

2019 Highlights



South Park Township Library
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Hours
Monday & Thursday
1:00pm-9:00pm

Tuesday & Wednesday
10:00am-9:00pm

Saturday
10:00am-5:00pm

Friday & Sunday
Closed

South Park Township Library

2019 Director's Annual Report





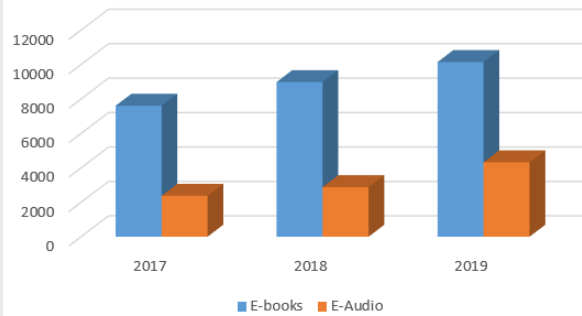
Greetings From the Director

2019 was a year of building. We built a 300 sq. ft. community mosaic depicting the history and beauty of South Park, but in doing so we build so much more! I had the opportunity to spend the whole year with community members; some life long South Park residents, and some transplants. I heard stories about what South Park used to be like, and how it has grown to be a wonderful place to live. I learned so much about the history of this town. Most importantly, I saw new friendships develop and saw how much pride the residents have in the community.

Thank you to The Township for supporting this project both financially and by helping build. Most importantly, thank you to the people that showed up week after week, working countless hours, breaking thousands of tiles, and gluing millions of pieces in place. I can't wait to see this amazing mural hung on our building and celebrate what we've accomplished as a community.

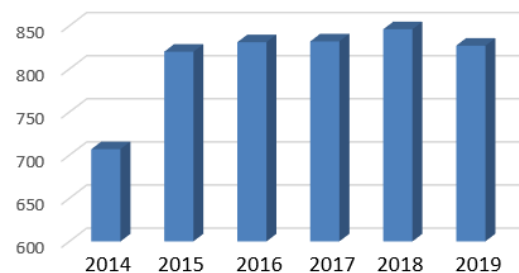
Sincerely,
Amanda DeKnight, Library Director

South Park E-Resource Use



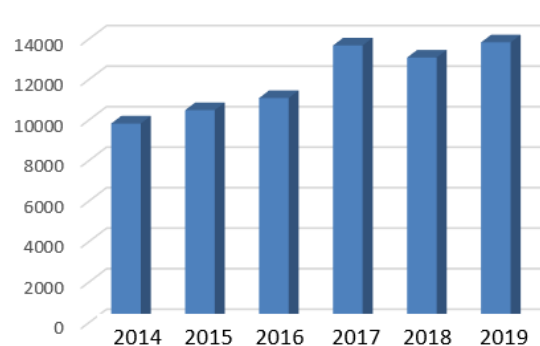
The number of physical items checked out over the desk at South Park remains steady over the past few years, but E-Boo & E-Audiobooks circulation continues to increase significantly year-over-year.

Yearly Programs



Despite offering fewer programs in 2019, the library saw the highest program attendance ever.

Program Attendance



Did you know...

The South Park Township Library offers over 200 Playaways. Newer computers and cars no longer have CD players, but we have the solution. These preloaded audio books plug right into your car's auxiliary port or listen with earphones. Don't have an auxiliary cable? No problem! We circulate those too.



We also offer a variety of Launchpads for kids and teens. Launchpads are a great learning resource! Each Launchpad is pre-loaded with content for kids and teens, and is designed with a simple, easy-to-use interface. The best part is that they do not need internet access. The user cannot use the tablet to browse the internet or download additional apps. That means the user's full attention is on the learning apps. Additionally, it tracks progress so that a parent or teacher can see what the user is working on.