



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

May 2015

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>May 2015</u>	<u>May 2014</u>		<u>Jan-May 2015</u>	<u>Jan-May 2014</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	38,864	45,833	-15.2%	208,202	227,935	-8.7%
City Branches	45,055	54,414	-17.2%	229,937	268,230	-14.3%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	292,219	334,065	-12.5%	1,581,831	1,722,504	-8.2%
INSTITUTIONS	9,945	12,639	-21.3%	55,498	65,459	-15.2%
e-BRANCH	155,316	149,763	3.7%	792,877	761,589	4.1%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	541,399	596,714	-9.3%	2,868,345	3,045,717	-5.8%

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CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

MAY 2015	MAY 2015	MAY 2014	CHANGE	JAN-MAY 2015	JAN-MAY 2014	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	38,864	45,833	-15.2%	208,202	227,935	-8.7%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	9,773	10,325	-5.3%	47,361	50,194	-5.6%
Dudley	7,541	7,448	1.2%	35,357	37,481	-5.7%
East Clinton	1	5,075	-100.0%	7,263	26,630	-72.7%
East Delavan	3,588	4,643	-22.7%	20,734	21,273	-2.5%
Niagara	7,172	8,203	-12.6%	32,763	39,303	-16.6%
Merriweather	5,264	6,370	-17.4%	27,669	31,942	-13.4%
North Park	6,446	6,729	-4.2%	31,741	32,224	-1.5%
Riverside	5,270	5,621	-6.2%	27,049	29,183	-7.3%
TOTAL BRANCHES	45,055	54,414	-17.2%	229,937	268,230	-14.3%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	6,970	9,757	-28.6%	40,671	49,626	-18.0%
Holding Center	2,975	2,882	3.2%	14,827	15,833	-6.4%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	9,945	12,639	-21.3%	55,498	65,459	-15.2%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	107,134	107,753	-0.6%	542,019	542,195	0.0%
Downloadable audio books	9,035	7,676	17.7%	46,262	38,731	19.4%
Downloadable/Streaming videos	274	108	153.7%	1,501	724	107.3%
eBooks	31,262	30,160	3.7%	162,904	158,098	3.0%
Downloadable music/music videos	7,611	4,066	87.2%	40,191	21,841	84.0%
TOTAL e-BRANCH	155,316	149,763	3.7%	792,877	761,589	4.1%

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CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

MAY 2015	MAY 2015	MAY 2014	CHANGE	JAN-MAY 2015	JAN-MAY 2014	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	2,214	2,434	-9.0%	10,852	12,757	-14.9%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	30,130	35,948	-16.2%	164,937	183,674	-10.2%
Clearfield	22,919	23,697	-3.3%	119,391	121,825	-2.0%
Eggertsville-Snyder	12,749	15,245	-16.4%	68,683	77,401	-11.3%
Williamsville	4,374	5,093	-14.1%	22,993	23,979	-4.1%
Angola Public	3,313	4,192	-21.0%	17,858	19,626	-9.0%
Aurora Town Public/E. Aurora	14,105	15,815	-10.8%	78,733	85,453	-7.9%
Boston Free	3,596	4,673	-23.0%	21,149	22,753	-7.0%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	25,986	29,707	-12.5%	150,502	155,524	-3.2%
Reinstein Memorial	10,923	14,756	-26.0%	64,842	79,905	-18.9%
Clarence Public	16,597	19,249	-13.8%	94,343	100,278	-5.9%
Collins Public	3,743	4,311	-13.2%	20,099	24,085	-16.5%
Concord Public	4,700	5,235	-10.2%	25,813	27,491	-6.1%
Eden	4,670	4,872	-4.1%	28,258	26,145	8.1%
Elma Public	8,243	8,455	-2.5%	41,934	44,697	-6.2%
Grand Island Memorial	9,320	11,711	-20.4%	50,392	56,858	-11.4%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	14,032	11,379	23.3%	17,290	64,883	-73.4%
Lake Shore	6,217	7,925	-21.6%	52,491	37,040	41.7%
Lackawanna Public	5,995	6,507	-7.9%	33,050	29,487	12.1%
Lancaster Public	12,046	14,447	-16.6%	67,894	75,910	-10.6%
Marilla Free	3,178	3,433	-7.4%	18,857	19,351	-2.6%
Newstead Public	3,794	4,380	-13.4%	23,284	23,397	-0.5%
North Collins Public	1,792	2,054	-12.8%	9,801	11,454	-14.4%
Orchard Park Public	19,865	23,148	-14.2%	117,445	119,483	-1.7%
Tonawanda Public	7,634	10,465	-27.1%	43,110	49,293	-12.5%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	5,295	6,725	-21.3%	28,119	31,868	-11.8%
Kenmore	20,996	22,940	-8.5%	115,334	123,035	-6.3%
West Seneca Public	13,793	15,269	-9.7%	74,377	74,852	-0.6%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	292,219	334,065	-12.5%	1,581,831	1,722,504	-8.2%

SUNDAY CIRCULATION - 2015

	Central	Merriweather	Audubon	Clearfield	Elma	Hamburg	J.B.R.	Kenmore	Lancaster	North Collins	Orchard Park	SUNDAY 2015	SUNDAY 2014	CHANGE
01/04/15	885	168	888	-	169	223	1,022	439	247	93	456	4,590	5,852	-21.6%
01/11/15	897	106	1,007	571	224	216	740	546	395	100	508	5,310	5,728	-7.3%
01/18/15	1,166	137	907	590	319	161	830	512	326	Closed	604	5,552	5,167	7.5%
01/25/15	1,002	130	886	424	239	170	774	678	267	55	503	5,128	5,100	0.5%
02/01/15	615	138	738	492	204	167	683	657	335	45	528	4,602	5,564	-17.3%
02/08/15	609	104	669	411	168	130	936	508	340	54	418	4,347	4,415	-1.5%
02/15/15	Closed	Closed	873	361	217	183	675	Closed	209	Closed	432	2,950	5,665	-47.9%
02/22/15	663	134	728	508	198	130	758	557	344	82	503	4,605	5,853	-21.3%
03/01/15	889	63	938	461	191	185	649	418	331	59	454	4,638	5,243	-11.5%
03/08/15	711	120	772	463	129	131	655	416	287	77	483	4,244	5,560	-23.7%
03/15/15	798	102	1,043	517	162	231	934	544	329	60	604	5,324	5,261	1.2%
03/22/15	992	238	774	589	187	197	771	575	446	51	559	5,379	5,025	7.0%
03/29/15	735	112	912	564	188	236	825	666	335	69	453	5,095	4,841	5.2%
04/05/15	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	4,656	Easter '15
04/12/15	785	114	779		202	88	591	459	185	27	334	3,564	3,702	-3.7%
04/19/15	802	188	931	-	205	110	628	391	230	20	394	3,899	0	Easter '14
04/26/15	882	150	845	-	195	124	682	587	384	32	516	4,397	4,226	4.0%
05/03/15	698	83	654	-	252	212	619	441	236	-	337	3,532	4,510	-21.7%
05/10/15	468	75	661	-	60	118	486	340	127	-	228	2,563	2,099	22.1%
05/17/15	486	93	846	-	162	220	600	297	194	-	372	3,270	4,252	-23.1%
05/24/15	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	0	N/A
YTD TOTALS	14,083	2,255	15,851	5,951	3,671	3,232	13,858	9,031	5,547	824	8,686	82,989	92,719	-10.5%

Sunday service hours are scheduled to resume in September - various starting dates.

FOOTNOTES:

2015

System-wide: Weekly Open Hours of Service: [PDF/1 page](#)

Dudley Branch: May - Extended hours due to E. Clinton Branch closure.

E. Clinton Branch: May - Closed - electrical fire.

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Hamburg Public: May - Construction for expansion project continues.

Lake Shore Branch: May - Increased traffic due to Hamburg Public Library construction.