



# Fiscal Year 2025 Report

**2,098**  
Card registrations

**16,177**  
Total cardholders

**154,750**  
Visitors







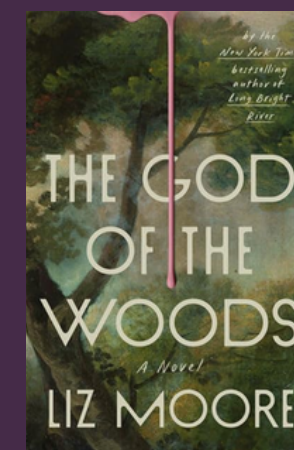
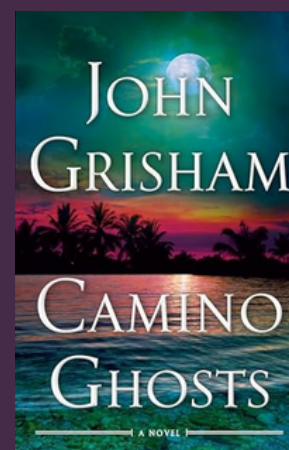
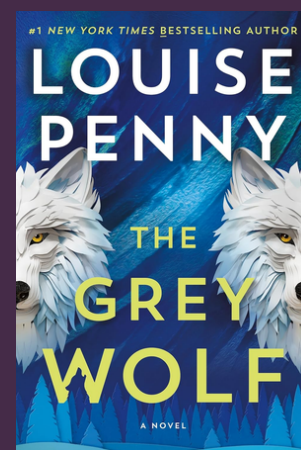
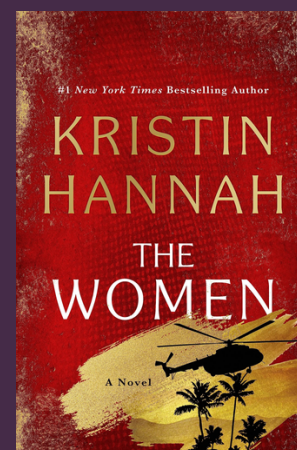
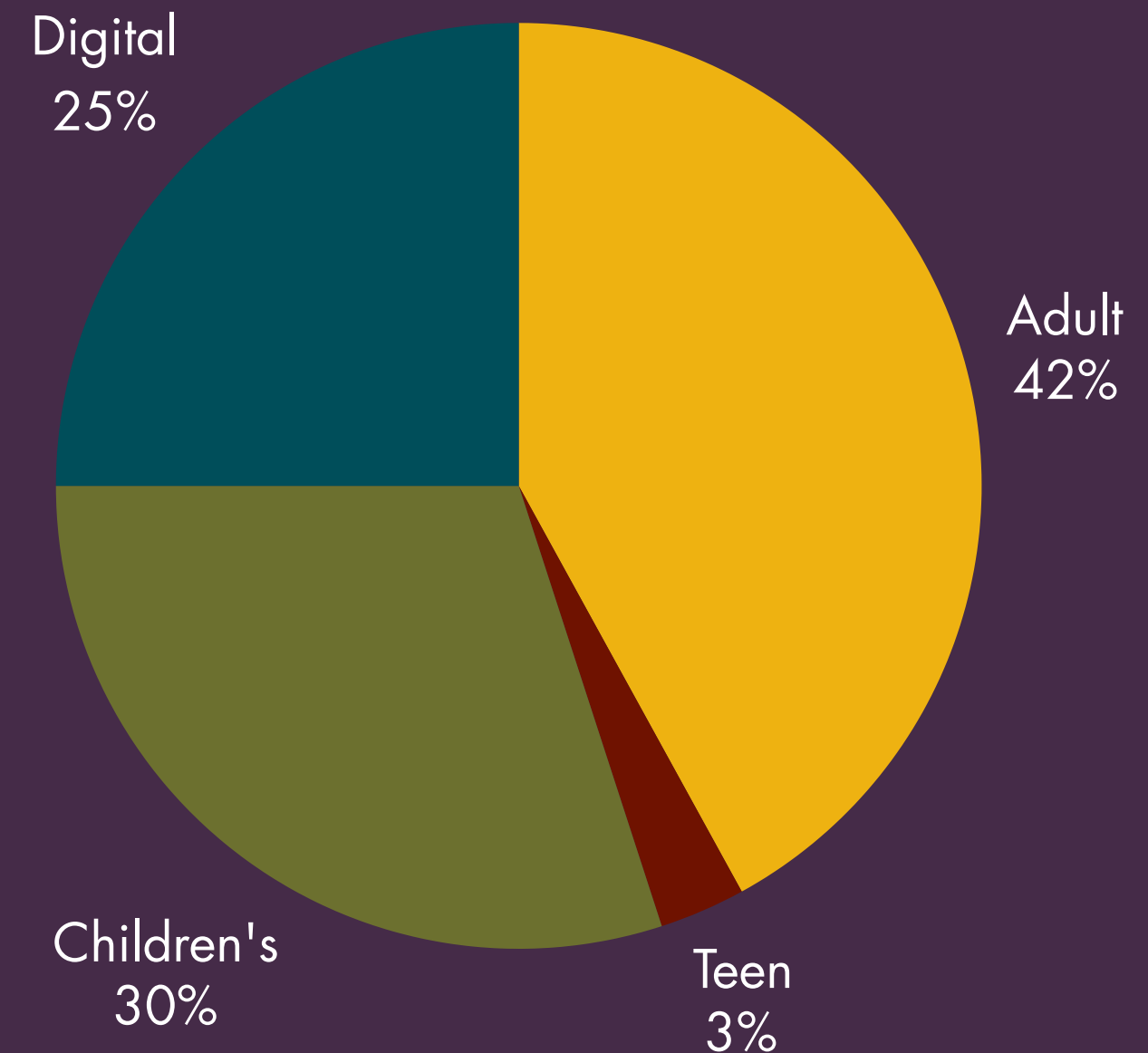
# Circulation

Total Circulation ↑ 4%

285,546

Physical Circulation ↑ .3%

214,087



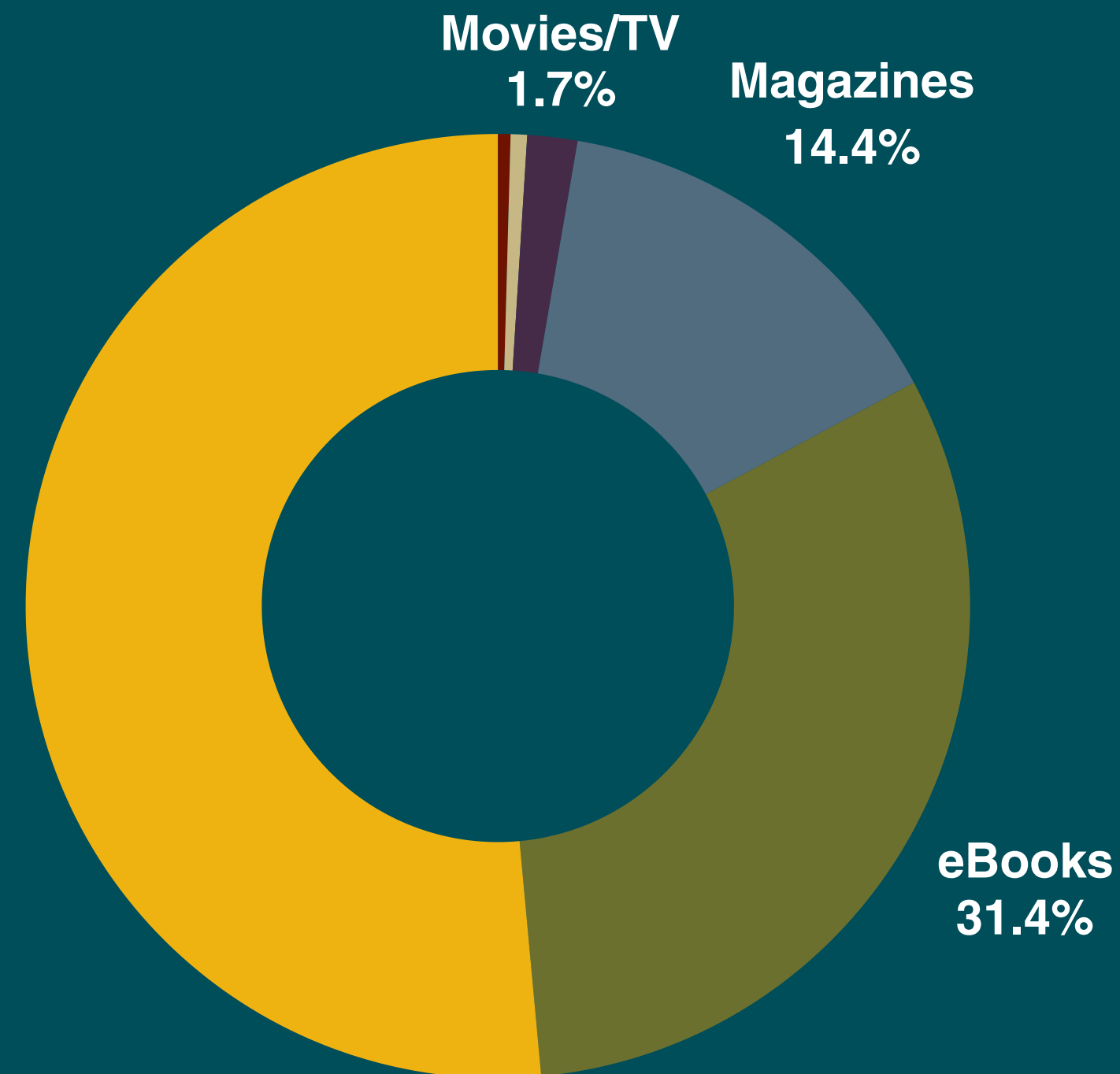
# Digital Circulation

# 71,459

↑ 15%

Despite changes to Hoopla

Nationally, digital check-outs make up approximately 45% of library circulation





# Creating Community

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- 678 events, including 127 outreach events
  - 28,487 Attendees
  - Over 30 business partners
  - Two dozen community organizations



# Key Accomplishments



## Summer Reading

- Reorganized program
- Registration up 46%
- Participants logged over 530,000 minutes or reading... or almost 9,000 hours!



## Employee Growth

- First all-staff development day since pre-pandemic:
  - Reader's Advisory
  - Censorship
  - Deescalation
- Dementia-friendly training



## Facility

- Refreshed young adult and juvenile areas
- Building assessment conducted by Wiley|Wilson
- New book drops
- Terrace



# Literacy

## Early Childhood

- 5+ in-house story times each week plus weekly daycare and school visits
- 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten
- Summer Reading Program
- StoryWalk®

## Civic

- National Voter Registration Day and voter info
- VA Treasury Unclaimed Property
- Health agencies



## Digital

- **7,500+ computer users**
- 68 hours of professional Reference Librarian assistance each week
- Book-a-Librarian sessions
- Tech classes





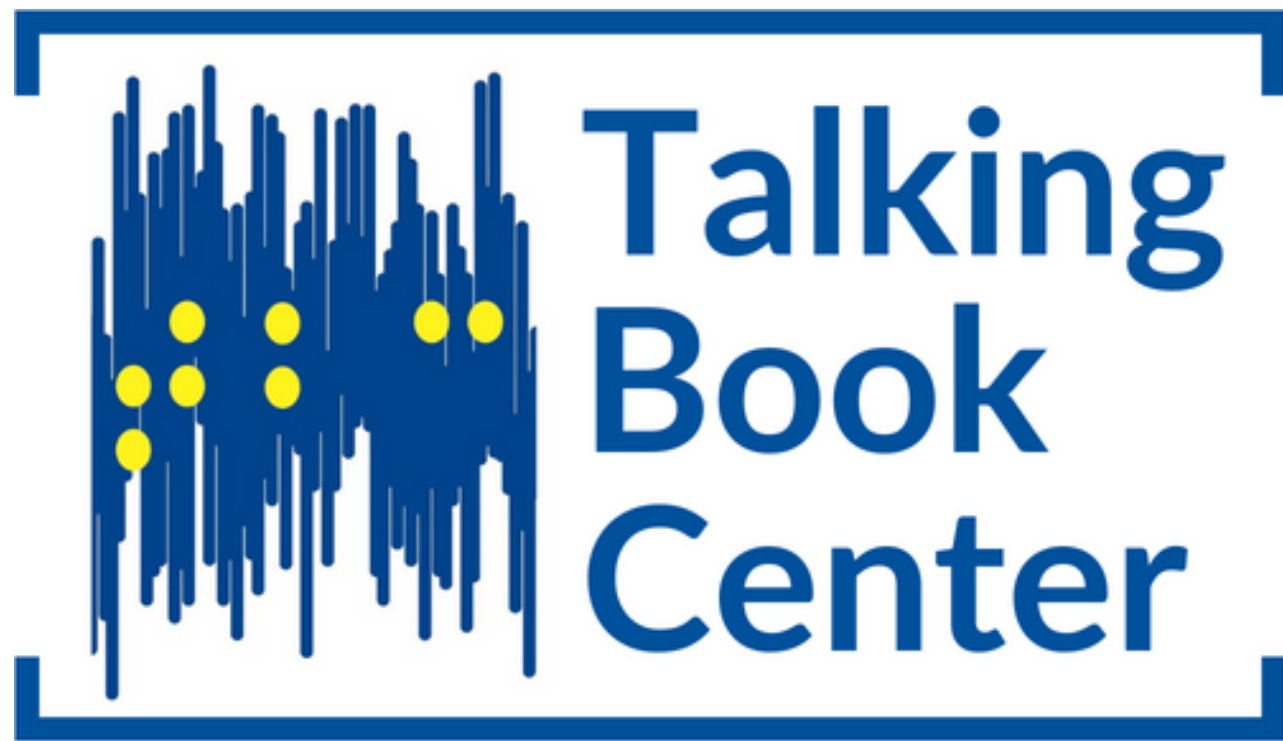
## FRIENDS HIGHLIGHTS

- 1500+ volunteer hours
- \$8500 raised from used book sales
- Found new book donation/sale space
- Over 200 members
- Fall Book sale Oct. 13 - 17, 2025
- and ...

**broke ground on  
the Terrace**







## Circulation

**19,869** **↑ 31%**

## Patrons

**343**

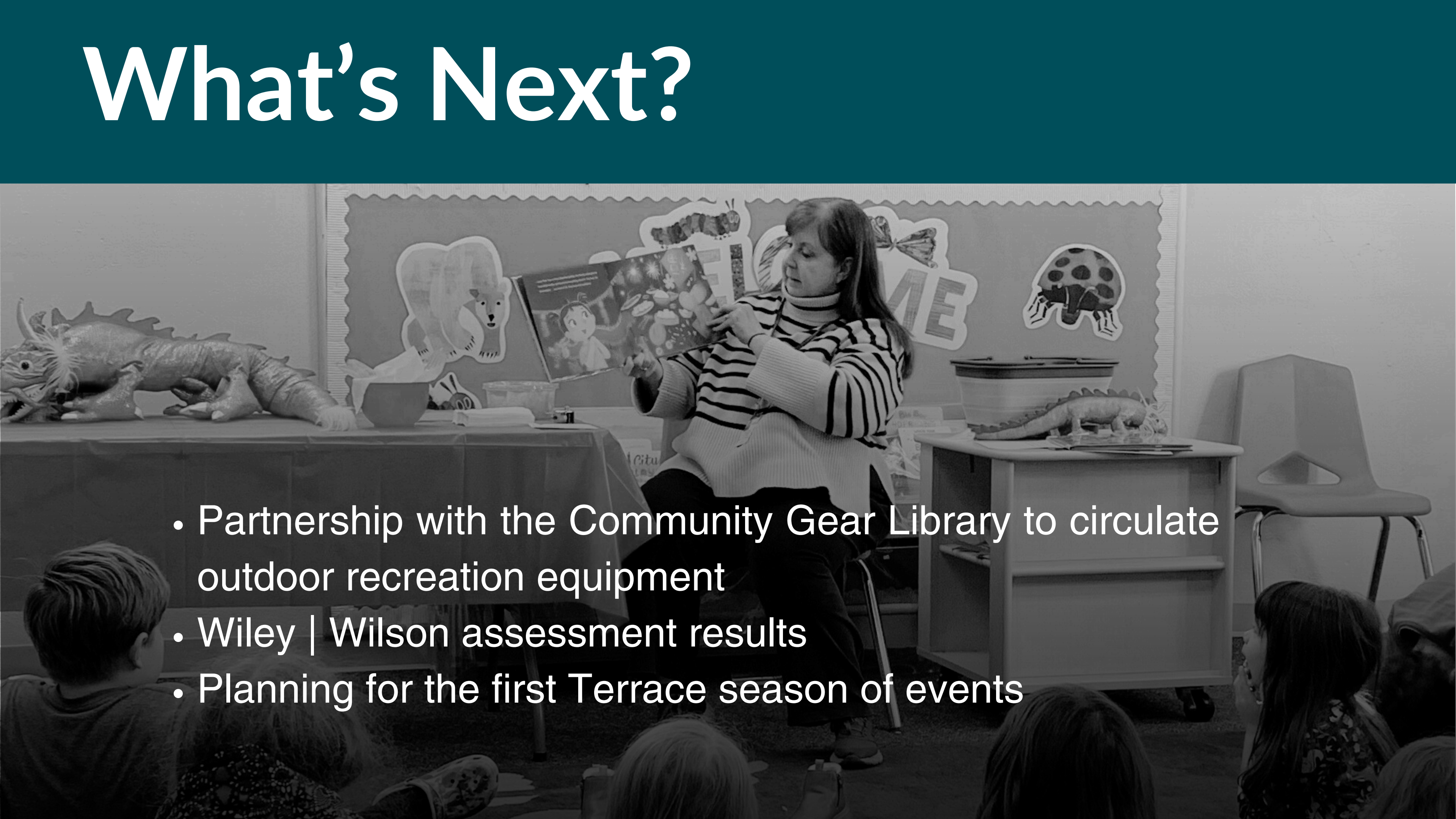


- 2,800 newsletters sent
- 40 iBill readers distributed
- Sampler Packs
- Open House event
- New player design





# What's Next?

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- A black and white photograph of a woman with long hair, wearing a striped sweater, sitting on a chair and reading a book to a group of children. The children are sitting on the floor, looking at the book. The background features a bulletin board with various cutouts, including a dragon, a cat, and a ladybug. There are also some toys and books on a table in the background.
- Partnership with the Community Gear Library to circulate outdoor recreation equipment
  - Wiley | Wilson assessment results
  - Planning for the first Terrace season of events





**We thank the Staunton  
community for your support!**