12/24/2024	506454636	materials	54.58
12/24/2024	506454637	materials	27.29
12/24/2024	506454638	materials	11.99
12/24/2024	506454740	materials	19.58
Total Midwest Tape			908.62
Mitchell's NY			
12/16/2024	21829	subscription 10/18...	984.00
12/16/2024	21830	subscription 11/20...	1,975.60
12/16/2024	21831	subscription 11/22...	1,832.00
Total Mitchell's NY			4,791.60
MRA International			
12/24/2024	34769	Tripp Lite Series S...	1,578.00
Total MRA International			1,578.00
National Learning Corp			
12/16/2024	M-11152024-4	materials	111.36
Total National Learning Corp			111.36
Open Systems Metro			
12/04/2024	90746	service call	304.00
Total Open Systems Metro			304.00
Overdrive			
12/04/2024	01322CO24359375	materials	1,043.50
12/04/2024	01322CO24365791	materials	991.08
12/04/2024	01322DA24360847	materials	156.50
12/04/2024	01322DA24360848	materials	60.00
12/04/2024	01322DA24366233	materials	150.00
12/06/2024	01322CO24366891	materials	1,408.28
12/06/2024	01322CO24369685	materials	508.64
12/16/2024	01322CO24375579	materials	1,006.65
12/16/2024	01322CO24377050	materials	638.48
12/16/2024	01322CO24382105	materials	506.19
12/24/2024	01322CO24385093	materials	1,112.35

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Date	Num	Memo	Amount
12/24/2024	01322CO24388609	materials	1,151.61
12/24/2024	01322CO24390449	materials	1,203.62
Total Overdrive			9,936.90
Penny's Party Place			
12/06/2024	120524PPP	face painting 12/5/...	575.00
Total Penny's Party Place			575.00
Pereira, Teresa			
12/23/2024	YPL121424	painting workshop ...	200.00
Total Pereira, Teresa			200.00
Pitney Bowes 2			
12/23/2024	3320047309	lease 10/22/24-1/2...	154.74
Total Pitney Bowes 2			154.74
Presedo, Vivian			
12/04/2024	112724VP	employee reimbur...	24.04
12/23/2024	121624VP	employee reimbur...	124.18
12/23/2024	121624VP	employee reimbur...	239.72
12/23/2024	121624VP	employee reimbur...	11.96
Total Presedo, Vivian			399.90
Rabadi, Renee			
12/13/2024	120924RR	employee reimbur...	26.25
Total Rabadi, Renee			26.25
Schalls Hardware Store, INC.			
12/16/2024	3173	hardware supplies	101.95
Total Schalls Hardware Store, INC.			101.95
Sign Academy LLC			
12/04/2024	11-21-24	ASL classes 11/7-1...	165.00
Total Sign Academy LLC			165.00
Torres, Arnaldo			
12/04/2024	112624AT	employee reimbur...	73.92
12/13/2024	120624AT	employee reimbur...	88.80
Total Torres, Arnaldo			162.72
Uline			
12/16/2024	186147455	acid free foam boa...	171.63
12/24/2024	186473934	cd jewel cases	211.06
Total Uline			382.69
Verizon			
12/04/2024	9143372191DEC24	phones 11/16-12/1...	166.53
12/04/2024	9143373015DEC24	phones 11/16-12/1...	59.83
12/04/2024	9147931065DEC24	phones 11/19-12/1...	42.56
12/13/2024	9144109274DEC24	phones 12/1-12/31/...	49.80
Total Verizon			318.72
Verizon Wireless			
12/06/2024	9979473091	cell phones 10/24-...	338.25
Total Verizon Wireless			338.25
Wayne's Electric Service			
12/13/2024	102412	replace ballasts-C...	1,340.00
Total Wayne's Electric Service			1,340.00
WB Mason			

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Date	Num	Memo	Amount
12/04/2024	250424012	library supplies	9.70
12/04/2024	250486040	office supplies	93.85
12/06/2024	250695653	office supplies	12.52
12/06/2024	250784473	clear school glue	9.48
12/06/2024	250795501	library supplies	269.06
12/16/2024	250899949	cardstock paper	180.30
12/16/2024	250939315	library supplies	77.72
12/16/2024	CM2626705	credit constructio...	-3.52
12/16/2024	CR9074411	credit water bottles	-5.56
12/24/2024	250877298	library supplies	93.50
12/24/2024	251052261	office supplies	17.89
12/24/2024	251098208	cover stock paper	55.41
Total WB Mason			810.35
Yonkers Parking Authority			
12/06/2024	24-0424	29 employee parki...	9,135.00
12/23/2024	25-0609	employee parking ...	9,570.00
Total Yonkers Parking Authority			18,705.00
Zev Haber Music by Zev			
12/13/2024	6321	music class 11/7, 1...	550.00
Total Zev Haber Music by Zev			550.00
TOTAL			66,543.36

YPL Operating Budget FY2025 (December)

Code	Account Name	Adopted Budget	Current Budget (w/ transfers)	Spent Previous Months	Spent This Month (Dec)	YTD	Balance	% used
101	Salaries	7,210,217	7,210,217	2,572,391	550,629	3,123,020	4,087,197	43.31%
103	Temp Services	602,800	602,800	222,529	43,359	265,888	336,912	44.11%
150	Termination Payments	35,000	35,000	1,234	0	1,234	33,766	3.53%
198	Overtime	300,372	300,372	69,962	26,803	96,765	203,607	32.21%
	Personal Services Total:	8,148,389	8,148,389	2,866,116	620,790	3,486,906	4,661,483	42.79%
280	Reference Materials	83,000	83,000	29,366	509	29,875	53,125	35.99%
281	Books	450,000	450,000	143,002	4,732	147,734	302,266	32.83%
	Materials Total	533,000	533,000	172,368	5,241	177,609	355,391	33.32%
301	Office Supplies	100660	100660	28026	3,615	31,641	69,019	31.43%
306	Janitorial Supplies	36550	36550	21203	0	21,203	15,347	58.01%
308	Wearing Apparel	6,950	6,950	3,684	0	3,684	3,266	53.01%
309	Fuel For Heating	78,250	78,250	59	0	59	78,191	0.08%
312	Hardware	10,200	10,200	4,900	130	5,030	5,170	49.31%
313	Misc. Supplies	1,000	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	0.00%
314	Electrical Supplies	300	300	250	0	250	50	83.33%
327	Nursery Supplies	400	400	0	0	0	400	0.00%
361	Gas	2,000	2,000	436	231	667	1,333	33.37%
	Material and Supplies Total	236,310	236,310	58,558	3,976	62,534	173,776	26.46%
401	Insurance	120,355	120,355	81,283	-43,729	37,554	82,801	31.20%
402	Telephones	64,000	64,000	23,791	3,945	27,736	36,264	43.34%
403	Printing	18,310	18,310	10,637	0	10,637	7,673	58.09%
404	Lights and Power	170,000	170,000	63,603	8,070	71,673	98,327	42.16%
405	Postage	3,100	3,100	1,996	0	1,996	1,104	64.39%
406	Freight and Express	500	500	37	0	37	463	7.40%
407	Equipment Maint. And Repair	49,460	49,460	20,369	2,450	22,819	26,641	46.14%
408	Rental of Equipment	174,987	174,987	82,638	329	82,967	92,020	47.41%
409	Building Maint. And Repair	85,000	85,000	14,088	150	14,238	70,762	16.75%
410	Milage Allowance	685	685	400	1,027	1,427	-742	208.32%
413	Professional Fees	256,000	256,000	57,206	1,340	58,546	197,454	22.87%
415	Outside Labor & Related Charges	350,000	350,000	84,503	18,505	103,008	246,992	29.43%
419	Misc. Expenses	37,750	37,750	-47,325	43,729	-3,596	41,346	-9.53%
421	Rent Riverfront	750,000	750,000	750,000	0	750,000	0	100.00%
422	Janitorial Service	2,900	2,900	780	0	780	2,120	26.90%
424	Maint. Of Office Equipment	4,600	4,600	1,351	4,792	6,143	-1,543	133.53%
425	Subscriptions and Publicationns	159,680	159,680	87,215	20,714	107,929	51,751	67.59%
430	IT Hardware Maint.	53,000	53,000	21,551	619	22,170	30,830	41.83%
431	IT Software Licensing and Maint.	477,750	477,750	203,054	4,175	207,229	270,521	43.38%
436	Tuition/Bd/Travel Reimbursement	10,000	10,000	1,902	0	1,902	8,098	19.02%
446	Automobile Repair	6,000	6,000	770	4	774	5,226	12.90%
481	Binding of Books	500	500	12	0	12	488	2.40%
496	Special Projects	31,250	31,250	13,395	2,175	15,570	15,680	49.82%
	Contractual Services Total	2,825,827	2,825,827	1,473,256	68,295	1,541,551	1,284,276	54.55%
	Total Operating Budget	11,743,526	11,743,526	4,570,298	698,303	5,268,601	6,474,925	44.86%

**YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY
QUARTERLY BUDGET REPORT
FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2024-JUNE 30, 2025
REVENUE**

REVENUE CATEGORY	BUDGETED REVENUE 2024-2025	REVENUE REALIZED 7/1/2024-6/30/2025
		12/31/2024
Fees & Fines	\$4,000	\$1,199
Rental of Property	4,500	\$5,010
E-Rate	0	\$24,125
Miscellaneous	2,500	
Total Library Generated Revenues	\$11,000	\$29,790
State Funding	55,986	66,109
Transfer from City of Yonkers General Fund	11,008,623	11,008,623
Total	\$11,075,609	\$11,104,522

**YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY
QUARTERLY BUDGET REPORT
FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2024-JUNE 30, 2025
GRANTS FUNDS**

	AMOUNT AWARDED	AMOUNT AVAILABLE 12/31/2024
DANY	250,000	982
* SED-LDA	211,412	148,469
2023 STATE CONSTRUCTION-GRINTON I WILL	529,014	529,014
SED-LDA (2)	211,412	180,319
Foundation for YPL (Dec 2024)	35,000	30,713
NYSCLA	25,000	8,527
2024 STATE CONSTRUCTION-CRESTWOOD	215,305	215,305

**YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY
 QUARTERLY BUDGET REPORT
 FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2024-JUNE 30, 2025
 CAPITAL FUNDS**

		ORIGINAL AMOUNT	AMOUNT AVAILABLE 12/31/2024
C2099CP			
510647	Will Library Auditorium Improv.	55,000	0
510874	Boiler Upgrades	568,000	53,504
511056	Will Library Elevator	400,000	67,393
511055	Crestwood Library Improvements	169,398	141,572
511054	Acquisition of Library Books and other materials	300,000	201,599
51192	Will Library Renovations	2,000,000	1,983,579

BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION

DECEMBER 31, 2024

<u>BANK</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>ACCOUNT NAME</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>EXP.</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>12/31/2024</u>
<u>ENDOWMENTS AND TRUSTS</u>						
<u>SAUNDERS ENDOWMENT GOAL \$65,000</u>						
		SAUNDERS BOOK FUND				\$75,074.78
<u>JUTKOWITZ ENDOWMENT GOAL \$10,000</u>						
SUNNYSIDE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOANS	3.90%	JOHN JUTKOWITZ THEATER FUND	1121699	11/15/2025	13 MO CD	\$11,077.95
<u>KOGAN ENDOWMENT GOAL \$5,000</u>						
SUNNYSIDE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOANS	3.90%	DAVID S. KOGAN MEM FUND	1121706	11/15/2025	13 MO CD	\$5,233.16
<u>MURPHY ENDOWMENT GOAL \$5,000</u>						
SUNNYSIDE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOANS	3.90%	RITA G. MURPHY MEM FUND	1121714	11/15/2025	13 MO CD	\$5,525.36
<u>CHECKING ACCOUNT</u>						
STERLING NATIONAL BANK	N/A	YPL TRUST ACCOUNT	6700288970	----	CHECKING	\$8,798.08
<u>UNRESTRICTED ACCOUNTS</u>						

<u>CONTRIBUTIONS FUNDS</u>						
		CONTRIBUTIONS ACCOUNT				\$28,400.54
SUNNYSIDE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOANS	3.90%	CONTRIBUTIONS ACCOUNT	1121681	11/15/2025	13 MO CD	\$65,867.11
SUNNYSIDE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOANS	3.90%	CONTRIBUTIONS ACCOUNT	1103671	11/15/2025	13 MO CD	\$55,620.09
<u>CHECKING ACCOUNT</u>						
STERLING NATIONAL BANK	0.01%	CONTRIBUTIONS ACCOUNT	6700289260	----	CHECKING	\$78,990.34

CD'S WERE RENEWED FOR 13 MONTHS TERM AT THE RATE OF 3.90 APY

**Yonkers Public Library (YPL) Board of Trustees Meeting
Management Report
January 16, 2025**

Staff Updates:

- On December 19, 2024, Riverfront Librarian custodian Reggie Hill received a Distinguished Service award from the Foundation for the Yonkers Public Library (FYPL) in recognition of his successful application of the Heimlich Maneuver on a choking colleague. He was also honored with a City of Yonkers Proclamation recognizing his heroism and his many years of dedicated service, and declaring December 19th Reginald Hill Day.
- Sandhya Sanal was promoted to the position of Clerk II in the Will Library Circulation Department on January 3, 2025, filling the vacancy created from Blanche Costanza's retirement in November, 2024.
- In December, Jacqueline Leone, librarian trainee at Crestwood Library, completed sufficient credits to be eligible for a Master of Science degree in Information and Library Science (MSLIS) from the University at Buffalo in early 2025.
- This month, Charlie Loftus, librarian trainee at Riverfront Library Reference Department, completed sufficient credits to be eligible for a Master of Science degree in Information and Library Science (MSLIS) from Rutgers University in early 2025.

Facilities Updates:

- On January 10, 2025, City of Yonkers Purchasing Department conducted an unsealing of bids to the Request for Proposals (RFP) on the Will Library chiller and switchgear replacement project. All of the bids came within the library's approximately \$2.5 million budget for the project. The next step is for the city's Purchasing and Engineering departments to review the bids and for the Inspector General to perform background checks on the bidding vendors. It will then move to approval at the Board of Contract and Supply (BOCS) meeting.
- On January 8, 2025, YPL staff met with Fuller D'Angelo to kick off the design process for improvements to the Crestwood Library infrastructure. There is approximately \$350,000 budgeted for the project, which will include replacement of the library's original windows, fire safety systems, and LED lighting upgrades.

E-Rate Cable Upgrade: YPL is in the process of upgrading its broadband infrastructure through participation in E-Rate - a program of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that heavily subsidizes schools and libraries with Internet technologies and services. Previously, WLS handled E-rate applications, but since YPL (specifically IT Manager Carlos Figueroa) took over the process two years ago it has been able to apply for more services and receive larger reimbursements. The first phase of broadband improvements - an upgrade from Cat5 to Cat6 data cabling - began last month and finished this week. The next phase will involve installing new wireless access points. The FCC will reimburse 85% of costs associated with these upgrades, or \$70,917 of the total \$83,432 cost of the project. Additionally, E-Rate is now reimbursing YPL for 90% of its Internet service charges from Cablevision Lightpath, saving YPL approximately \$24,000 a year. For calendar year 2025 YPL has applied for data speed upgrades of up to 5GB (from 1GB) at Riverfront and up to 2GB (from 500MB) at Will Library. Once the cabling and access point upgrades are complete it will enable YPL to improve Internet speed and performance.

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Application: Last week, YPL applied for CDBG funding from the City of Yonkers Planning Department, which oversees the citywide disbursement of funds from the Federal Housing and Urban Development (HUD) program. This year, YPL applied for \$35,000 in funding for improvements to the second floor of Riverfront Library. This Children's Floor has increasingly become a network of interconnected social service spaces, ranging from the Sensory Room and The Cove to the Feeding Westchester Pantry to Literacy Solutions. If awarded, the CDBG funds would enable YPL to make long overdue improvements to the furniture and technology in the space.

Winter Reading Warmup Challenge Begins: The Winter Reading Challenge is the library's annual event designed to inspire patrons and staff to read, log books, and win exciting prizes during the winter months. Running from January 1 to March 15, 2025, this program serves as an excellent opportunity to engage with our community, foster a love of reading, and build momentum for the larger Summer Reading Challenge. This year, the Winter Reading Committee introduced several key updates to enhance the program. A system-wide reading goal of 2,025 books has been set, encouraging collective participation and progress. The committee prioritized staff training on Beanstack, our digital platform for tracking participation, while also focusing on "meeting patrons where they are" by providing accessible and creative ways to log books. To further motivate participants, prizes will be awarded for every three books read, and the grand prize winners will have the opportunity to choose an item from the YPL merchandise store. Additionally, several committee members are collaborating with local schools to train teachers on using Beanstack's classroom module, enabling them to log books and track progress on behalf of their students. Through these enhancements, we aim to increase overall participation and ensure the Winter Reading Challenge remains a rewarding experience for all.

Yonkers Public Library (YPL) Board of Trustees Meeting
Union Representative Report
January 16th, 2025

Personal / Sick Time: An error was quickly corrected regarding Personal Leave converting to Sick-Time and the time-frame of which it can be used.

Job Duties: An issue was resolved with the administration regarding a new digital platform (Beanstack) being used and conflicting with job duties between Clerk's and Librarians.

Out Of Title: An Employee has reached out to the Union regarding out-of-title work they have performed since another employee retired.

Head of Building (HOB): Librarians who serve as Head of Building (HOB) while a Branch Administrator is absent have had a huge-uptick in being HOB. Discussions with the administration to reduce this have begun.

Part-Timers & Volunteers: The Union is breaking down data and information given requested via FOIL regarding contractual obligations regarding Part-Timers.

Saturday Schedule: The union has sent out a reminder to Department Heads that Saturday schedules for YPL Employees must be distributed by January 15th.

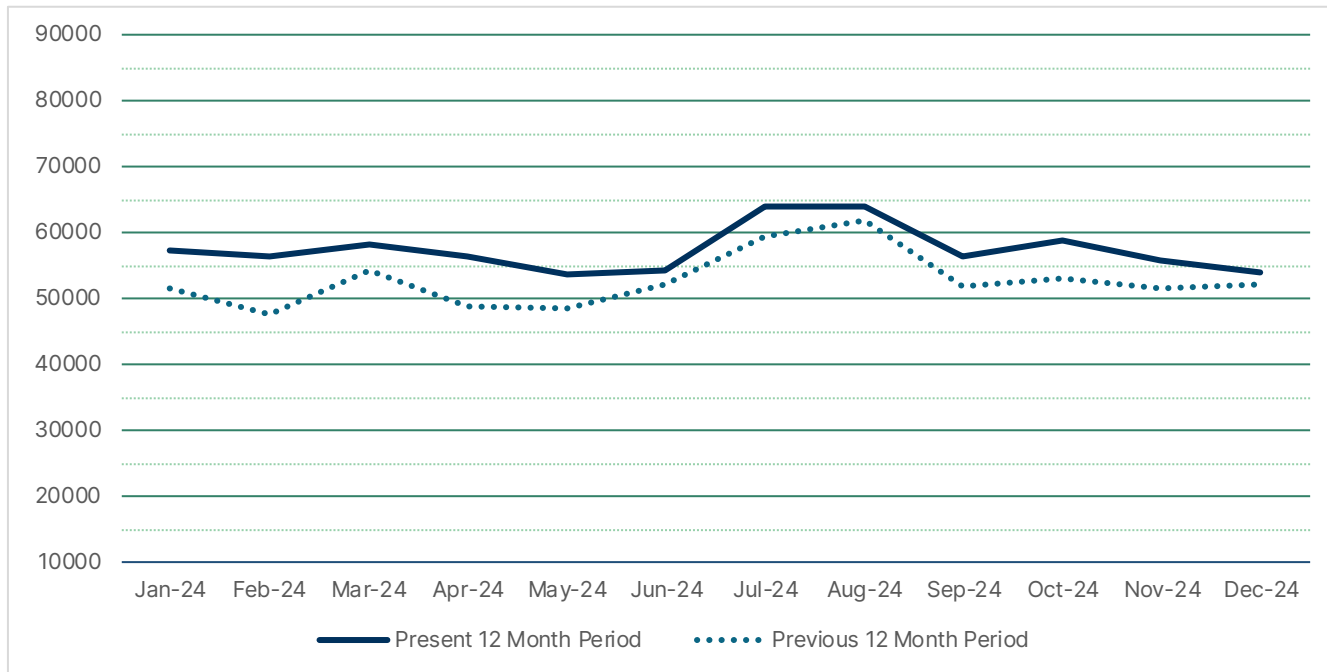
Medical Reimbursements: Reimbursement information was sent out to all YPL Employees for 2024. Any employees that have issues or questions may contact their Shop Stewards or Union Office.

Active Grievances: 0 Grievances YTD: 0

Brandon J. Neider
SEIU 704 Board Chair

CIRCULATION SUMMARY

YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY



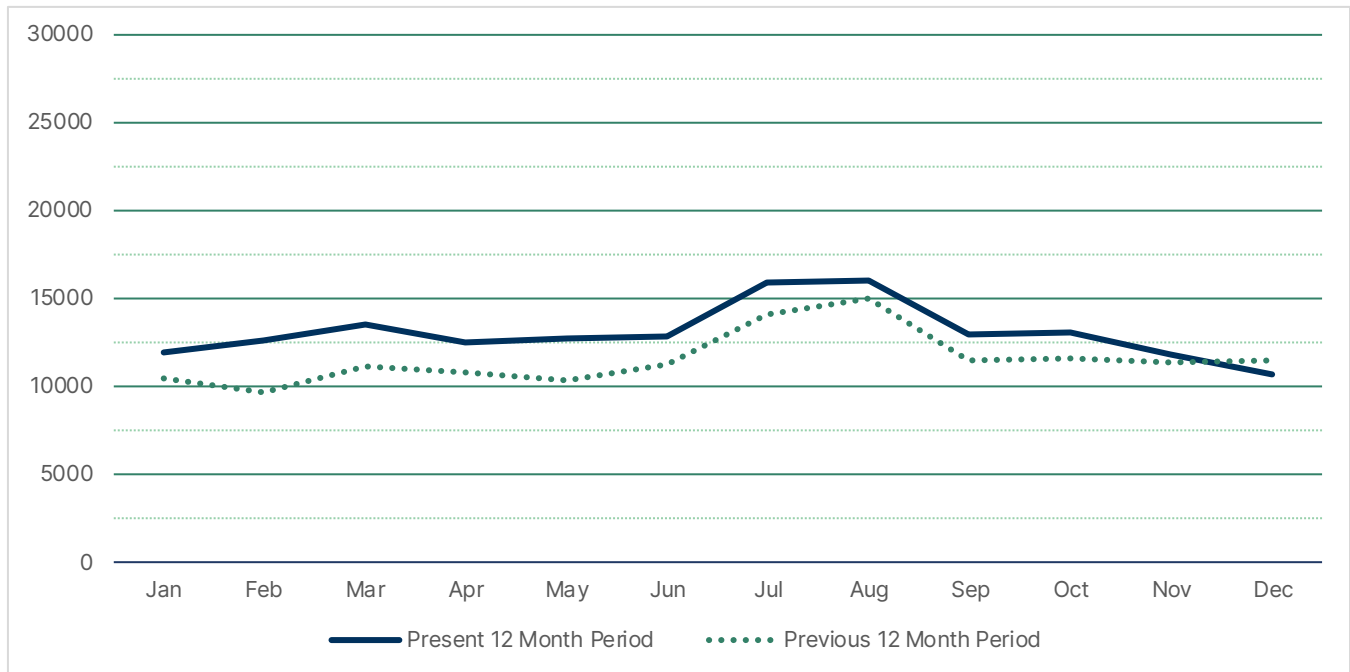
	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24
Present 12 Month Period	57192	56451	58290	56554	53772	54394	64002	64029	56528	58852	55936	54059
Previous 12 Month Period	51612	47788	54365	48955	48700	52101	59574	62015	51932	52944	51647	52248
	10.8%	18.1%	7.2%	15.5%	10.4%	4.4%	7.4%	3.2%	8.9%	11.2%	8.3%	3.5%

	Dec-23	Dec-24		
_audiobook	375	263	-112	-29.9%
_biography	503	377	-126	-25.0%
_express	356	215	-141	-39.6%
_fiction	4760	5242	482	10.1%
_foreign_language	286	263	-23	-8.0%
_juv_audiobook	59	76	17	28.8%
_juv_fiction	13335	13310	-25	-0.2%
_juv_foreign	530	473	-57	-10.8%
_juv_movie	1337	1044	-293	-21.9%
_juv_nonfiction	1998	1762	-236	-11.8%
_magazine	113	135	22	19.5%
_movie	5234	5003	-231	-4.4%
_music	2025	1935	-90	-4.4%
_new_book	2091	1897	-194	-9.3%
_nonfiction	3555	3554	-1	0.0%
_ya_av	255	232	-23	-9.0%
_ya_fiction	1301	1372	71	5.5%
_ya_nonfiction	226	138	-88	-38.9%
Electronic Content Use	13495	16369	2874	21.3%

Circulation Profile:	Dec-23	Dec-24	
_audiobook	0.7%	0.5%	-0.2%
_biography	1.0%	0.7%	-0.3%
_express	0.7%	0.4%	-0.3%
_fiction	9.1%	9.7%	0.6%
_foreign_language	0.5%	0.5%	-0.1%
_juv_audiobook	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
_juv_fiction	25.5%	24.6%	-0.9%
_juv_foreign	1.0%	0.9%	-0.1%
_juv_movie	2.6%	1.9%	-0.6%
_juv_nonfiction	3.8%	3.3%	-0.6%
_magazine	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%
_movie	10.0%	9.3%	-0.8%
_music	3.9%	3.6%	-0.3%
_new_book	4.0%	3.5%	-0.5%
_nonfiction	6.8%	6.6%	-0.2%
_ya_av	0.5%	0.4%	-0.1%
_ya_fiction	2.5%	2.5%	0.0%
_ya_nonfiction	0.4%	0.3%	-0.2%
Electronic Content Use	25.8%	30.3%	4.5%

CIRCULATION SUMMARY

RIVERFRONT LIBRARY



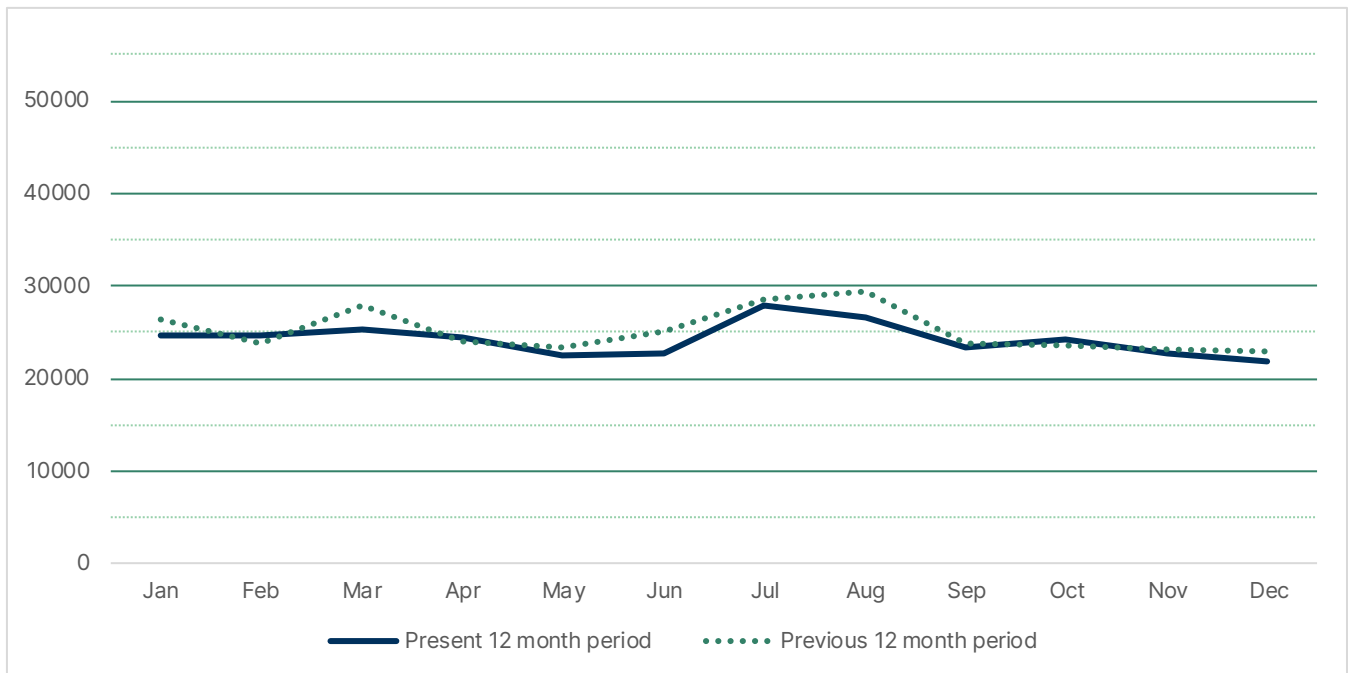
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Present 12 Month Period	12004	12596	13584	12493	12782	12836	15984	16041	12953	13105	11808	10677
Previous 12 Month Period	10515	9674	11106	10807	10325	11236	14080	15065	11546	11604	11358	11499
	14.2%	30.2%	22.3%	15.6%	23.8%	14.2%	13.5%	6.5%	12.2%	12.9%	4.0%	-7.1%

	Dec-23	Dec-24		
_audiobook	64	57	-7	-10.9%
_biography	113	67	-46	-40.7%
_express	147	118	-29	-19.7%
_fiction	860	1059	199	23.1%
_foreign_language	148	161	13	8.8%
_juv_audiobook	5	21	16	320.0%
_juv_fiction	4100	3664	-436	-10.6%
_juv_foreign	345	289	-56	-16.2%
_juv_movie	450	255	-195	-43.3%
_juv_nonfiction	588	403	-185	-31.5%
_magazine	6	0	-6	-100.0%
_movie	1728	1677	-51	-3.0%
_music	549	638	89	16.2%
_new_book	245	315	70	28.6%
_nonfiction	888	863	-25	-2.8%
_ya_av	137	114	-23	-16.8%
_ya_fiction	704	696	-8	-1.1%
_ya_nonfiction	116	34	-82	-70.7%

Circulation Profile:	Dec-23	Dec-24	
_audiobook	0.6%	0.5%	0.0%
_biography	1.0%	0.6%	-0.4%
_express	1.3%	1.1%	-0.2%
_fiction	7.5%	9.9%	2.4%
_foreign_language	1.3%	1.5%	0.2%
_juv_audiobook	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
_juv_fiction	35.7%	34.3%	-1.3%
_juv_foreign	3.0%	2.7%	-0.3%
_juv_movie	3.9%	2.4%	-1.5%
_juv_nonfiction	5.1%	3.8%	-1.3%
_magazine	0.1%	0.0%	-0.1%
_movie	15.0%	15.7%	0.7%
_music	4.8%	6.0%	1.2%
_new_book	2.1%	3.0%	0.8%
_nonfiction	7.7%	8.1%	0.4%
_ya_av	1.2%	1.1%	-0.1%
_ya_fiction	6.1%	6.5%	0.4%
_ya_nonfiction	1.0%	0.3%	-0.7%

CIRCULATION SUMMARY

GRINTON I. WILL LIBRARY



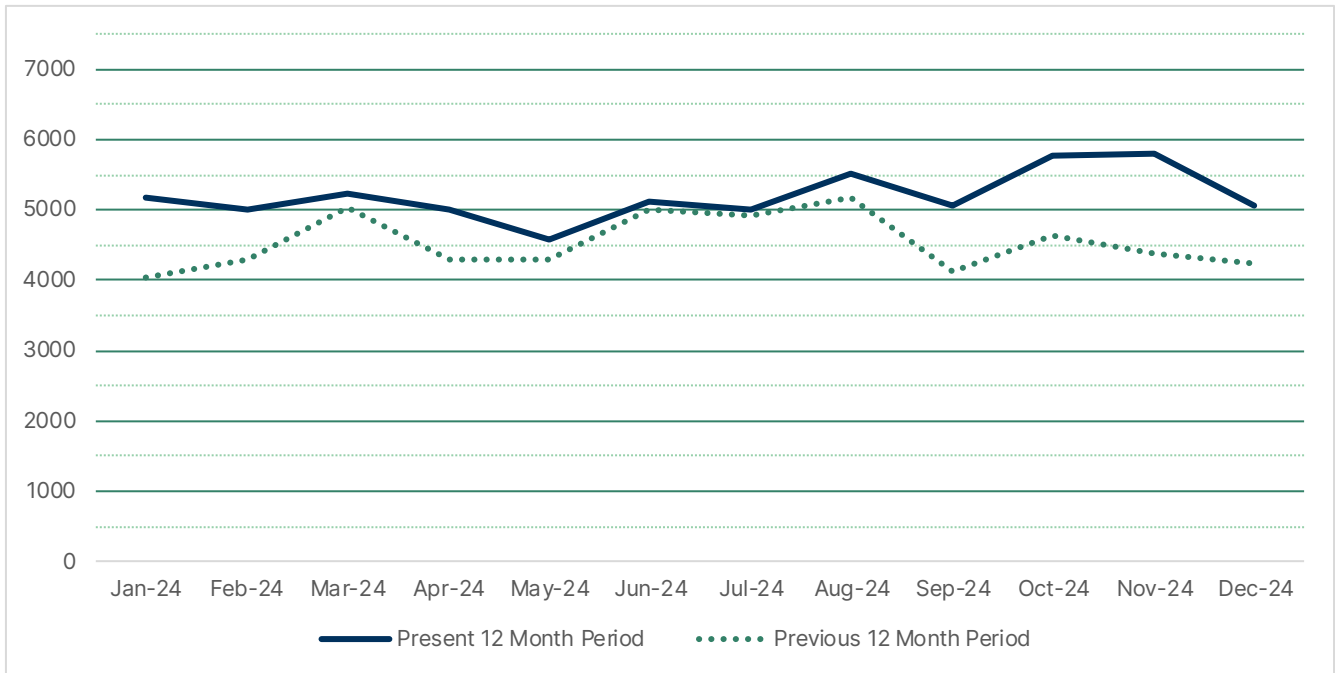
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Present 12 month period	24664	24696	25403	24438	22587	22746	27816	26554	23465	24222	22784	21942
Previous 12 month period	26378	23890	27911	23999	23350	25065	28533	29439	23781	23516	23116	23009
	-6.5%	3.4%	-9.0%	1.8%	-3.3%	-9.3%	-2.5%	-9.8%	-1.3%	3.0%	-1.4%	-4.6%

	Dec-23	Dec-24		
_audiobook	281	200	-81	-28.8%
_biography	318	247	-71	-22.3%
_express	196	88	-108	-55.1%
_fiction	3042	3239	197	6.5%
_foreign_language	130	95	-35	-26.9%
_juv_audiobook	38	40	2	5.3%
_juv_fiction	7920	7708	-212	-2.7%
_juv_foreign	179	167	-12	-6.7%
_juv_movie	717	652	-65	-9.1%
_juv_nonfiction	1201	1114	-87	-7.2%
_magazine	25	46	21	84.0%
_movie	3142	3043	-99	-3.2%
_music	1445	1231	-214	-14.8%
_new_book	1475	1175	-300	-20.3%
_nonfiction	2159	2121	-38	-1.8%
_ya_av	77	69	-8	-10.4%
_ya_fiction	501	503	2	0.4%
_ya-nonfiction	86	76	-10	-11.6%

Circulation Profile:	Dec-23	Dec-24	
_audiobook	1.2%	0.9%	-0.3%
_biography	1.4%	1.1%	-0.3%
_express	0.9%	0.4%	-0.5%
_fiction	13.2%	14.8%	1.5%
_foreign_language	0.6%	0.4%	-0.1%
_juv_audiobook	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%
_juv_fiction	34.4%	35.1%	0.7%
_juv_foreign	0.8%	0.8%	0.0%
_juv_movie	3.1%	3.0%	-0.1%
_juv_nonfiction	5.2%	5.1%	-0.1%
_magazine	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
_movie	13.7%	13.9%	0.2%
_music	6.3%	5.6%	-0.7%
_new_book	6.4%	5.4%	-1.1%
_nonfiction	9.4%	9.7%	0.3%
_ya_av	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%
_ya_fiction	2.2%	2.3%	0.1%
_ya-nonfiction	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%

CIRCULATION SUMMARY

CRESTWOOD LIBRARY



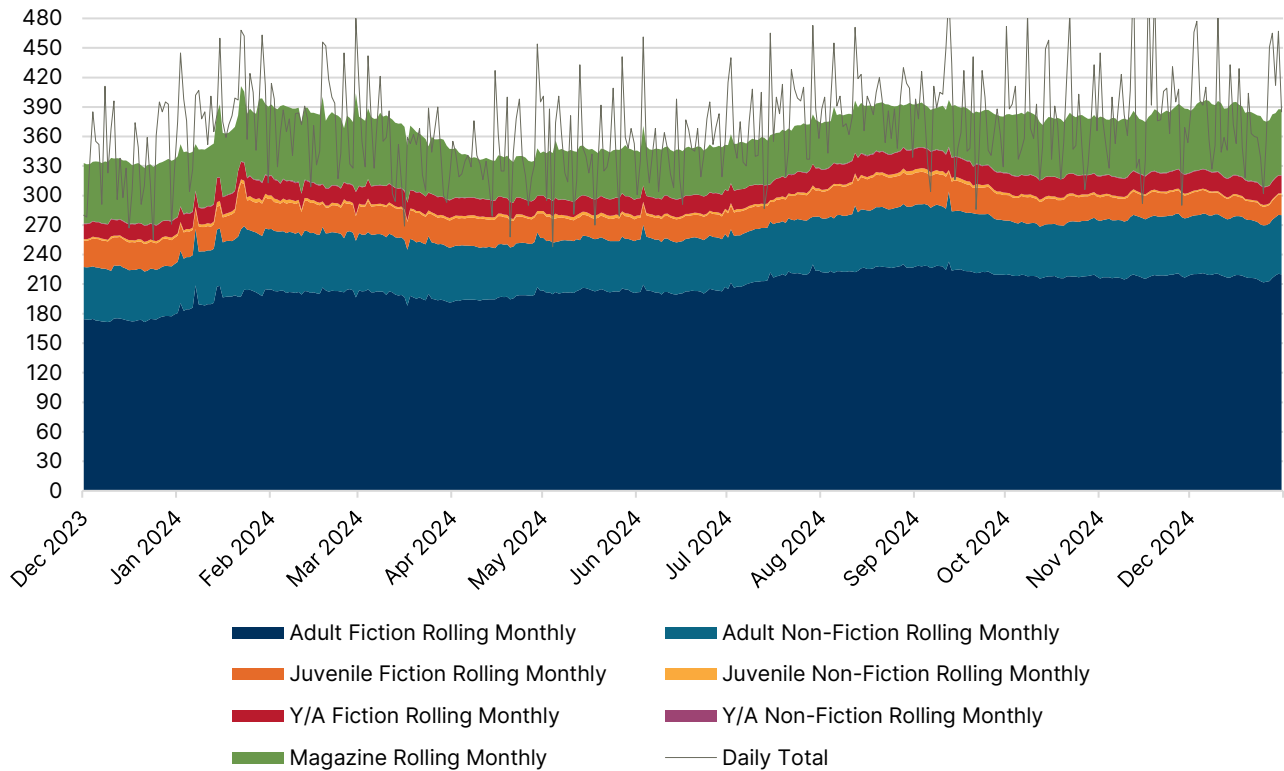
	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24
Present 12 Month Period	5178	5017	5223	5001	4577	5127	5015	5526	5070	5763	5805	5071
Previous 12 Month Period	4033	4298	5048	4292	4297	4994	4908	5168	4138	4637	4381	4245
	28.4%	16.7%	3.5%	16.5%	6.5%	2.7%	2.2%	6.9%	22.5%	24.3%	32.5%	19.5%

	Dec-23	Dec-24		
_audiobook	30	6	-24	-80.0%
_biography	72	63	-9	-12.5%
_express	13	9	-4	-30.8%
_fiction	858	944	86	10.0%
_foreign_language	8	7	-1	-12.5%
_juv_audiobook	16	15	-1	-6.3%
_juv_fiction	1315	1938	623	47.4%
_juv_foreign	6	17	11	183.3%
_juv_movie	170	137	-33	-19.4%
_juv_nonfiction	209	245	36	17.2%
_magazine	82	89	7	8.5%
_movie	364	283	-81	-22.3%
_music	31	66	35	112.9%
_nonfiction	508	570	62	12.2%
_new_book	371	407	36	9.7%
_ya_av	41	49	8	19.5%
_ya_fiction	96	173	77	80.2%
_ya_nonfiction	24	28	4	16.7%

Circulation Profile:	Dec-23	Dec-24	
_audiobook	0.7%	0.1%	-0.6%
_biography	1.7%	1.2%	-0.5%
_express	0.3%	0.2%	-0.1%
_fiction	20.2%	18.6%	-1.6%
_foreign_language	0.2%	0.1%	-0.1%
_juv_audiobook	0.4%	0.3%	-0.1%
_juv_fiction	31.0%	38.2%	7.2%
_juv_foreign	0.1%	0.3%	0.2%
_juv_movie	4.0%	2.7%	-1.3%
_juv_nonfiction	4.9%	4.8%	-0.1%
_magazine	1.9%	1.8%	-0.2%
_movie	8.6%	5.6%	-3.0%
_music	0.7%	1.3%	0.6%
_nonfiction	12.0%	11.2%	-0.7%
_new_book	8.7%	8.0%	-0.7%
_ya_av	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%
_ya_fiction	2.3%	3.4%	1.2%
_ya_nonfiction	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%

ELECTRONIC RESOURCES SUMMARY

Daily OverDrive Checkouts



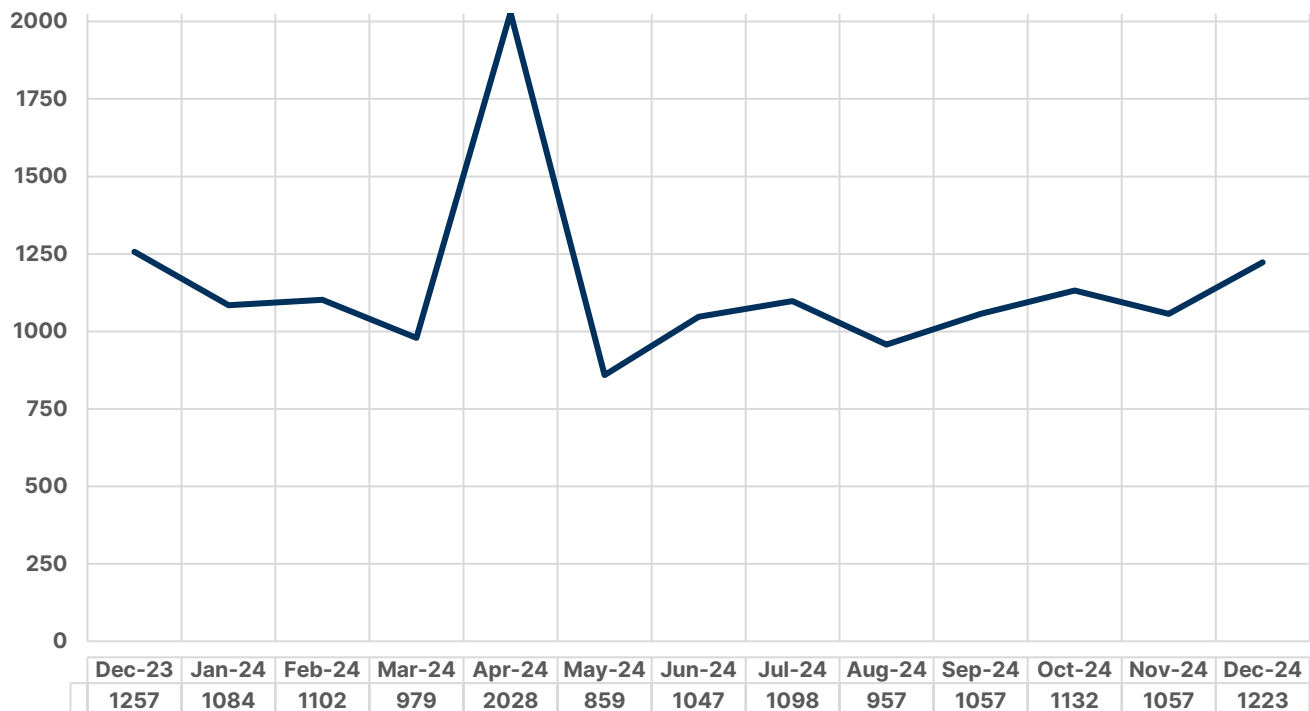
	Adult Fiction	Adult Non-Fiction	Juvenile Fiction	Juvenile Non-Fiction	Y/A Fiction	Y/A Non-Fiction	Magazine	TOTAL
Dec-23	5528	1572	816	73	515	18	1861	10383
Jan-24	6313	1922	960	108	591	23	2170	12087
Feb-24	5901	1693	814	62	519	15	1987	10991
Mar-24	5941	1729	851	72	556	15	1669	10833
Apr-24	6090	1615	753	67	473	7	1292	10297
May-24	6255	1629	705	88	533	11	1542	10762
Jun-24	6128	1588	706	62	591	9	1385	10469
Jul-24	6925	1701	833	63	632	18	1493	11665
Aug-24	7004	1920	1018	108	644	20	1448	12162
Sep-24	6589	1652	778	73	589	18	1702	11401
Oct-24	6768	1801	742	68	581	13	1845	11818
Nov-24	6545	1782	700	50	579	19	1962	11637
Dec-24	6836	1864	647	88	562	16	2031	12044

ELECTRONIC RESOURCES SUMMARY

Hoopla Circulation

	Audiobook	Comic	eBook	Movie	Music	Television	Binge Pass	Total
Dec-23	852	135	522	149	94	75	28	1855
Jan-24	1009	172	634	125	70	131	32	2173
Feb-24	938	122	600	146	97	125	21	2049
Mar-24	1022	171	602	175	100	170	22	2262
Apr-24	1069	148	619	185	91	167	14	2293
May-24	1117	144	539	193	66	129	17	2205
Jun-24	1042	110	525	213	88	158	26	2162
Jul-24	1142	165	667	203	86	133	28	2424
Aug-24	1215	164	706	242	117	139	23	2606
Sep-24	1205	140	727	195	128	158	29	2582
Oct-24	1303	163	752	249	132	174	36	2809
Nov-24	1339	160	795	275	107	130	36	2842
Dec-24	1518	168	756	282	97	145	172	3138

Kanopy Downloads



BOOK STOCK

DECEMBER 2024

RIVERFRONT LIBRARY			2024	2023
Number of volumes at end of previous month			163,105	
Number of volumes added this month			543	
TOTAL			163,648	
Number of volumes lost/withdrawn this month			520	
TOTAL VOLUMES RIVERFRONT LIBRARY			163,128	160,698
GRINTON I. WILL BRANCH				
Number of volumes at end of previous month			168,787	
Number of volumes added this month			717	
TOTAL			169,504	
Number of volumes lost/withdrawn this month			25	
TOTAL VOLUMES GRINTON I. WILL BRANCH			169,479	161,883
CRESTWOOD BRANCH				
Number of volumes at end of previous month			34,620	
Number of volumes added this month			383	
TOTAL			35,003	
Number of volumes lost/withdrawn this month			8	
TOTAL CRESTWOOD BRANCH			34,995	31,570
TOTAL VOLUMES IN YONKERS PUBLIC LIBRARY			367,602	354,151

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RIVERFRONT LIBRARY QUARTERLY REPORT OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024

While continuing our investment in both physical and digital infra-structure, the Riverfront Library has over the course of the year reimagined how we deliver educational programs and services to our patrons. All of which testifies to our unshakable commitment to ensure that our patrons receive the free services and resources they need.

The Library's staff strive both to provide a welcoming environment for community gatherings and to anticipate the evolving needs of the community. In addition, we offer high quality, diverse, and informative programs, services, and resources that are of interest to people of all ages and to people of all levels of skill.

A large emphasis during the quarter under review was on reaching out to the community to attract new users and to educate the public on the many services and materials offered by the Library. Accordingly, Library orientations were offered to students at local schools, including the Robert Dotson School and the Cesar E. Chavez School. An orientation was also held at the recent Storytime at Tibbetts Brook Park. In addition, information tables were staffed at the Charter School of Educational Excellence, the William Boyce Thompson School's Open House, and the Saint Joseph's Hospital Christmas event.

Programming

During the quarter under review, the staff delivered informational and entertaining programs in support of literacy, life-long learning, and community engagement.

The Children's Department continues to expand its programming, with the aim of providing every child in the community with access to reading materials, library cards, and library services. The department presented 260 programs during the last quarter, reaching a total attendance of 8,801. Programs were designed to promote early literacy, to encourage reading for pleasure and to satisfy curiosity, and to provide children with opportunities to explore a variety of personal interests. Among the programs presented during the quarter were *Terrific Toddler Time*, *Babies and Books*, *Father Goose Stories*, *Storytime with Mr. Ralph*, *Dental Storytime with Joanne*, *Music by Zev*, *Musica with Ms. Marilyn*, *Bilingual Music & Movement*, and *Cuentos in the Cove*. The Children's Department also presented a Christmas ornament craft session, STEM and Legorama sessions, a Cat Day craft and cartoon event, Hojalata Tin art and craft, and two gaming events (*Kid Tech Gaming* and *Kid Switch Gaming*).

Other programs were presented off-site, including storytimes at Raby Daycare, the Queen's Daughters Daycare, the Small World Daycare, the Mary J. Blige Center, St. Peter's School, the Museum School 25, the Cesar E. Chavez School, the Philipse Manor Hall's monthly Storytime, and the Family Services of Yonkers Daycare. Ralph Guida and Oswald Coto-Chang conducted 613 notarizations this quarter.

The information desk in the Children's Department continues to be a hub of activity. Staff help children of all ages to find books, audio books, DVD's, and other resources in a variety of areas of interest. The computers in the Children's Department have proven to be a popular stop for the youngsters during their visits to the library: educational games are accessed by the younger children while the older children use

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the computers to play games and explore topics of interest. And of course the computers are also used by the older children to work on their homework assignments.

Nor did the last quarter see any shortage of programs offered by the Reference/Adult Services Department.

In fact, the quarter saw significant growth in attendance at various Adult programs, with a final attendance figure reaching over 3,400.

The first ever Yonkers Comic Con and Cosplay Convention was held in October, drawing several thousand participants to various programs. There were gaming activities, discussions with comic book creators, a Cosplay runway show, and more. The Superhero Dance Party, which was held on the evening before the Comic Con, was geared towards adults with developmental disabilities. More than 80 participants took part in the party and enjoyed dancing, contests, and just spending time together.

Local history and genealogy programs included several drop-in genealogy sessions (one geared specifically for people seeking information on Hispanic genealogy). There were also documentary film screenings on local events. These programs were managed by Ana Gantzer and Erik Malave.

The staff worked closely with Harold McKoy and his colleagues to promote local history initiatives – including a short film – related to John Edward Bruce. (Mr. Bruce was a prominent African-American journalist : who lived in Yonkers in the early 20th Century.) It is hoped that a grant will facilitate the development of a longer documentary. Mary Robison and Arnaldo Torres are assisting in these efforts.

Elyse Schreiber led a field trip to the Dia Beacon and to the Lower East Side Tenement Museum in Manhattan. (Such off-site programs are popular with our patrons).

Phyllis Cole has managed the GED tutoring program for many years. She reports that nearly 50 people attended tutoring sessions during this quarter. Phyllis also runs the job coach program, which offers resume and interview preparation assistance remotely. Forty people used this service during the quarter to build their resumes and improve their interview skills.

Having during the third quarter run the first blood drive here in several years (at which 47 donations were made), Adult Services Librarian Ben Cosgrove added in December a holiday blood drive which saw significant donations. Ben also aims to relaunch the adult book discussion group.

Community Engagement

The Riverfront Library staff continue to maintain our partnerships with other community organizations so that, together with them, we can work to make a difference in the lives of our patrons.

In October, the Library hosted 140 students and their teachers from the I.B. (International Baccalaureate) program at Yonkers High School for an orientation session in library research. The instructors were librarians from YPL and Sarah Lawrence College. Mary Robison, Eileen Fusco, and Charlie Loftus were among the presenters and made themselves available to assist the students with their research.

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Eugene Howell continues his important role in the Yonkers Community Network. He will work with YPL Deputy Director Shauna Porteus on public health initiatives in the coming year.

Arnaldo Torres continues his service on the Board of the YMCA.

Library card sign-up events were held at Sarah Lawrence College this fall. Mary Robison continues to serve as the Library's liaison to the College.

Collection Development

The Riverfront staff continues to devote time and thought to the task of collection development.

Michelle Halpern created a new subdivision of the parenting collection – to cover homeschooling. She also began ordering books in the Persian language for the benefit of a family that has during the quarter been frequenting our storytime events.

The Children's Department has engaged in a major weeding effort to overhaul their biography and social science holdings as well as their holdings in materials aimed at young readers.

Displays

The Riverfront Library staff create compelling displays and exhibits to promote various topics.

Eugene Howell and Eileen Fusco are to be commended for their success in making library displays attractive and timely. Mary Robison installed an exhibit on the third floor that promotes Yonkers' status as a World War II American Heritage City (this in anticipation of the Library's imminent launch of the newly-digitized war era publication, the *Yonkers Home News*). Renee Rabadi worked on the displays for Sesame Street Day, Cookie Monster Day, Hispanic Heritage Month, and National Bullying Month. Amanda Ospina worked on the displays for Diwali, Spanish "Celebrate The Bilingual Child" Month, Filipino-American History Month, and Italian-American History Month; and Michelle Halpern worked on those for National Chocolate Day, Learn a Foreign Language Month, and Bullying Awareness Month.

If I may address the staff ..

I wish to recognize all of you for everything you have contributed to the Yonkers Public Library. Thank you for your creativity, hard work, and commitment to our patrons.

Thank you also for being a joy to work with every day.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sandy Ernest Amoyaw
Riverfront Library Branch Administrator

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GRINTON I WILL LIBRARY QUARTERLY REPORT OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024

The Will Library had another solid quarter. The Children's room began October with a new partnership with grades 1-3 of Montessori 31. On a monthly basis, the librarians visit 4 classrooms for stories and outreach. Grades 4-6 continued their monthly visits to the library to check out books. Jessica Neto and Sharon DeYoung visited the Dodson school three times for stories and crafts with third grade classes.

We also had visits from DiChiaro and Pearls, which included a special election-themed story and craft. For Halloween, the entire children's department dressed as characters from the book "Alice in Wonderland," and children paraded around the library in costume at our storytime and afterschool.

Our Winter Wonderland was a big success, with over 250 people enjoying face painting, crafts, and visits from Santa and Bluey. Many thanks to Paul (Custodial Dept) and TeriAnn (Page) for filling these roles. Laura Cacace and Aili Whelan have been working with the Winter Reading Committee to prepare for January's reading challenge. Kathleen DiSilvio, Sharon DeYoung, Jessica Neto, and Cyndi Chiulli attended Beanstack training to help facilitate the program. Sharon DeYoung had a great idea and we began a new tradition of "caroling" with our toddler storytime-singing a holiday song at the three service desks. Jessica Neto designed our popular "seek and find" treasure hunt and has used her educational expertise to find materials for our class visits. Cyndi Chiulli, Clerk II is officially part of the children's department. She is helpful with finding crafts, supplies, and decorating ideas! Cyndi has also attended several training sessions for making our reports, to facilitate weeding in the new year. In 2024, we said goodbye to Mary Ann Minozzi upon her retirement and welcomed Sharon DeYoung to the children's department from Brooklyn Public Library!

The Adult Services Department was especially busy this quarter with programming and outreach. Some highlights included Senior Law Day at Westchester Counter Center on Tuesday, October 1st which consisted of presentations, workshops, one-on-one consultations with Attorneys and Financial Planners, and exhibitors. There were 475 attendees, 310 one-on-one consultations and 19 workshops. The Korean Spirit and Culture promotion project presented the Lotus Lantern Craft workshop with 23 in attendance. A Musical tribute to the Soulfood sounds of the 80's & 90's with Emily Surtees with 67 attendees. The Einstein Service Learning program drew to a close. It was wonderful to work with the students and have them engage and develop service programs for the kids. We are looking forward to the next group of students. The Young Adults Department continues to have visits twice a week from the Roosevelt students. Victoria provides crafts and activities during this time. Special thanks to Erwin Ong, the muralist who painted the colorful mural in the Teen's space. The Circulation Department won the desk decorating contest in December. On a sad note, Lucia Trovato, part time clerk passed away in November.

In this quarter, the Custodial Department mainly focused on disinfecting in high touched areas. Additionally, patching and painting was done in staff offices. Both the Children's and Fine Arts offices received new furniture that the Custodial Department assembled.

In 2025, we look forward to more community outreach, new partnerships, improving our collection with weeding, increasing circulation statistics, team building, and quality customer service experience at the Library.

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Respectfully submitted by,

Tara Somersall

Branch Administrator

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CRESTWOOD LIBRARY QUARTERLY REPORT OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024

Fall Quarter was fruitful and fun with Crestwood Crew providing exceptional library experiences through our diverse book & materials collections, vast digital resources, innovative and timely programs and strong community partnerships. We are delighted to welcome part-time clerk Stephanie Zatkovich to our Crew.

IT improvements: we upgraded our public copier, new USBC chargers and blocks, and Minecraft installed on our ipads. Building and groundworks: Russell Martinez had an electrician come in to work on our ballasts, he and the Custodial Department strung up our outdoor lights and helped us store many of our off season books and supplies at Will Library in storage.

Our biggest professional development news is that both Jackie Leone and Alison Robles completed courses to earn their MSILS - Master of Science in Information and Library Science from the University at Buffalo and Liz Caruso completed the LBSCI 777 Course Public Library Services for Young Adults at Queens College. Crestwood Crew members have completed YPL KnowBe4 computer trainings, attended various meetings/trainings offered via the Westchester Library System (WLS) and METRO. Crestwood Library hosted and facilitated the WLS Young Adult Services meeting in December.

Fall programming highlights: Trip to Bruce Museum with Professor Val Franco thanks to the NYSCA Grant; PS 15 7th Grade Book Tasting sessions to spark the love of reading; Homeschool Youth Entrepreneurship Holiday Fair; a great vegetable garden harvest; Friday Fun Flan to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month; Dia de Los Muertos Bookshelf Offrenda honoring local community member loved ones (including beloved patron Arlene Connolly O'Neill); Sustainable You Clothing Swap spearheaded by Nora-Grayce Orosz; our Annual Halloween Birthday Party for Cooper the Therapy Dog; and a Halloween Night Trick or Treating soiree with a Literary Costume Contest thanks to our Friends. We also had A Creation Station for Thanksgiving Cards and Holiday Cards. Maddie, a local teen, has taken the reins to lead our Crestwood Crochet Club. Homework Helper with Sarah Hawkins remains a popular after school stop for children. Music & Merriment with Ms. Judy had special guests from the North Pole in December where she announced her retirement from YPL.

The Holiday Season was kicked off by: YPL Winter Wonderland event on December 3rd, followed by Friends of Crestwood Library's Annual Holiday Breakfast on the 4th & Crestwood Community Grand Tree Lighting Ceremony on the 5th at Veterans Plaza where Z & Jackie Leone attended and Friends of Crestwood Library donated candy canes that Santa gave out. All were successful in bringing our community together.

During the last two weeks of December, we offered people an opportunity to connect over books with hot chocolate and snacks in our second annual "Home for the Holidays Hygge Happy Hours" celebration during our operating hours. Take home activity packets on the various December holidays (Hanukkah, Shabe Yalda, Navidad, Dia de Reyes, Kwanzaa, Christmas & New Year's Eve) highlighted various cultural celebrations. Mary Nowak's decorating flare created a magical atmosphere - a place where books and people are valued, cherished and celebrated!

Our Yonkers NNORC partnership provided meaningful events where people connected including weekly hybrid intergenerational art programs, Italian Heritage, Diwali celebrations plus a December Holiday Party

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with Bingo. Thanks to a third annual partnership with Gramatanvillage, NNORC, and Crestwood Library, this year 20 seniors in Crestwood received a free turkey dinner for Thanksgiving.

Friends of Crestwood Library (FOCL) bought several books for our collection that were not available through regular library jobbers. They were the benefactors (\$1000) from [The Charitable Foundation of the Burns Family Inc](#) as thanks for the wonderful work that Crestwood Crew and Friends do for the community. FOCL's dedicated support of our library enables us to buy materials & supplies to enhance our literacy and intergenerational initiatives. October Friends of Crestwood Library Bake Sale was successful and Friends YOM walks ended in October.

Crestwood Historical Society continues to build their website and held their Annual Meeting in October: Joseph Plumb Martin: A Revolutionary Memory by Peekskill City Historian John Curran. Our Westchester County Grant Funding drew to a close and sponsored incredible programs including Val Franco's ZOOM The Gift of Good Art, Zoom Fitness, and Positive Psychology Book Group..

Lillian Jamal, our intern from Search For Change, completed her internship in November. She gained valuable experience and insights from our staff and community.

Everyone Belongs Here! From Book clubs to storytimes, from financial literacy to fitness, we bring our community together in our inspiring space. All this is possible with the wonderful work of our Crestwood Crew whom I would like to thank for their tireless efforts and exemplary public service to make "Crestwood the Little Library that DOES!". Crew members: Jackie Leone, Librarian Trainee; Mary Nowak, Clerk II; Liz Caruso, Clerk I Data Entry; and our part timers- Zaina Awaad, Nina Colavolpe-Leone, Radilsa De Leon, Saredys Marte, Gabriella Monaco, Nora-Grayce Orosz, Humberto Davila Casiano (Part-time Custodian), Alison Robles, Matthew Rodrigues, Valentina Saccente, Erin Schoenlank, Caroline Sullivan, Natalie Varker, Nancy Wissman (Librarian I), Stephanie Zatkovich, Carina Zegers, Sarah Hawkins (Homework Helper), and Maureen Butler (Substitute Homework Helper).

We forge ahead, hopeful as ever for a wonderful New Year as we celebrate our 99th year in our current building - Crestwood Branch of our Yonkers Public Library - Your Partner for Life!

With wishes for a happy and healthy 2025 for us all!
Z. Baird, Crestwood Library Branch Manager

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TECHNICAL PROCESSING DEPARTMENT **QUARTERLY REPORT** **OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024**

Orders are placed as soon as they are received from the departments with Holiday and Seasonal orders taking priority in processing once they are delivered. All departments placed orders for Holiday items. These books and AV materials were first in our workflow so that they could be on the shelves and patron ready for each of the last quarter Holidays.

There were some issues with Baker & Taylor deliveries being delayed due to changes at that vendor with some anticipated titles not received by their release date. It was suggested that alternate vendors may be a solution to this problem.

The Baker & Taylor Book Leasing Program continues to provide shelf ready new books for the branches that use their monthly quotas to obtain titles for their collections. These titles are then returned when they are no longer popular circulating items.

Tech Processing accommodates all requests from all departments for information, processed materials, and orders using whatever resources are necessary and available. Contacting and working with vendors is a large part of our work.

Mary DiChiara

Technical Processing Dept.

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YPL ARCHIVES/LOCAL HISTORY PROGRAM **JULY-DECEMBER 2024**

In response to community interest and with the intention to collect and preserve the history of the people of Yonkers, YPL this year formed an archives team to collaborate on local history initiatives across all three branches.

Staff with archival responsibilities

Librarians throughout YPL work on archives and local history projects. In an effort to collaborate more intentionally and share resources, the archives team meets on a weekly basis. The team consists of Jackie Leone (Crestwood), Mike Walsh (Will), Charlie Loftus, Erik Malave, and Mary Robison (Riverfront).

The Riverfront Library holds the bulk of YPL's institutional records, yearbooks, city directories, maps, and print resources in the Local History room. The Will Library holds several important physical and digital archival collections, and a Creative Studio is available to patrons who want to preserve their history. While the Crestwood Library's space is too limited to house archival collections on site, materials relating to that library are being processed and described, and these will be included eventually in the YPL collections at the Will Library.

DHPSNY assessment grant

This year, YPL welcomed Archives Specialist Kate Philipson of the Department of Historic Preservation for the State of New York to assess our archives and local history programs and repository. The Riverfront Library was chosen to host a DHPSNY workshop in November, at which Jackie Leone and Charlie Loftus gained new skills in preserving photographs. We look forward to continued collaborations with DHPSNY, and we expect their assessment report soon.

METRO *Yonkers Home News* digitization grant

We are grateful to METRO for funding this important project to digitize and make accessible the entire run of the *Yonkers Home News*. Published between June 17, 1941 and January 29, 1946, this eight-page paper, published to share information with soldiers serving overseas during World War II, is a treasure trove of Yonkers social history and local news. YPL holds two copies of the entire run, and we are glad to report that the entire run was digitized by Backstage Library Works by October 2024 without damage to the originals.

The digitized files have been reviewed for quality control and proper formatting in preparation for uploading to the Digital Culture of Metro New York website [<https://dcmny.org/>] ingest, and they are now housed on the YPL server. We plan to share the files with DCMNY in January and also upload them to the YPL digital archive [<https://yplarchive.omeka.net/>]. We are in conversation with the Westchester Library System regarding the WorldCat record that describes this series. While the files have not yet been made

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public, we have shared them on a limited basis with researchers working on local history and genealogy projects.

We are planning with the Yonkers City Historian and Director of Veterans Services a one-day event this spring to promote the collection and our status as an American World War II Heritage City. This event will include a tote-bag giveaway, also funded by the METRO grant.

Interns through Sarah Lawrence College

YPL offers unpaid internships during the academic year, and we are pleased to continue our partnership with Sarah Lawrence College's Community Leadership Intern program each summer. Interns Simon Darrow and Abigail Dixon-Bowles worked this fall with Jackie Leone and Mike Walsh on digital archives and physical collections.

Donations

YPL has received several archival collections this year. Notable donations include the corporate papers of the Women's Civic Club of Nepperhan, digitized sacramental records from St. John's Episcopal Church-Getty Square, several oral history interviews, and a large group of books related to African American history.

Displays

This fall, Mary Robison installed an exhibit on the third floor of the Riverfront Library that promotes Yonkers as a World War II American Heritage City, in anticipation of the launch of the newly-digitized *Yonkers Home News*. Several permanent wall displays were installed at the Riverfront Library this year, and Jackie Leone collaborated with the Crestwood Historical Society to celebrate the Crestwood Library's anniversary. An exhibit of artifacts from the Yonkers Historical Society is installed at the Will Library.

Research requests

The Archives team worked on more than 50 research requests for local history materials, and the Riverfront Library hosted several researchers this fall who worked with archival materials at the library. Outreach and marketing efforts are paying off as we see an increase in these requests throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

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Mary Robison

Head of Reference and Adult Services, Riverfront Library

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CUSTODIAL DEPARTMENT QUARTERLY REPORT OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024

In this quarter, my staff in all three facilities have been focused on constant disinfecting of high touch areas multiple times daily. We will continue this practice for the foreseeable future.

Crestwood

- This quarter Wayne Electric was called to replace a number of bad ballast throughout the building.
- At the request of the Branch administrator, we assembled and installed new outdoor holiday lights on the lawn and across the front roof.

Will

- To ensure the cleanest possible air quality, all air handler filters have again been replaced with the high quality Merv 13 filters.
- During this quarter we have been doing patching and painting in staff offices. We also moved and installed new furniture in the children's, Circulation and Fine Arts office's.
- Safeguard locksmith was called to install new keypad locks in those areas.
- Due to some power issues with the Sonitrol alarm,. Wayne Electric had to install dedicated power outlets to the alarm boxes.

Riverfront

- This quarter my staff has been shampooing areas of carpeting nightly. We've also been ramping up our efforts in the public restrooms, Scrubbing floors and walls.
- Maintenance repaired a broken toilet in the fourth floor ladies room.
- Special thanks to Pablo Duran for his help in hanging the LEGEND OF THE FOUR CROWS mosaic in the lobby.
- In November there was a water main break at Warburton and Dock street that flooded the library basement. Special thanks to the Custodial crew (Reggie, Carolyn, Scott and Paul) with the Maintenance crew, who mediated thousands of gallons of water in a quick and professional manner.

Staff

- Full time custodian position at Will remains unfilled.

Russell Martinez
Supervisor of Custodians

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1000 Books Party, Nov	Golden Age of Holiday TV Specials
Adult Online Book Club, Nov,	Gourmet Gang COoking Club
America Reads, Nov, Dec, Jan	Grab & Go Nov, Dec
Anaana's Tent Show	Groundbreaking Black Comedians
Anime Afternoon	Hanukkah Snack & Show
Annual Christmas Ornament Workshop	Health For Life Program, Dec, Jan
Art With Erica, Nov, Dec	Healthy Holiday Bites, Crestwood
Art With Say, Nov	Healthy Holiday Bites, Will
Art with Teresa	Healthy Storytime
Art Workshop with Koren Beck	Hello Kitty Poster Craft
Babies & Books, Nov	Hip Hop Dance Class
Beauty & the Beast Movie Craft	History Lover's Book Club, Dec,
Bilingual Story Time, Dec, Jan	Holiday Blood Drive
Black History Month Films	Holiday Cards with Julie
Body Mind Fitness, Nov, Dec	Holiday Shopping on Amazon
Book Chat, Nov	International Disabilities Day
Brooklyn Bridge	Inventors Day
Candlemaking Workshop	John Edward Bruce Film
Celebrate Native American Heritage Month	Lego Club, Nov, Jan
Chair Yoga Dr Heptula, Nov	Letters to Santa
Chair Yoga Gr Guzman, Nov	Linocut Printmaking
Children's Book Week	Lunar New year Keychain and Necklace
Cinema Club, Nov, Jan	Lunar New Year Story & Craft
Coach Elaine, Nov	Maker Mondays, Nov, Dec
Coach Karina, Dec	Mary Mcleod Bethune
Cooper Tuesdays, Jan	Mending Club
Cornucopia of Wealth	Mickey Mouse
Cozy up with Cooper	Miraculous Ladybug Movie
Crafts with a Cause	Mix & Match for Teens, Nov, Dec
Create Your Family Tree	Mixed Media Munch, Nov
Crestwood Crochet Club	Moon Yoga
Crestwood Friendsgiving	Motown Concert
Dental Storytime	Movie of the Month, Nov, Jan
Dia De Los Muertos	Movies at Riverfront, Dec, Jan
Disney Day Party	Music & Merriment, Nov, Dec
Disney Films, Nov, Dec, January	Musica with Ms. Marilyn
Eco Friendly FestivitiesExercise for Managing Illness	Music with Zev, Nov, Dec
Empowered Art Exhibit	Mystery Thriller Book Club, Nov, Dec
Family Board Games	National Bird Day
Family Game Day, Nov, Dec	National Monopoly Day
Family Movies in Spanish	National Popcorn Day
Finding Forgeries	National Science Fiction Day
Fit Kids Fitness Class	Native American Heritage Celebration
Flexible & Easy Desserts	New Year's Eve Crafternoon
Forever Young Book Club, Nov, Dec	NNORC Consultations, Nov
Free Play All Day, Nov, Dec, Jan	Older Drivers Safety Week
Friday Festival: Diwali	Opportunities to Volunteer
Friday Fun Board Games, Nov	Owls & Hawks
Friends of YPL, Nov	Paint & Juice
Fun Family Films, December, January	Pajama Storytime
Get Festive Concert	Peekskill Riots Episode 4
Get Organized, Dec	Penguin Palooza
Get Out and Play with NNORC	Polar Express Party
Get Started with Chess, Nov, Jan	Polka Party
Gingerbread House Craft	Positive Psychology, Nov
Gingerbread Man Story Time	Pound Ridge Massacre
Godzilla 70th Birthday	Pretend Potted Plant Craft
Going Nuts for the Holidays	Private Consultation with a Financial Planner, Jan-March

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Qi Gong Nov, Dec
Rather Be Reading Book Club, Nov, Dec, Jan
Read With Cooper Riverfront, Nov,
Ready, Set, Holidays
Red Planet Day
Robert the Guitar Guy, Dec, Jan
Rosa Parks Day
Saturday Story Time with Tati Sabrina, Nov, Dec, Jan
Series Squad, Nov, Jan
Sew Amazing
Snowmance Films
SnowyDay Story & Craft
Soulful Sounds of the 80s & 90s
Sound Meditation, Nov
Spilling the Tea
Strings Attached Guitar Group
Superhero Fitness
Sustainable Skyscrapers
Taking Scaries out of Finances
Tenants' Rights
Thanksgiving Craft
Thanksgiving Films
Thanksgiving Story & Craft
The Land of Ice and Fire
The Many Adventures of Winnie the Pooh Memoir Writing
Workshop
Tobacco Prevention Program
Toddler Fitness
Tour of Frederick Douglass Site
Turkey Trot
Turkey Tuesday
Virtual Authors, Dec, Jan, Feb
Vision Boards Washi Tape Coaster
Water, Rest, Exercise, Recipes
Westchester Holiday Image Makers
Will Movies, Dec, Jan
Windows and Doors
Winter Movies Warmup Challenge
Winter Reading Warmup
Winter Wonderland at YPL
Winter Wonderland with Bluey
Workout with Coach Karina
World Kindness Day
Yonkers On The Move Untermyer Tour
Yonkers Writing Group
Zumba, Dec, Jan

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