



Olean Public Library

April 2024 Report to the Board

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Display Cases for the month:

Lobby case: Sexual Assault Awareness by CCA

Small case: National Library Week events

Tall tower featured: National Poetry Month

Short tower featured: Titanic anniversary

Partner Organization Activity:

1 Friends of the Library Outreach Table in-library celebrating National Library Week

LawNY passive display in-library

2 LawNY Outreach Tables in-library

1 Be Heart Healthy Outreach Table in-library by St. Bonaventure University Health Promotion Interns

1 Outreach Table in-library representing the Cornell Cooperative Extension's Sustainability Campaign

1 Outreach Table in-library representing the Catholic Charities Emergency Financial Assistance Program

Volunteers: 3 adults, 2 teens

Memorial Gift Book Plates: 0

Computer tutoring: 1 appt

Outreach Activities:

April 2024 – Article in OTH featuring National Library Week

4/5/2024 – American Red Cross Blood Drive – 29 participated

4/5/2024 – 3 Hands-Only CPR Classes – 40 participated

4/8 – 4/13 – National Library Week

-Throughout the week we distributed National Library Week Patron Appreciation

promo items like OPL pencils, OPL pens, Bookmark Bar, OPL and reading button pins, magnets, and keychains.

- Celebrate your freedom to #ReadEverywhere social media campaign.

- Celebrated National Library Workers Day on Tuesday.

4/9/2024 – Began collecting eclipse glasses for recycling to Astronomers Without Borders

4/17/2024 - Race Unity Circle Book Club - 6 patrons attended

4/17/2024 – Gem Painting Craft (taught for OPL Programming Dept, 17 participants reported on their report)