DIRECTOR'S REPORT May 2025

Art Exhibition

The Ruplin Gallery in April showcased the art work of Thomas A. Mowatt, naturalist artist, environmental educator, Adirondack guide and non-indigenous craftsman. In the showcase he will exhibit Native American-style basketry, birchbark containers with quillwork made with hand dyed quills.

Program Series for Seniors

The first in a series of 4 programs on Technology Training for Adults took place on April 9, 2025 at 10am in the Senior Center. This series is funded by the legacy of Theresa Mahoney and is a collaboration between the Library and the Senior Center. Sign-ups required. Topic for this session was How to Use A Smartphone and had an attendance of 30 people.

Annual Report to the Community and Amendment to ADK Foundation 2025 First Quarter Statement

Example will be furnished at meeting for Board approval.

Respectfully submitted, Alma Alvarez, Director Town of Chester Public Library

<u>STATISTICS</u> April 2024

9 to 10am	107
10 to 11am	119
11 to 12pm	104
12 to 1pm	60
1 to 2pm	33
2 to 3pm	64
3 to 4 pm	49
4 to 5pm	24
Total Visitors	560

	Apr 2024
Patrons in Library	560
Items checked out	818
ILL received	215
ILL sent	292
Computer users	20
Wireless	317

Apr. 2025

9 -10am	95
10-11am	121
11-12pm	92
12- 1pm	55
1 to 2pm	56
2 to 3pm	45
3 to 4pm	46
4 to 5pm	43
Total	553
Visitors	

	Apr. 2025
Patrons in Library	553
Items checked out	730
ILL received	92
ILL sent	311
Computer use	17
Wireless	342
Tech Help	17
Fax	10