To: Trustees of the Abbott Memorial Library, Librarian's Report [December 16, 2019]

1. Circulation Statistics in October (195), November (174).

Last year: (142, 118). In 2017: (157, 136).

2. Patron Tally in October (210), November (169).

Last year: (183, 104). In 2017: (226, 160).

new patrons in October & November: 2.

Computer use in October & November: 33 users/8.5 hours (last year: 9 users/3 hours).

Wifi use recorded in October & November: 2 users/1 hour.

Volunteer hours for October: 34, November: 62 (desk coverage, library tasks, programs, annual

appeal).

3. Programs in October, November, December:

Poet Laura Foley: 35 people enjoyed this gathering.

Preschool Storytime: 2 joined us for 1 program.

Halloween Party: 31 ghouls and goblins showed up for this annual event (20 children, 11 adults). Film showing: 55 people turned out for the movie, One Town at a Time, in the Artistree Hayloft. Lantern Walk: 8 children and 3 adults joined us to make lanterns and go on a twilight walk.

4. Upcoming Programs:

Winter speakers

Valentine Party

5. The library will be closed on Tuesdays December 24 & 31 and open on Thursday December 26 from 12 noon - 6 pm.

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