



Greetings!

April was full of many exciting events including our annual National Library Week where we celebrated with this year's wonderful theme "Find your Joy." On Library Workers Day, the Friends were pleased to express our appreciation to the library staff with flowers and gift cards for local vendors. Mrs. Hayes' Art Day was also a big success where participants created their very own kaleidoscopes!

A graphic for the next meeting featuring a yellow hat with white floral patterns and a pair of green gloves with yellow dots. The text is set against a pink, cloud-like background.

Our Next Meeting is May 19th 4PM



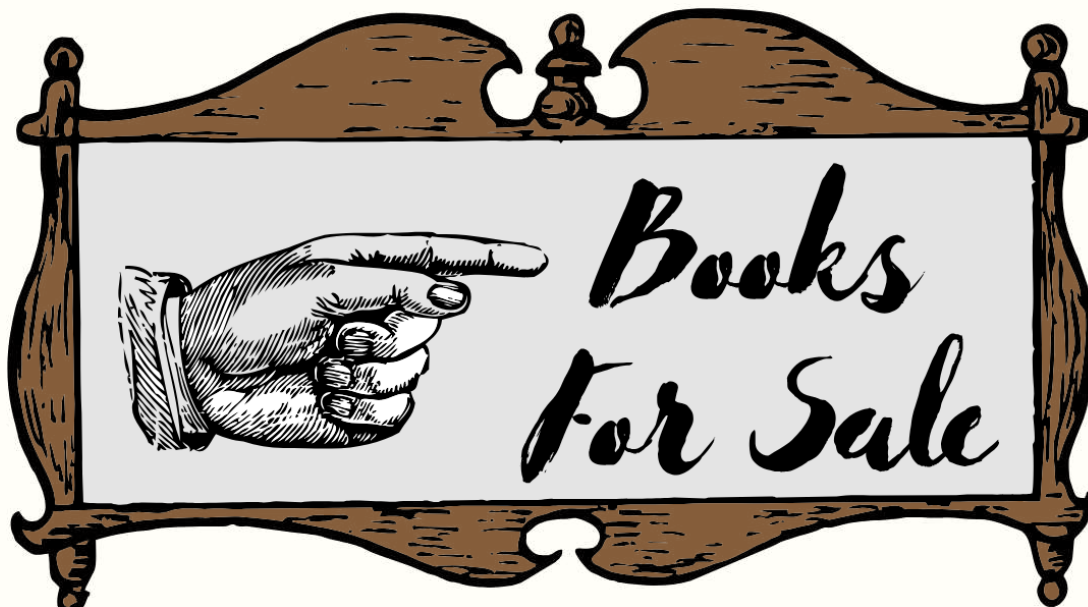
But can we safely say that, at least for the numerous children attending, Touch-a-Truck was the most popular event? Touch-a-Truck is just one of many examples of how our library is a hub for community and collaboration. Many thanks to the Gilford Fire Department, the Gilford Police Department, Gilford Department of Public Works and the Transportation Department of the Gilford School District. They not only brought vehicles for the kids to explore, but they also read several stories about their vehicles.



While the kids were busy, adults got to enjoy the creations of 8 amazing artists in the Books-in-Bloom contest. Did you have a chance to see them? We wanted to give a big congratulations to the winners Katherine Salanitro, Adele Rose, and Adrianna Antonopoulos!

Bookworm Bookstore:

Have you seen the new signs for the bookstore? In case you haven't found it yet, the bookstore is located just beyond the children's room.

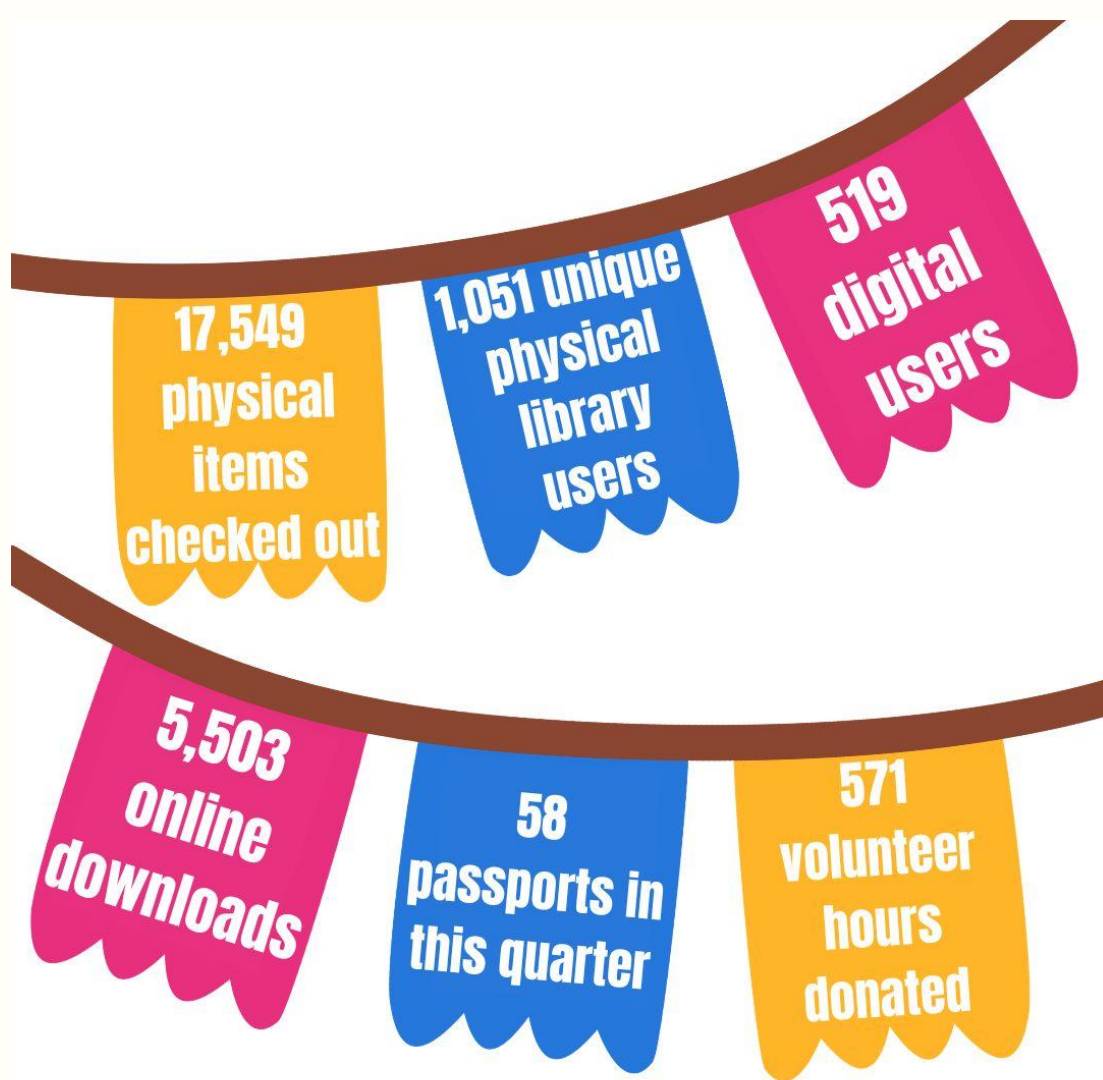


Eugene's Corner:

Eugene took a trip to the teen room this week! He highly recommends the following books:



Monthly Library Updates:



What's Going On at the Library:

Old Home Day is fast approaching! Part of the festivities for the library include the book sale and we need volunteers to chair the committee. If you're interested and would like to help, please contact the library staff or come to a Friends meeting. Also coming up in the Children's Room, come revel in the May Day celebrations with the May Pole on Friday and the Mother's Day drop-in craft on the 9th. Updated museum passes are also available to library patrons including two new museums, you can check out the full list [here](#).

We hope to see you at our next meeting, May 19th at 4pm.

Gratefully,



~The Friends of the Gilford Public Library Board

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