



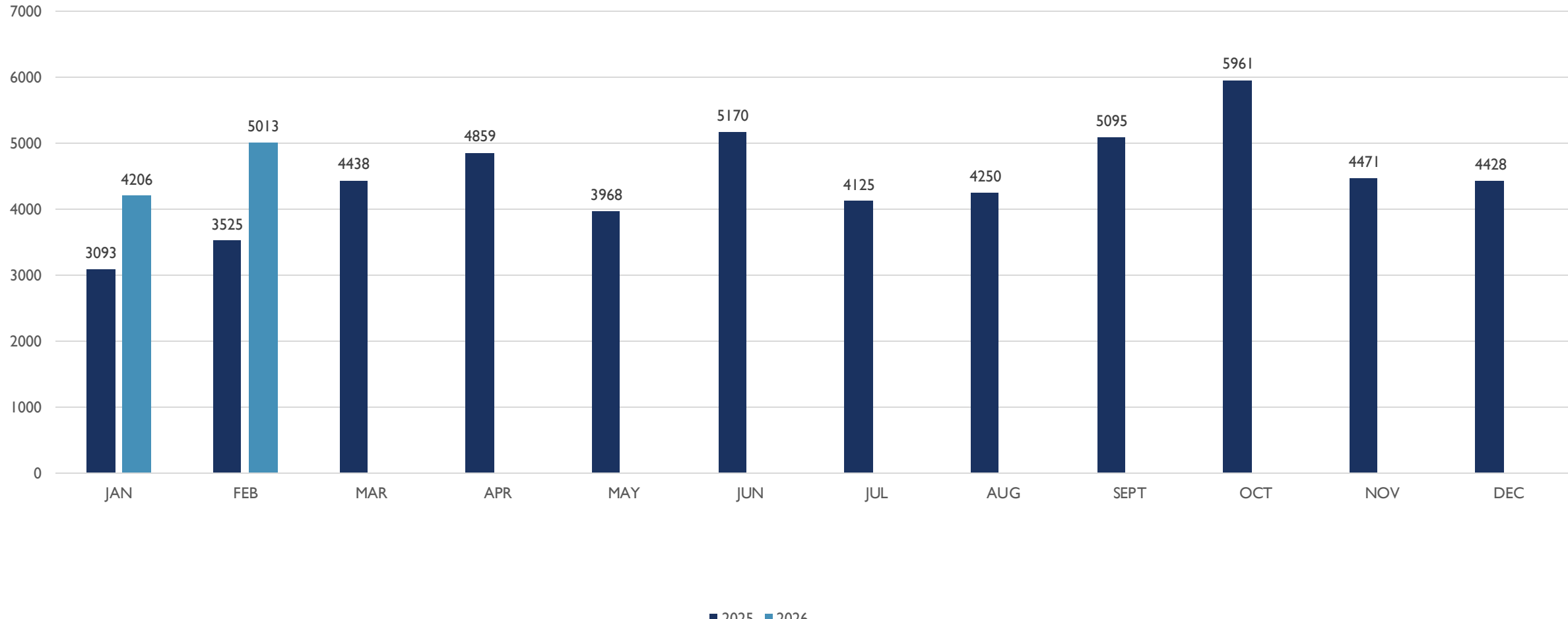
MARCH DIRECTOR'S REPORT AT BOARD MEETING

BY HEATHER-MARIE MONTILLA



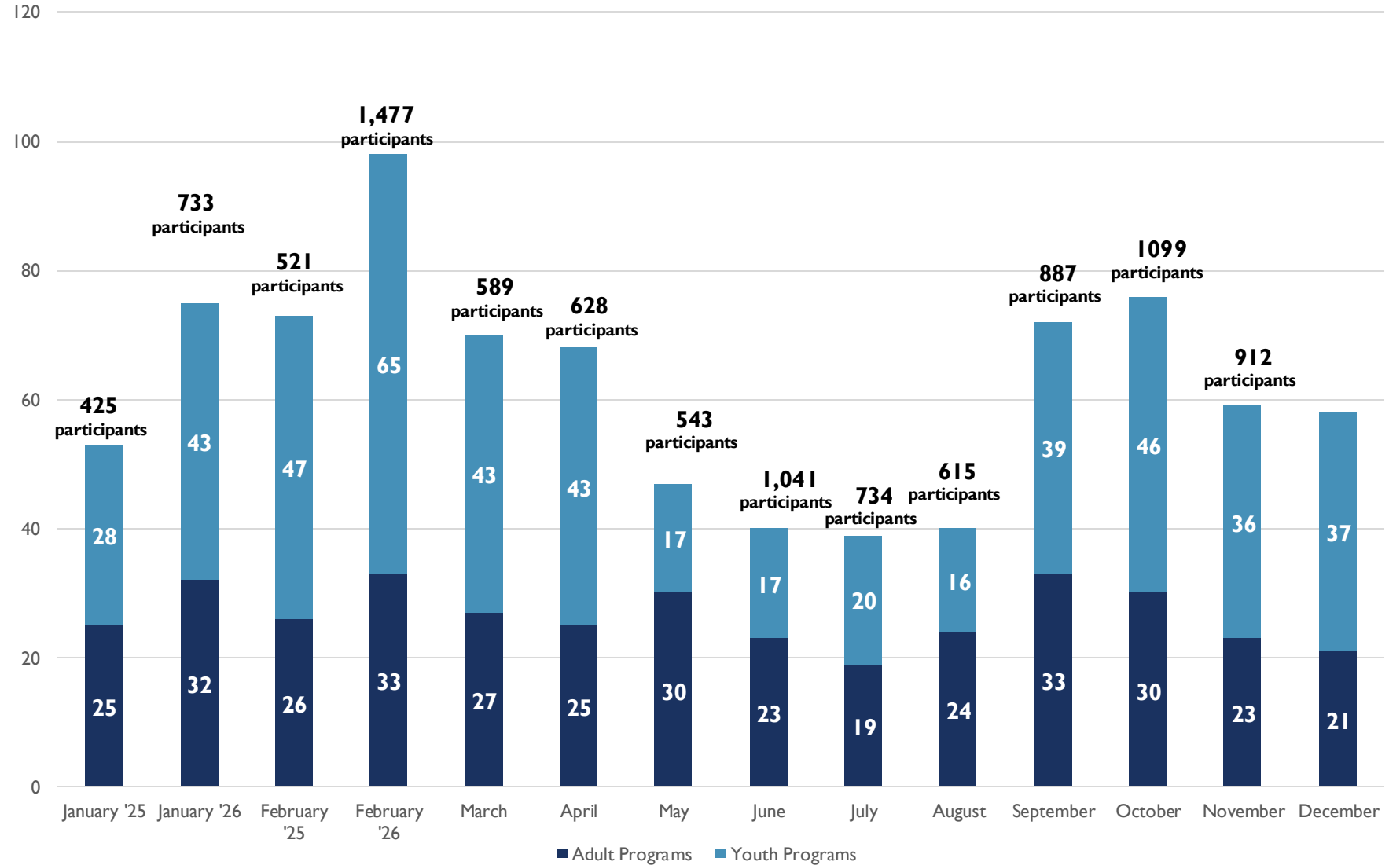
2025 ATTENDANCE OF 53,383 VS 2024 ATTENDANCE OF 25,440

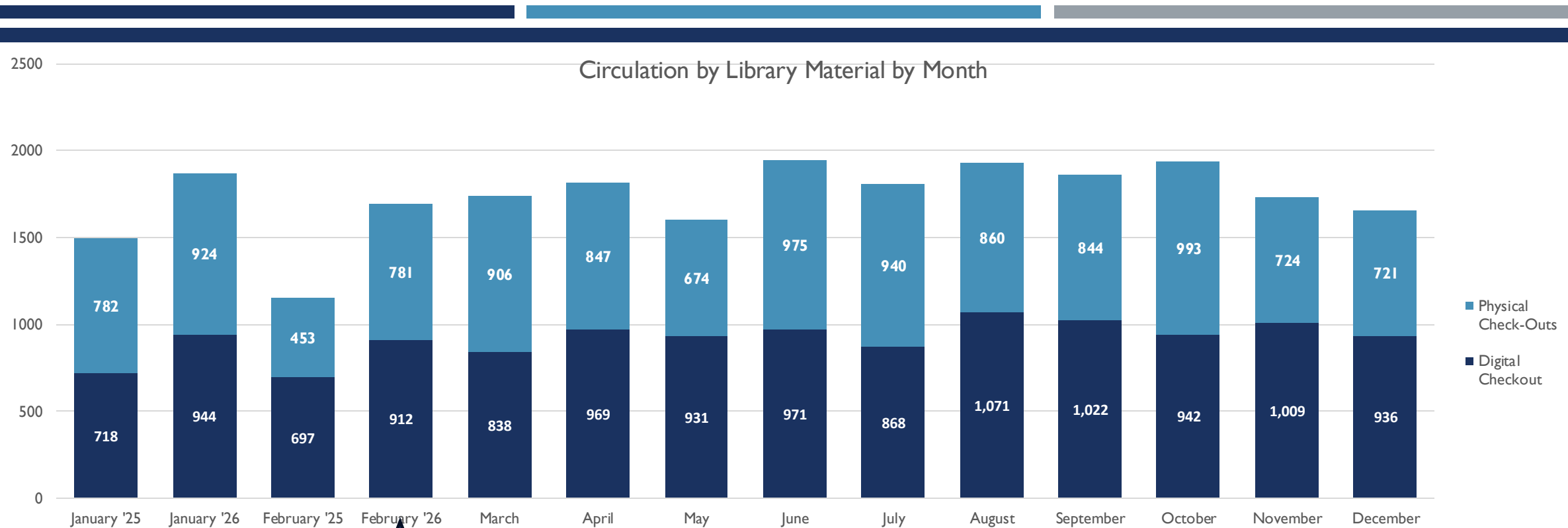
Bellwood Library Patron Attendance



■ '25 Program nearly
 9,000 patrons
 Attended nearly
 700 programs

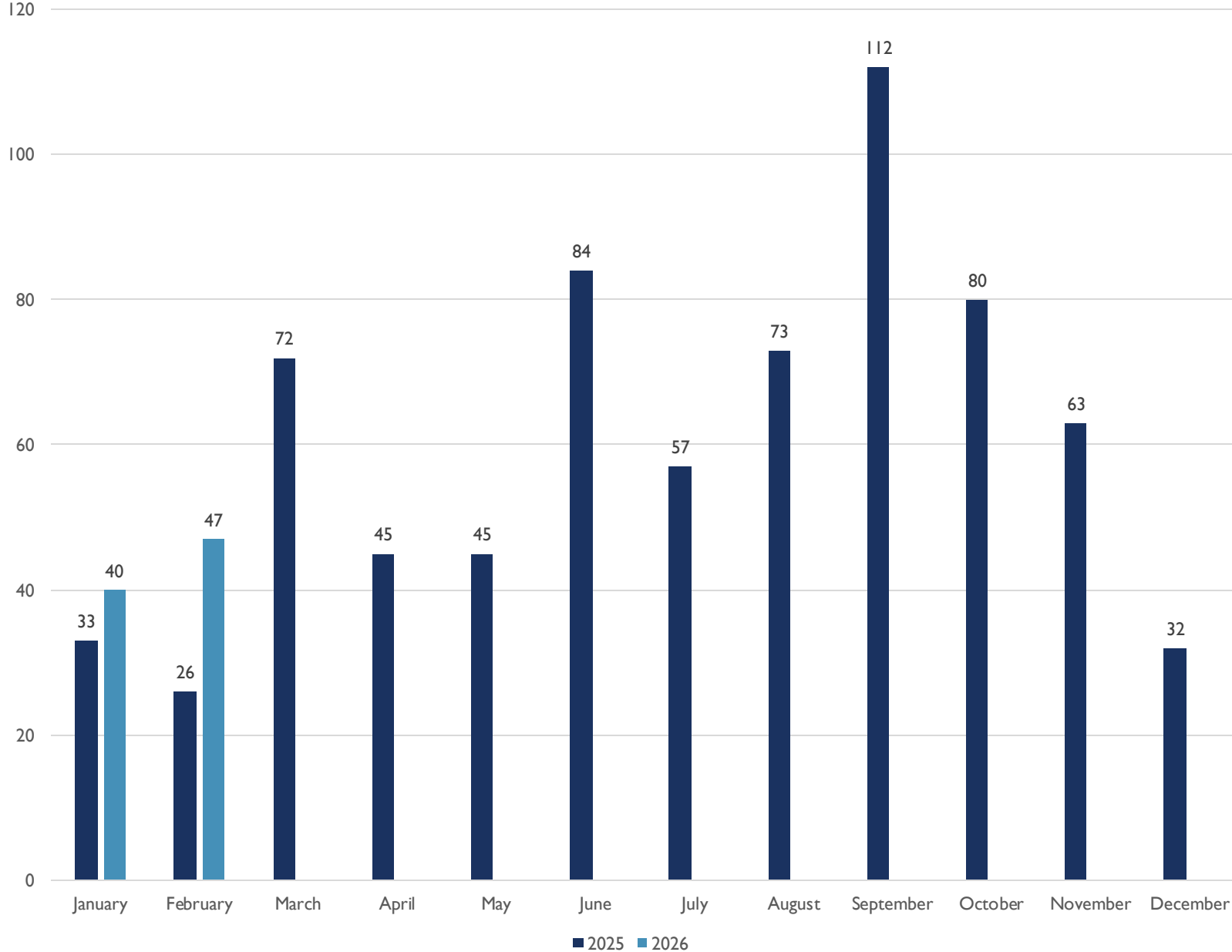
Bellwood Public Library Programs by Month





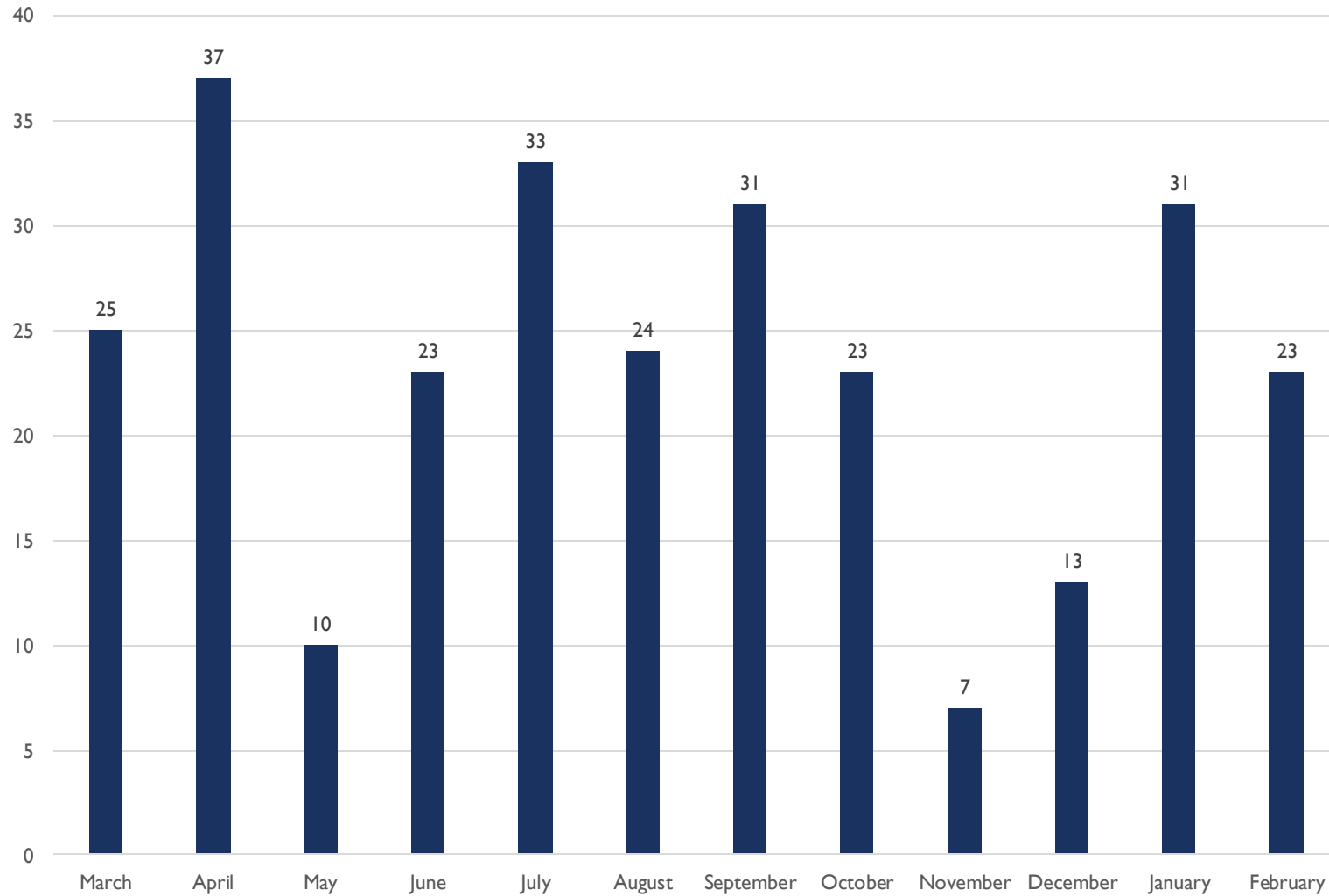
**TOTAL FOR '25 CIRCULATION WAS NEARLY 21,000
10 OF LAST 14 MONTHS DIGITAL CHECKOUTS SURPASSED PHYSICAL**

Bellwood Public Library New Library Cards



More library cards
in 2026
year over year
than 2025

Patrons Served through Free Notary Services
Total: 280



**NOTARY
APPOINTMENTS
TOTAL: 280**