Hickory Library Part of Yearbook Archiving Project

Humphrey said the library has started archiving local yearbooks. They are digitizing and making the yearbooks available online. This is part of the Digital Heritage Center project, which aims to digitize and preserve historical resources from the community.

The library also has a program called the Hickory History Project, which involves students from local schools. They help transcribe old yearbooks and write articles about the history of the community. This project not only preserves the past but also educates younger generations about their town's history.

Humphrey added that the library is planning to expand the project to include more local newspapers and other historical documents. The goal is to make these resources accessible to the public, whether they are interested in local history or just looking for something to read.

The Hickory Library is located at 123 Main Street and is open Monday through Thursday from 9 am to 9 pm and Friday and Saturday from 9 am to 5 pm. They also offer virtual services for those who cannot visit in person.