

The Oelwein Public Library Board of Trustees will meet on Tuesday, April 8, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. at the Oelwein Public Library.

AGENDA

Roll Call

Agenda Approved

Minutes Approved

Correspondence and communications –

Trustee Training: Open Meetings and Records, part 4 – Electronic Meetings

Director’s Report: New Page, iPad Stand Replacements, LP Security Camera, Staff Evaluations,

Friend’s Report: Seeking Board Members, Book Sale April 24-26

Bills Approved:

Unfinished Business

Paint/Wallcovering/Tile

Restroom Vanities

Restroom Faucets

New Business

Budget Amendment

Bid For Landscaping Maintenance

Library Programs Evaluation

Library Director Evaluation

Policy Review: Safe Patron

Adjournment

March

Circulation:

25 March: 3602

24 March: 3724

Computer Use:

25 March: 90 Wireless: 774

24 March: 100 Wireless: 716

Reference Questions:

25 March: 468

24 March: 502

Passports:

25 March: 15

24 March: 16

Attendance:

25 March: 2480

24 March: 2251

New Patrons:

25 March: 23

24 March: 29

Program Attendance:

25 March: 213

24 March: 178

Website Visits:

25 March: 681

24 March: 536

Acquisitions:

Books 99

Movies 0

Audio 6

BRIDGES Downloads: 456

eBooks: 242

Audio: 190

eMagazines: 24

HOOPLA Downloads: 223

eBooks: 47

Audio: 154

Movies: 12

Comics: 5

Music: 1

TV: 4

The Oelwein Public Library Board of Trustees met on Tuesday, April 8, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. at the library.

Present: Mars, VanDenHul, Seeders, Macken

Absent: Ingersoll, Kerns, Franzen

There was no meeting due to lack of quorum.

Vice-president VanDenHul signed the budget amendment.

VanDenHul and Mars signed the bills.

Rachel from Furniture Showcase talked about tile options for the patron restrooms. Macken asked if it would be hard to identify water infiltration behind tile. Rachel said it would be difficult to see and unknown unless water seeps out onto the floor or the grout starts to degrade.

Estimates for tiles ranged from \$26,000-\$34,000 for floor to ceiling tiles and \$17,000-\$24,000 for tiles on the bottom 6 feet. The biggest cost is labor at around \$9,100.