

# CROTON FREE LIBRARY

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## **DECEMBER BOARD MEETING AGENDA**

- **Call to order**
- **Approval of the November 2022 Minutes**
- **Director's Report**
- **Treasurer's Report**
  - Check Register Approval
- **Committee Reports**
  - Finance
  - Buildings and Grounds
  - Arts
  - Croton Reads
  - Long Range Planning
  - Safety
  - Fundraising
- **Old Business**
- **New Business**
- **Public Comment**
- **Adjourn**

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## DIRECTOR'S REPORT

*November 2022 Statistics*

### PATRON SERVICES

	<b><u>2021</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>	<b><u>CHANGE</u></b>
Physical Checkouts	8,160	8,969	10%
OverDrive	1,984	1,831	-8%
Hoopla Checkouts	179	216	21%
Visitors	13,158	16,564	26%
Reference Transactions	722	1,000	39%
Children's Event Attendance	530	896	69%
Teen Event Attendance	36	78	117%
Adult Event Attendance	52	122	135%
Special Event Attendance	0	137	---
Library Cards	44	29	-34%

### UPDATES

- Hoopla October stats have been corrected (usage was 171, not 39 as reported last month)
- We received (with help from the Danish Home) a generous donation of PPE/Sanitizing supplies for Dr. Robert Gold in Croton. Includes N-95 masks, antimicrobial wipes and surface disinfectant.
- We no longer require masks on Mondays as of November 21. Any potential future mask mandates will most likely be a full requirement (not a single day).
- Center sneeze guard at circulation has been removed for stability/adjustment purposes.
- Gwen is working with CURE (Coalition for Understanding Racism Through Education) and Croton's Lorraine Hansberry Committee for the 2023 "Six Towns, One Book" event. Kick-off event will be at CFL on February 11 with a multi-purpose discussion with Georgetown professor, Soyica Colbert.
- Cynthia Plater, longtime Croton patron (and board president 93-94) passed away last week. Life celebration was held at the Library on December 10 organized by her family.
- Staff Holiday Party will be taking place this Wednesday, December 14 at Capriccio. Thank you.
- After over two decades at the Library, Norma Goldstein will be retiring at the end of the year.

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