

## April 2024 BNML Librarian's Report

### Building & Technology

- Still waiting on Brinks to resolve the arming issues
- Electrical: Have purchased and replaced more of the troffer bulbs
- Computer updates this month
- Teen Room has been painted (many thanks to Jaime and Hobie Tibbits!), and new bookshelf is coming
- Next repair: basement and loft doors

### Collection Development

- Have added tons of new books and a small collection of VOX books (children's books with audio built in)

### Programming

- **April** programs: 4 Story hours, Saturday playgroup, Franklin County Photogs, Beekeepers, Neighborhood Forest free tree distribution, Eclipse glasses distribution, Vacation Lego Week challenges and raffle, Homeschool First Friday, Space afterschool programs, Wellness Day, Adult craft, LGBTQ+ Youth Group
- Programming in **May**
  - Homeschool First Friday, 5/3, 10a: Cooking Class
  - Crochet series, 3 Wednesdays, 5/8, 5/22, 5/29, 2:30-3:30 with Bridget Garibay (volunteering) for teens and adults
  - Photography Club, 5/14, 6p - going completely virtual
  - Saturday playgroup, 5/18, 10a
  - LGBTQ+ Youth Group on the 3rd Monday, 5/20
  - Adult Art with Ben, Watercolor: 5/21 4:30-6:30p
  - Beekeepers, 5/23, 6:30p
  - Story hours (4 Wednesdays)
  - Book delivery and baby package prep ongoing

### Other

- Collaborating with both the school and the Community Center to support space needs. Will shift staffing for Black Creek Adventure Camp to use the Library for a full day during vacation)
- Participating again in the HeArt and Home Community Art Project for Fair Housing Month. We are collaborating with the school again; two grades are creating works during art class, and they will be displayed at the Library.
- Summer Reading Program planning is in full swing
- Closed Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day
- CE: Supervising in Libraries parts 1 & 2, Facilities and Project Management