

Rosenberg Library Activities Report

June 2026



22,018

Visitors



3,886

reference
transactions

21,906

items checked
out

53,749

Rosenberg
website visits

PROGRAMS

ONSITE PROGRAMS

65
sessions

2,348
attendance

OUTREACH PROGRAMS

6
sessions

860
attendance

VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

5
sessions

22
attendance

"Great news! I was hoping the memorabilia would end up at the library." - Rhonda Barnett on the ANICO building museum items retrieval

"So glad y'all got in there to save some things and a big part of Galveston History." - Jo Chandler Mooney



COMMENTS FROM LIBRARY GUESTS

"Thank you. Residents of Galveston have been wondering what happened to the items in the museum." - Vivian Villar

"Thank you very much for inviting Charlie Spreckelsen and his son to the library to share their knowledge of fossils with us. My grandchildren and I enjoyed the presentation and learned so much. May we get an email or mailing address? The kids want to send a thank you message. Thank you." - Julie Mills on the Beachcombing for Fossils children's program that was held June 2

"We had the best time. Thank you Rosenberg Library for having the best family events." - Stephanie Souza Mayeux on the Dinosaur George Traveling Museum

MEETING ROOMS



122
reservations

1,669
attendance

EXTENSION SERVICES



818
items
delivered

0
items
mailed

51
homebound
visits

COMPUTER USE



3,276
public computer sessions

3,861
wi-fi sessions

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS



0
linear feet of
archival collections
processed



0
collections
added



6,317
items
digitized

DATABASE USE

58,767
total database uses

16,775

Database
use

41,992

GTCH Digital
views

\$ **\$14,825.99**
IN DONATIONS



Rosenberg Library's Board of Directors and Trustees announced the appointment of Randle C. W. Swan as Executive Director beginning Sept. 1. Swan most recently served as Acting Deputy Director and Supervisory Curator of the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum in Simi Valley, California - one of the nation's most visited cultural institutions.



The Galveston and Texas History Center team worked in partnership with American National Insurance Company staff members to retrieve museum items from the top floor of its now-closed downtown Galveston location for safekeeping at the GTCH.



Our Children's Department brought the Dinosaur George Traveling Museum to Galveston! This large exhibit welcomed families free of charge and was so big it had to be hosted outside of the library. Our friends at Galveston's Wright Cuney Recreation Center welcomed the prospect, and local children benefited. Many families expressed thanks for the opportunity to enjoy this unique and educational summer experience.