

## April 2019 Director's Report

### ❖ Personnel

- Merrily Samuels attended the Hampstead Health Fair on April 6<sup>th</sup> and talked to attendees about the services the library has to offer.
- Merrily Samuels attended New England Regional Genealogical Consortium, Inc. conference.
- We rolled out the Curb side pickup service.
- Rosemary Krol prepared all the payroll change forms for implementing the new job descriptions.
- April Merri-Hill-Rock coop meeting was held at the HPL. Mindy Atwood from the Abbott Library in Sunapee spoke about fundraising.
- Rosemary Krol completed all the paperwork for the Rotary Club for the grant to purchase the new tables and chairs.
- Devin Van Curen presented a proposal to the Mothers' Club for funding for upgrades in the children's area.
- Devin Van Curen asked and received up to \$3,000 from the Friends for Summer Reading costs.
- Patti Gelinis is organizing a 'Holiday House Tour' for this holiday season. She's working with Jay Dimando and a couple other friends to organize the event.

### ❖ Building

- Another piece of the aluminum covering the fascia blew off in the last windstorm.
- Shales to Shingles is coming on June 12<sup>th</sup> to do some testing to see what insulation can be added to the building to make it more energy efficient as well as more comfortable as far as the temperature goes.
- We moved some things around in the Children's area to make room for the desk for the Youth Services Librarian to move out into that area.
- The new lighting outside the front doors has been completed. It makes a huge difference in the brightness out there.
- The automatic door openers are starting to fail again. One was replaced two years ago and is already leaking. We are looking for a different product to replace what is there.