

## Forest Lodge Library

### Report to Towns

7/12/2021

- Every month at our regular Board meeting we review our “Pandemic Policy” and consider our safety protocols and hours of operation. We also pay attention to CDC and County guidelines relating to the pandemic. We have updated our policy to remove the masking requirement for vaccinated individuals. We continue to supply disposable masks for those who need them or simply feel more comfortable wearing one. Beginning Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> we’ve also increased the hours we are open for patron access. We are now open at 10 a.m. Monday through Saturday. We close to patron access at 5 Monday through Friday and at 2 on Saturday. Curbside pickup of library items is still an option and is available 10-6, Monday through Thursday, 10-5 on Friday and 10-3 on Saturday.
- We continue to work on our capital campaign and have sent out a number of grant proposals in the last several weeks. We hope that these requests may be well-received and can result with our moving forward on the library expansion project. We will assuredly keep you posted.
- Since we didn’t really get to celebrate our 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary last year, we’re going to try again this year! We hope you’ll plan to celebrate 95 + 1 with us on Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 11-3. There will be food and fun and music. We’ll share more details as our plans resolve themselves.
- We are happy to report that the outdoor musical instrument that got mowed down has been restored to use! We were able to locate replacement legs and a functional bracket and Tom Kraemer was able to reinstall it for us. To play it people stand in the space where the two destroyed drums once were. But, we’re very happy that it could be reinstalled. Still no word on the perpetrator.
- It is summer and we are busy!