

Report to the Board  
Kathy O'Malley Children's Department  
August 2023

**Programs:**

The summer reading program went really well. There were over 200 kids registered and 98 of them read enough to get an honor book in their name.

All the children's clubs and story times went well. There were 8 programs each week for 5 weeks.

We offered a special Kids and Clay program. Kids made their own piece of pottery. It was really well received and lots of fun. This was made possible by the O'Connell grant. We hope to offer a similar program in the near future.

The special events were mostly well attended. The Honor Book Party and sing along with Tom Sieling is scheduled for 8/17<sup>th</sup>.

Jim's Park n Shop generously volunteered to pay for the Honor Book Party refreshments.