

## Kensington Park Library LAC Meeting

February 28, 2024

### Minutes

- Approved minutes from last meeting.
- Regional Manager's report
  - Speed bumps in Kensington Park parking lot painted.
  - Boiler room flooding when it rains – working on.
  - Overall building in good shape.
- Ongoing Programs:
  - Read to a dog
  - Computer help (volunteer comes to branch)
  - Foam builders (2 sessions)
  - Baby and Family story time
  - Creative knitter's guild
  - Kensington Park book club
  - Kensington Park audio book club
  - Ebook help
  - English conversation club
  - Teen advisory board
  - Through May – children's staff presents English/Spanish children's stories
- Frozen 2 sing along
- DIY color bus
- Picture frame decoration
- Soul in Motion – Black History Month
- Community tables
- Lunar New Year celebration
  
- Upcoming Programs:
  - Understanding Medicare choices
  - Women's history Trivia night
  - PEPCO
  - Voter engagement table
  - Irish Music
  - Firefighter Family story time/safety demo
  - Crafts in the Library for solar eclipse
  - April 12 – Surrealist Games for Kids and Adults
  - Earth Day Garden Party
- Can we do an adoption event with MoCo ASPCA?
- Board Meeting – community report is online. Progress being made towards strategic plan.
- New Library Director will be needed by July.

- Memo to County Executive with feedback on new director search.
- Legislation -MD- "Freedom to Read" Act
- Library Board recruiting for new members
- Bookmarks for KP library – how to best use.
- Update signs for LAC recruitment – reach out on neighborhood listservs.
- 8-12 ideal size for branch LACs.