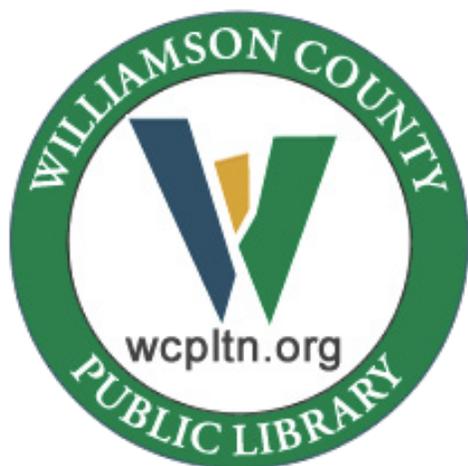


Williamson County Public Library System

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SO MUCH TO BE PROUD OF

Jessica Jeffers, Library Director



I would like to express my gratitude to the dedicated library staff for their exceptional receptiveness to change over the past year. Your commitment to adapting and evolving has been commendable, ensuring that our library remains a vibrant and essential hub for our community. The positive approach to embracing new ideas and technologies has not only enriched the library experience but has also allowed us to better meet the diverse needs of our community members. As we move forward, I am confident that with continued enthusiasm and dedication, the library will continue to be a beacon of knowledge, connection, and support for all. Thank you for your outstanding efforts and for making our library a welcoming and dynamic space for everyone

We are grateful to have many dedicated groups advocating on our behalf, raising funds, and guiding our library system. Thank you to our Library Board of Trustees, Friends groups and our Foundation.

YEAR IN REVIEW 2023

WILLIAMSON COUNTY PUBLIC
LIBRARY SYSTEM



290,691

VISITORS TO THE LIBRARY



1,595

PROGRAMS
OFFERED



35,596

PROGRAM
ATTENDANCE



35,286

WIRELESS SESSIONS



3,091



TECH
TRAINING
SESSIONS



1,225,291

TOTAL ITEMS
WERE CHECKED OUT



18

OUTREACH EVENTS



11,226

FACEBOOK
FOLLOWERS



407,519

WEBSITE VISITS



404,636

DIGITAL
CHECKED OUT



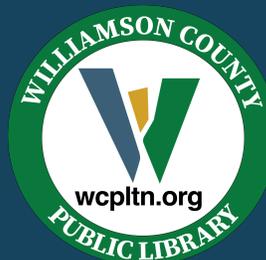
31,255

ACTIVE
BORROWERS



7,126

NEW CARDHOLDERS



HIGHLIGHTS

Expanded Service Hours

Starting July 1, 2023, several branch locations expanded hours.

National Genealogical Society Award

Awarded to Special Collections for a photographic collection and exhibit.

Increased Outreach & Marketing Efforts

We increased our marketing and outreach efforts and acquired specialized software to assist with promotions.

Discover, Learn, Playroom

Space in the Children's Dept. at the Main Library was transformed to an early literacy playroom.

Children's Activity Room Renovation

New flooring, paint, furniture and fixtures were added to this space at the Main Library.

Strategic & Technology Plans Updated

New three year plans were developed thanks to input from the community, staff, and our Library Board of Trustees.

Updated Operating Policies

Several policies were revised and a new programming policy was created.

Landscaping Improvements

Major projects were completed at Fairview, Main and Nolensville Libraries.

Early Literacy Training & Handbook

Through a partnership with a Vanderbilt Student, an early literacy handbook was developed and training was given to story time staff.



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