The Library’s new Makerspace was filled with creative minds and busy hands in the latter half of 2019 and early 2020. The weekly "Makers" ranged from those in Kindergarten through High School, with parents joining the fun.

A new gaming group for teenagers was quickly attended by a growing number of enthusiastic players during their weekly gatherings in the newly-opened NPL Annex.

Virtual programming and communications were initiated in March 2020, in addition to curbside services, to continue serving our patrons and families during the global pandemic. Innovative technology and resourcefulness provided opportunities to consistently engage the community, new patrons, and our faithful "regulars."

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2019 - 2020**

- **PRESIDENT** - Amy Hertzberg, 2022
- **VICE-PRESIDENT** - Shirley Rainey, 2020
- **TREASURER** - Janet Wray, 2020
- **SECRETARY** - Margie Carter, 2020
- Cyndia Haggard, 2022
- Angela Hedges, 2021
- Denise Carrick Hedges, 2021
- Judy Hurt, 2021
- Lucille Walker, 2023

**Mission Statement:**
"Transforming lives and building community through information, education and recreation."

**LIBRARY DIRECTOR**

Jodi L. Polk
$277,391.11
TOTAL REVENUE

INCOME SOURCES
- Taxes $210,827.51
- State Aid $6,094.66
- Investments $4,002.24
- Grants $2,160.40
- Other Income $54,306.30

EXPENSES
- Salaries $174,387.27
- Materials $25,937.82
- Operations $19,756.74
- Building $35,523.86

Note: Building Insurance was not billed within the year due to a delay in invoicing.
$19,160.73 was paid 8/2020.

$255,605.69
TOTAL EXPENDITURES
**COLLECTION USAGE**

**PRINT**

**ITEMS CHECKED OUT**

36,600

**E-CIRC**

**OVERDRIVE/LIBBY**

7,630

**ONLINE DATABASES**

MORENET --

3,350 FILES ACCESSED

EBSCO

HERITAGE QUEST

LEARNING EXPRESS LIBRARY

**INTERLIBRARY LOAN**

**ITEMS BORROWED**

485
**PROGRAMS & EVENTS**

**2019 Summer Reading Program**

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**LEGO Builder’s Club**

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**Monthly Maker Camps**

Maker Camps were held monthly by age group. Projects & activities were then planned to be age/skill-focused. Age groups were: K-2nd gr. camp, 3rd-5th gr. camp, and a MS-HS camp.

**Preschool Story Time**

Ms. Jodi led story time events on the first Friday of each month for our youngest readers & their families. We also launched a new early learning program, 1,000 Books before Kindergarten!

**TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL**

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**2019 Summer Reading Program**

The library held 98 events for children & teens to choose from and 1,163 patrons participated in the vast offerings of library events! "It was a 'TOTAL BLAST!"-GM, age 8

**ADULT PROGRAMS**

Adult computer class

Nevada Nursing & Rehab Outreach program

Home-bound Outreach service

**YOUTH PROGRAMS**

4,501 PATRONS ATTENDED A LIBRARY PROGRAM OR EVENT

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CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITY

NEW CARDHOLDERS  463
ACTIVE CARDHOLDERS  4,614
VISITS TO THE LIBRARY  45,630
PUBLIC PC SESSIONS  6,767
FREE WI-FI SESSIONS  7,698
WEBSITE & VIRTUAL VISITS  29,175

PRESIDENT -- Sandra Thomas
VPRESIDENT -- B.G. Wolfe
TREASURER -- Wayne Reinert
SECRETARY -- Jodi Polk, Library Director

David Black
Larry Bradley
Allison Ferry
Mary Ireland
Jan McCaffree
Candice Moore

Our Mission:

The Nevada Public Library Foundation is a non-profit organization whose mission is to solicit, receive, hold and administer gifts, and to do such other lawful acts and undertake such other enterprises for the literacy and educational purposes exclusively for the support and benefit of the Nevada Public Library.

Our Goals:

- engender public support and use of the Nevada Public Library;
- generate and develop special projects & program funding;
- facilitate and expand community collaborations;
- support broadly-based community learning.