# August 2022 Branch Manager's Report

### **New Hours**

Beginning Tuesday, September 6, Paoli Library will be open to the public for nine additional hours per week. We are now fully staffed, and plan to keep this new schedule in place for the foreseeable future.

Monday	9:30-5:00
Tuesday	9:30-7:00
Wednesday	9:30-5:00
Thursday	9:30-7:00
Friday	9:30-5:00
Saturday	9:30-5:00

## Children's Programs

Sarah Roeske, our new children's librarian, has continued the popular outdoor storytimes in Greentree Park in Malvern on Thursday mornings. Last week more than 50 children and caregivers attended. Other ongoing programs include weekly outreach to Royer-Greaves School for Blind and to a local preschool.

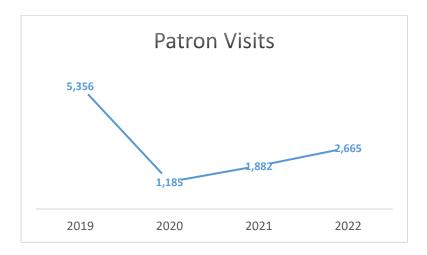
#### Circulation

Circulation of print and AV materials has rebounded to 75% of prepandemic (July 2019) levels.



### **Door Count**

The July 2022 door count was 42% higher than July 2021. July is always a busy month for the library--prime time for the Summer Reading program--but all summer programs this year were held outside, so the 2022 door count numbers are still low in comparison with 2019.



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