**Monthly Report**  
**August 2023**  
Fiscal Year Oct. 2022 - Sept. 2023

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<th>Location</th>
<th>Print Circulation</th>
<th>Visitors</th>
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<td>Hart Memorial</td>
<td>16,672</td>
<td>17,404</td>
<td>74,137</td>
<td>67 Events &amp; Activities, 1,517 Participants</td>
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<td>St. Cloud</td>
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<td>21,817</td>
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<td>Poinciana</td>
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<td>33 Events &amp; Activities, 774 Participants</td>
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<td>Buenaventura Lakes</td>
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<td>West Osceola</td>
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<td>39 Events &amp; Activities, 586 Participants</td>
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**System Stats at a Glance**

- **Total Circulation**: 90,631
- **Holds Placed**: 5,489
- **Phone Calls to Call Center**: 3,880
- **Study Room Uses**: 1,081
- **Room Reservations**: 264
- **Notary Visits**: 49
- **Reference Questions**: 9,192
- **TechCentral Visits**: 164
- **3D Prints Processed**: 51
- **Volunteers**: 54
- **Hours Donated**: 251
- **Storytimes Held**: 54
- **Attendees**: 1,472
August featured great programs for everyone

August saw great attendance for adult and family programs at all Osceola Library branches.

A new Chess Club launched at the West Osceola Library facilitated by a teacher from the Orlando Chess Association. 95 people attended two workshops in the first month.

Residents of all ages looking for volunteer opportunities connected with area nonprofits and community agencies at the Poinciana Library’s Volunteer Fair – 61 people engaged with Give Kids the World, Osceola History and more. The Kids Crafter’s Fair at the St. Cloud Library showcased junior artisans displaying hand-crafted items for sale as they learned how to advertise their product and manage costs. 200 kids and grownups attended this creative program.

The Lawyers in the Library series came to the Hart Memorial Library with local attorney Carlos Martoral of The Florida Legacy Group presenting on Estate Planning. 12 people attended this informative evening program.

Adult programs at the St. Cloud Library can have you celebrating the international food favorite pizza by exploring how to grow all the ingredients with the Plant Your Own Pizza Party, gathering together over a great book with their Book Club or using sleuthing skills to solve cold cases in Plot Twist: True Crime Time. All three programs brought nearly 40 people to the Library for adult enrichment activities.

Books Clubs – No Pressure and NovelTea - are popular at Hart Memorial and West Osceola as well.

Networking and business programs thrived in August, with the Central Florida Business Networking Group connecting 36 people over shared interests at the St. Cloud Library and the First Time Homebuyer Workshop giving out great information to 13 attendees at the Hart Memorial Library.

Outreaches and offsite programs continue to be an innovative and essential way to reach patrons outside the Library walls. These programs, such as a visit to the Florida Kids & Family Expo, a special event for kids and parents at the local Bezos Academy, and presentations to the Osceola Children’s Cabinet helped the Library reach nearly 1,000 people.

The BVL Library featured its first instructional Cricut class with 7 attendees. The Cricuts are available by generous donation from Commissioner Viviana Janer.

New Superintendent visits BVL Library

Dr. Mark Shanoff, the newly appointed Superintendent for the Osceola School District, visited the BVL Library to film a back to school storytime ahead of the first day of school. Dr. Shanoff spoke with Library staff about his love of libraries and learning. The filming was coordinated by Library partners in literacy, Osceola Reads.
Above: Candice Shields and Lisa Jones present about Library resources to the Children’s Cabinet. Below: Annelle de Jesus showcases Library resources at the Florida Kids & Family Expo. Both are opportunities to increase the Library’s community visibility.
Above: The Chess Club at the West Osceola Library is the place to be afterschool where you can strategize, compete and learn while having a fun. Below: Kid crafters showcased their creative talents and business acumen at the St. Cloud Library’s Kids Crafter’s Fair. Both programs are excellent community-specific events for all the whole family to enjoy.