2021 HIGHLIGHTS

THE BIXBY MEMORIAL FREE LIBRARY

THE BEST STAFF & VOLUNTEERS!

- Full-time Staff: 2
- Part-time Staff: 4
- AmeriCorps VISTA Member: 1
- Regular Volunteers: 23

MORE VISITS & CARDHOLDERS!

- Visitors: 7916
- Active cardholders: 5364
- New library cards: 330
- Renewed library cards: 1323
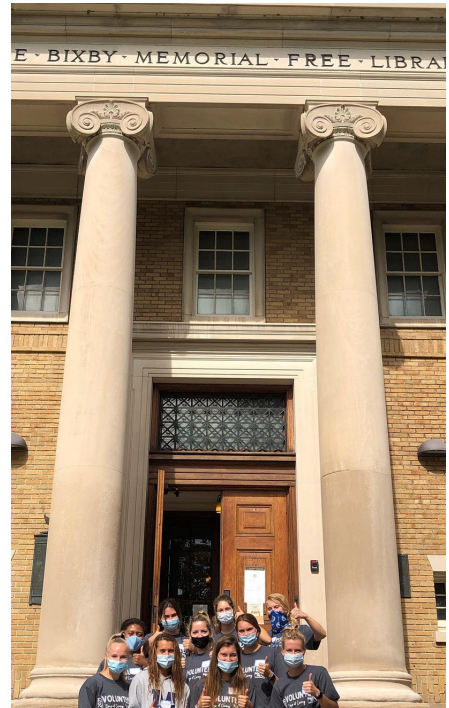
BOUNTIFUL RESOURCES!

- 12,053 Books checked out
- 8653 Digital checkouts
- 188 Public computer sessions
- 51 Park & museum pass checkouts

ENJOYING THE BIXBY STORYWALK IN FALLS PARK

COZY NEW FIREPLACE

VOLUNTEER POWER

Help Us Make the Bixby Even Better!

Suggestions? Compliments? We're All Ears!

I like the dome :) and the staff and volunteers are Really nice

Compliments:

THIS MADE OUR DAY!

WEEKLY STORY TIME, MUSIC, AND CRAFTS

6TH GRADE FIELD TRIP

POPULAR PROGRAMMING

FOR REFLECTION, REPLENISHMENT & INSPIRATION

- 14 Stuffed animals attended a sleepover party at the library
- 122 Virtual and in-person programs
- 1,189 Attendees for Youth Programs and over 600 for Adult Programs
- 750+ hours of summer reading by 472 entries in Booked for Bikes
- 81 hours of Adult Summer Reading entries
- 5 Exhibits featuring Stephen Bates, Strong Family, Custer Ingram and Caleb Kenna
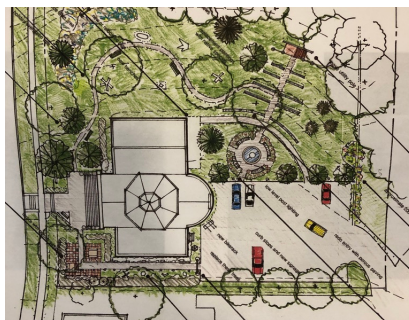
KEEPING YOU INFORMED & CONNECTED

- 19 *Bixby Bulletin* Newsletters
- 238 Facebook Posts
- 181 Instagram Posts
- 13,805 Website Views

"Two thumbs up on the newsletter! It always sounds so positive and upbeat, which we all can use right now."

3RD ANNUAL LEGO COMPETITION HOSTS & JUDGES

REIMAGINING OUR OUTDOOR SPACES

The pandemic reminded us of just how valuable outdoor gathering spaces can be. This spring, we worked with nationally-known, local landscape architect David Raphael to create a draft design that imagines a variety of uses and enhancements for various parts of the property. Come take a look at the display in the lobby and add your ideas and suggestions.

LOCAL OUTREACH

Monthly delivery of picture books to local preschools

Monthly delivery of large print and audiobooks to residential care centers

Card sign-up & Read-to-a-Dog at Ferrisburgh Day

Spanish-language Conversation Partners

Monthly donations to six local Little Free Libraries