



Ukiah Public Library

Annual Library Service Plan Review
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What Were
Your Goals For
FY2019-20?



**Add more trainings
and online classes
for adults**



**Build a
new library**

**Weed and build
better collections**



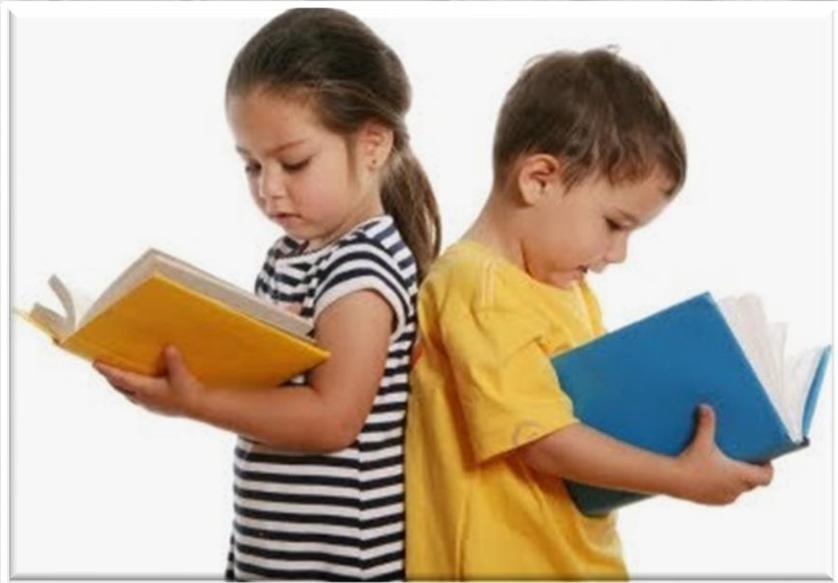
What
community
needs did your
goals meet?

We've weeded
and are still
trying to work
on expanding
our collections



We're still providing
technology and space
for EMS Live Trainings

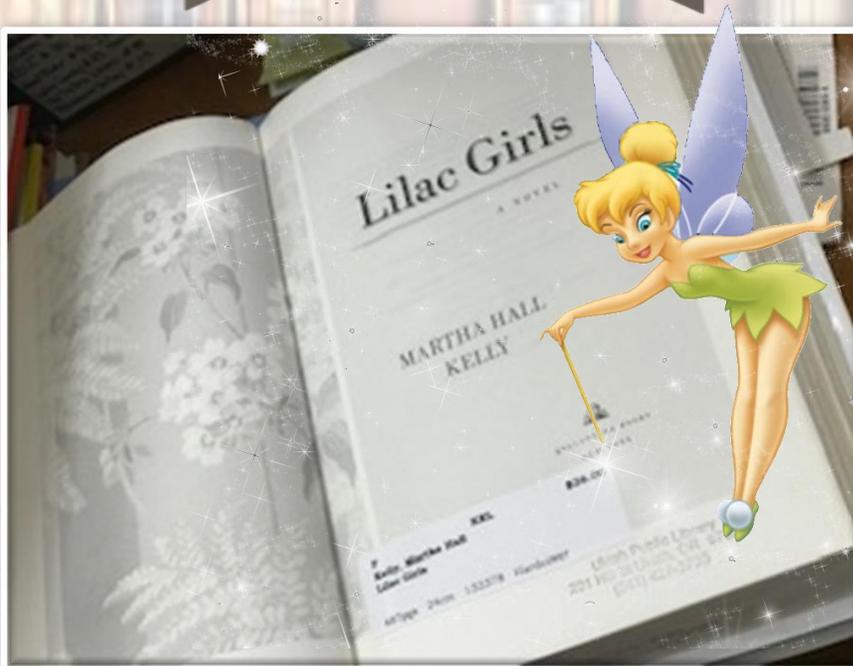
What goals
did you
accomplish in
FY2019-20?



We weeded and moved the adult non fiction section which made more room for adult fiction and allowed room to create a new children's non fiction section

Share the challenges, if any, you had in meeting your plan's goals. What changes would you have made to better meet the needs in your community?

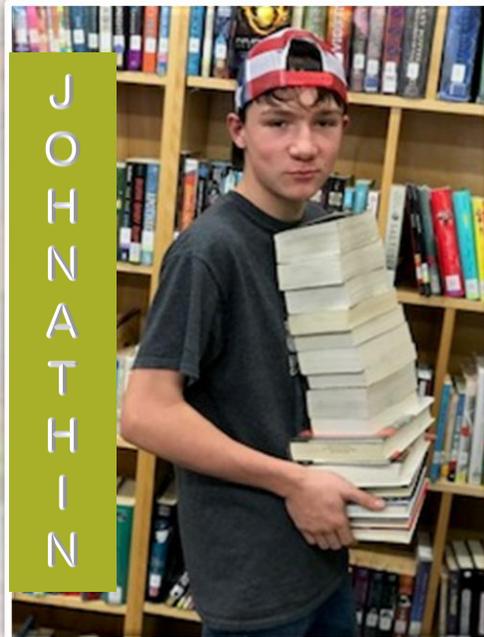
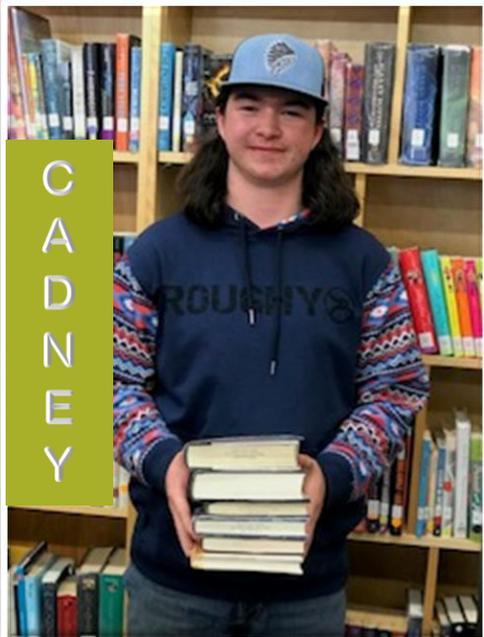
With the restrictions of the pandemic and the changes you had to make, how did your goals and activities change?



It's always a challenge to complete things, because I'm only one person. Most of my frustration this year was with trying to get items cataloged and out on the shelf; mostly because I needed to weed and move books to make room for more books and just having the time it takes to process new books when you have so many things on your plate at the same time is almost impossible. I wish there was a fairy that would come in at night to label, scan and cover all the books and DVD's that need to go out on the shelves.

List your library and/or community partners, with a brief statement about how they supported the accomplishment of your goals

This year I'm so grateful for the help that I received moving and weeding books. I had a pretty major surgery towards the end of June and wasn't able to lift much or bend over to far. My dear friend Sherra Alford came out in August and helped me move hundreds of books in the library over several days. I could not of accomplished my goals for this year without her!



I'm also very lucky to have two young men that help me with so much! Cadney and Johnathin have helped move so many books between packing out the weeded materials to picking up and replacing books at our senior center. They pack the heavy stuff, drive me around and go out of their way to take care of me while I'm still healing up.

I'm very thankful that Pam Boe still comes in to help me reshel books and movies too.

What actions did you take this last year to increase awareness of District support of library customers? Examples include, but are not limited to – having a member of the UCSLD staff attend a board meeting or city council meeting or library event, submitting your events to the UCSLD calendar online and/or to the column, *Libraries Provide-Countywide*, including the UCSLD logo on your program publicity, participating in the countywide “Food for Fines” program, etc.

UCSLD’s website link is on our Facebook and Weebly pages. The school district will be launching a new website soon and the link will be added to the library page on the new site as well.



Once we can get back to normal if that’s possible I plan to add an outdoor and or in the gym movie night depending on the weather. I think this will be a great opportunity to advertise for the district as well.



Monica has been great at catching the things that I post on the library Facebook page and I’ve submitted a couple events for the EO column as well.



Outside of current financial support, in what ways can the UCSLD continue to support district libraries' staff members and customers?

Outside of financial support, UCSLD has and continues to support our district libraries with valuable training, vital learning opportunities and much needed grant options as well as excellent communication

Erin McCusker and Dea Nowell are invaluable assets to the district's team. They strive to be supportive and accessible to our libraries and I definitely look up to them. I'm so proud to know and work with them both.

**THANK YOU
UCSLD
FOR YOUR
CONTINUED
SUPPORT
THROUGHOUT THE
YEAR!**

