February 2024 Librarians Report

* Town Book Letters have been turned into the Town of Troy and Town of Jay. I still need to finish writing the letter for the Village of North Troy’s book. I released in the other two letters I forgot to mention about the Palace app now being available through our library so I will make sure to put that in the North Troy Village letter.
* I talked to Carson, and he told me that he will make sure the outside space is ready for us to put together this Spring. He offered to get up the tar patch for us as well. I put in the town books that we would have a community day on May 26th from 2-4 pm to assemble all the outside tables, sand box, shed and garden beds. I also requested if anyone had donations of potting soil, sand or wooden pallets to drop them off at the library.
* The Children’s Summer Program theme is Adventure Begins at your Library. Over the 6 weeks I will have a different theme/adventure for the children planned. The Toddler/Preschool Program will be Thursdays 10-11 July 11, 18, 25, August 1, 8& 15th. The school-age program will be Fridays 10-11:30 July 12, 19, 26, August 2, 9, and 16th. I’m still working on each week what the theme and activities will be. I will make sure to have all the information on our website and Facebook page by the middle of May with registration starting the end of May beginning of June. The toddler/preschool will have a limit of 12 children and the school age 20. Those numbers seem to work best for the program.
* The village meeting is March 19th and we will have our Annual Bake sale to raise funds to purchase books for the Summer Program. If anyone would like to donate some baked goods that would be great. Please, nothing with almonds in it.
* The Children’s Book Club is reading The Secret Garden by: Frances Hodgson Burnett.
* The Adult Book Club is reading Sisters Behaving Badly by Maddie Please. The library will have two copies available by the 19th and we will be meeting to talk about it on February 27th.