

Director Notes for January 2026

The check for the parking lot was mailed to Willards.

You have 3 bids for snow removal. This needs to be voted on tonight.

I have contacted Shrode Electric to put a light fixture by the furnace and ac units in the back room. He will get us scheduled.

Pam put out 339 new items in December.

2025 was a very good year for the library. Here are some of the numbers if you have not seen them. A nice article about them was written in the paper.

Numbers from 2025: 83,526 people came through the Library doors

66,856 items checked out

Our meeting rooms were used 12,728 times

We had 31391 items used from Libby

13,997 people visited the museum

We had 204 free programs

We have 18,412 active card members

We had 7134 events

Each of these numbers shows why the Lebanon Laclede County Library is so important to this community.

December 2025 Numbers

Ill's

Inbound Ill's-1103

Outbound Ill's-1146

Number of patrons that walked in the Library in December 2025-5,862

Financials December 2025

Museum Donations-\$65.50

Used Book Sales- Cash-\$113.50 Debits-\$35.00

Meeting Room- Cash \$25.00 Debits-\$245.00

Libby December 2025

New Users-24

Number of items checked out through Libby-2,703

Patron Visits

Route 66 Museum: 13,997

Outreach Numbers

Deliveries: 10

Books Delivered: 230

Events: 2

People Served: 530

Programming Numbers

Children's Events: 11

People Served: 265

Teen Events: 1

People Served:11

Adult Events: 4

People Served: 371

Total Events: 16

Total People Served: 497