

Library Status Report for March 2022

March 2022 Hours
Monday – Friday 11 am – 5 pm
Saturday 11 am – 2 pm

April 2022 Hours
Monday – Friday 11 am – 6 pm
Saturday 11 am – 2 pm

Books & Materials: We were awarded a \$4,000 grant from the State Library for a Zip books program that must be spent by June 30, 2022. As of March 31, we have spent roughly \$200 (the first availability of funds was March 31, 2022). We have been collecting names and numbers/emails for the last two months or so in anticipation of receiving the award and quickly set about ordering as soon as we were able to.

Outreach: In person programming for youth continues. We are putting out a request for proposal (RFP) for summer programming ideas. We are also hosting San Benito County Integrated Waste Management's Earth Day event on April 23, 2022 from 1 pm – 4 pm. This will be a large event with a diverse range of County departments and private sector representation.

In person Utility Assistance is available **through May 4, 2022**. They will also be here on April 23, 2022 for the Earth Day celebration from 1 pm – 4 pm. There is still funding that is specific to San Juan Bautista. The application is easy and the turn around time is fairly quick so please encourage people to either contact the Library or San Benito Community Services soon! (Nora Jimenez 831-630-5191)

MOBAC/PLP: I attended the Admin Council meeting on March 18 via Zoom while on vacation. There were no other committee meetings where my attendance was required. There are 2 scheduled for April – Resource Sharing (that I co-chair) and SPLAMBA.

Parks Status Report: rrm has completed the Luck Park Master Plan so I will no longer be reporting on this.

Website: Veronica and I are working independently on different aspects of the website and together on the Projects of Community Interest Page. The later, and its subpages, is being updated by EMC Planning.