MEEKER REGIONAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

NOVEMBER 2026



Monthly Statistics

Circulation Check Outs by Material Type

	August	September	October
Books	810	723	769
Books on CD	37	39	45
DVD	96	55	90
Large Print	9	15	14
Magazines	13	17	13
Equipment	10	9	5
Music	2	4	2
TOTAL	977	862	938

Circulation Check Outs by Age Group

	August	September	October
Adult	577	535	539
Juvenile	95	110	106
Easy Reader	229	169	247
Young Adult	26	25	39
TOTAL	977	862	938

Circulation by Item Report Class

Circulation Statistics By Item Report Class : 10/01/2026 to 10/31/2026 for M

Item Report Class	Checked In	Checked Out
000	2	1
100	6	7
200	4	3
300	15	18
400	1	1
500	6	3
600	17	14
700	8	6
800	0	1
900	19	18
Biography	0	0
Books on CD	43	45
Books on tape	0	0
DVD	78	90
Easy Readers	223	252
eBook	0	0
ERNF	0	0
Fiction	259	276
Historical Society	0	0
ILL	24	23
J000	2	1
J100	0	1
J200	1	0
J300	2	1
J400	0	0
J500	33	30
J600	2	3
J700	7	6
J800	1	1
J900	5	1
JBIO	0	0
JFIC	53	56
JGN	4	3
JNFGN	0	0
JSS	1	1
JVID	0	0
Large print	18	15
Magazine	14	12
Maps	0	0
Microforms	0	0
Music	2	2
Spanish Aud	1	0
Spanish Easy Readers	0	0
Spanish Fic	0	0
Spanish J Fic	0	0
Spanish J Non	5	0
Spanish Non	0	0
Spanish Vid/DVD	1	0
Spanish YA	0	0
SS	9	3
Undefined	5	6
Video	0	0
YA Fic	45	38
YA Non	0	0
YA SS	0	0
Total	916	938

Miscellaneous Statistics

	October
Computer users	190
Community Room Reservations	7
Website Pageviews	30,125
Door Counter	4369
New Library Cards	18

Program Statistics

	October
Children	24
Teen	61
Adult	28
Everyone	15
Total	199

Programming

Children's Events

- Storytime & Craft *weekly*
- Stay N Play *weekly*

Teen Events

- Crafternoon x2 *monthly*
- Financial Literacy Classes

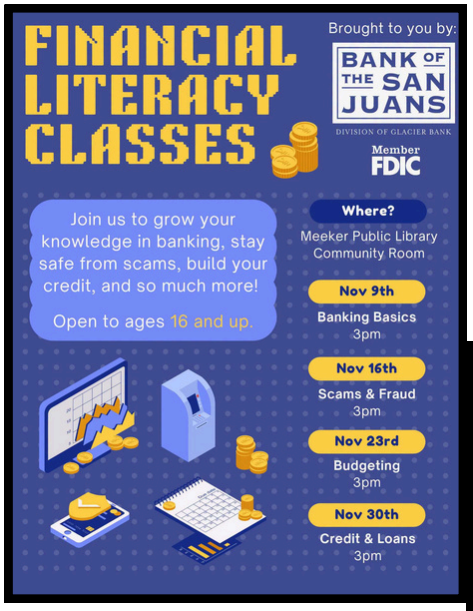
Adult Events

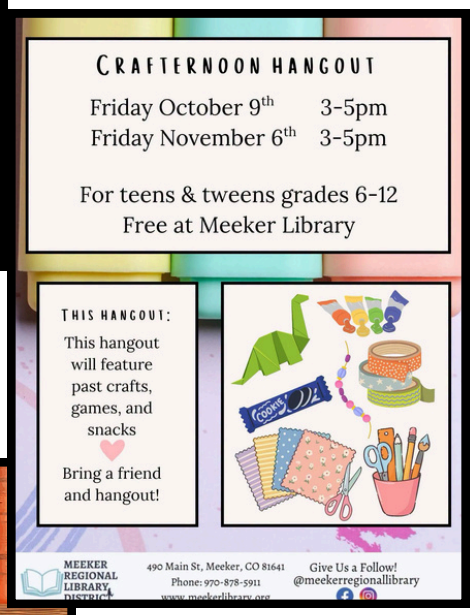
- Open Book Club *monthly*
- Short Stories & Snacks *monthly*
- Meeker Heritage Club *monthly*
- Online Author Talk *monthly*
- Craft Crazy with Erin *monthly*
- Recipe Swap
- Financial Literacy Classes

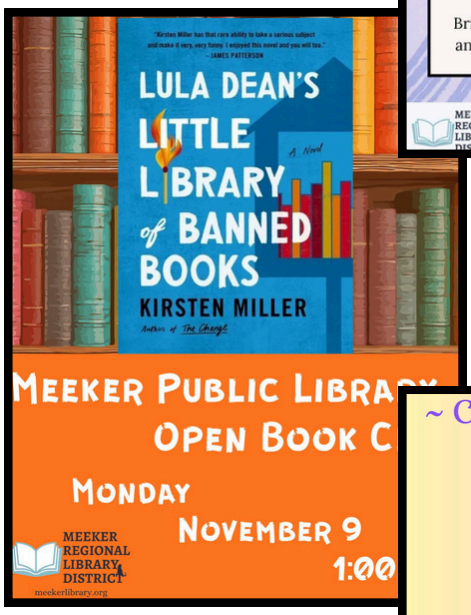
All Ages Events

Outreach Events

- Library at Lunch









Director's Report

"When I got my library card, that was when my life began." -Lauren Ward

Programming

This month we have financial classes hosted by Bank of the San Juans. We also had

Collection

- The updated Memory Kits are ready for checkout. They include more activities and resources, and have been separated into early-mid and mid-late stages of dementia.



New magazine!

Building Projects & Maintenance

- I met with an architect from Mountain Architecture this month at the library to go over ideas for the Director office and staff area. They will be sending concept drawings in December.
- VLCM has received a service agreement from the District on the AV upgrade project in the Community Room. Since the actual project won't take place until early 2027, price increases for equipment is anticipated. I will receive an updated proposal from VLCM in December, in which the agreement can be signed then.
- Superior Alarm was able to come back this month to replace the smoke detector that was going out.



Professional Development

- I am currently participating in the 8 week Library Management course through Library Journal.
- Webinars that I have attended this month are:
  - “A Home Away From Home: Sharing Your Library's Impact Through Storytelling” This was a great webinar that gave inspiration on how to use patron stories to showcase the impact of the library in it’s community.

Community Connections

- We connected with Vitalant once again for a blood drive this month.

Additional

- I will be out Nov. 28-Dec. 6. I have planned for payroll to be approved by Board Treasurer Toby Leavitt, and for any emergency situations staff have been directed to contact Board Vice President Keri Grieser.
- A Board Training with the Colorado State Library has been scheduled for February 9th, the Board’s regularly scheduled workshop date. This training will be an overview of Library Boards.
- I continue to work with Anna from CLiC on the hiring process for the Assistant Director.
- We are hosting a frozen turkey giveaway this month for anyone who checks items out, the drawing will be done on Nov. 19th. We will do this in December as well with a ham.
- The Herald Times did a wonderful article on the Library in their November 12th edition.
- Thank you to Board Trustee Toby Leavitt for her donation of a cat tower for Katniss and Fable.
- We have reached 20 graduates of our 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program!





Director,
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