




## Registered Public Access Computer Sessions

| <br><b>Library</b> | April 2006     |                   |                | April 2005     | Change  | Year to Date 2006 |                   |                | YTD 2005       | Change  |
|---|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
|   | Adult Sessions | Juvenile Sessions | Total Sessions | Total Sessions |         | Adult Sessions    | Juvenile Sessions | Total Sessions | Total Sessions |         |
| Ewell (Alden)   | 91             | 20                | 111            | 97             | 14.4%   | 456               | 101               | 557            | 459            | 21.4%   |
| <i>Amherst</i>  |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| Audubon   | 1,289          | 97                | 1,386          | 1,443          | -4.0%   | 5,506             | 434               | 5,940          | 5,763          | 3.1%    |
| Clearfield  | 759            | 34                | 793            | 840            | -5.6%   | 2,871             | 176               | 3,047          | 3,251          | -6.3%   |
| Egbertsville-Snyder   | 268            | 7                 | 275            | 298            | -7.7%   | 1,046             | 40                | 1,086          | 1,080          | 0.6%    |
| Williamsville   | 381            | 9                 | 390            | 325            | 20.0%   | 1,404             | 42                | 1,446          | 1,271          | 13.8%   |
| Angola  | 164            | 31                | 195            | 279            | -30.1%  | 787               | 179               | 966            | 1,064          | -9.2%   |
| <i>Aurora</i>   |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| East Aurora   | 468            | 38                | 506            | 598            | -15.4%  | 1,778             | 180               | 1,958          | 2,172          | -9.9%   |
| West Falls  |                |                   | 0              | 37             | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 134            | -100.0% |
| Boston  | 71             | 31                | 102            | 123            | -17.1%  | 356               | 96                | 452            | 358            | 26.3%   |
| <i>Cheektowaga</i>  |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| Julia Boyer Reinstein   | 1,016          | 141               | 1,157          | 843            | 37.2%   | 4,360             | 713               | 5,073          | 3,354          | 51.3%   |
| North   |                |                   | 0              | 242            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,538          | -100.0% |
| Reinstein Memorial  | 929            | 129               | 1,058          | 901            | 17.4%   | 3,819             | 518               | 4,337          | 3,361          | 29.0%   |
| South   |                |                   | 0              | 160            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 575            | -100.0% |
| Clarence  | 595            | 155               | 750            | 547            | 37.1%   | 2,361             | 636               | 2,997          | 2,048          | 46.3%   |
| Collins   | 156            | 85                | 241            | 283            | -14.8%  | 700               | 562               | 1,262          | 1,133          | 11.4%   |
| Concord   | 251            | 144               | 395            | 344            | 14.8%   | 951               | 359               | 1,310          | 1,434          | -8.6%   |
| Eden  | 82             | 16                | 98             | 139            | -29.5%  | 385               | 55                | 440            | 509            | -13.6%  |
| Elma  | 167            | 54                | 221            | 275            | -19.6%  | 678               | 217               | 895            | 1,018          | -12.1%  |
| Grand Island Memorial   | 258            | 50                | 308            | 321            | -4.0%   | 1,261             | 147               | 1,408          | 1,386          | 1.6%    |
| <i>Hamburg</i>  |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| Blasdell  |                |                   | 0              | 201            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 816            | -100.0% |
| Hamburg   | 871            | 119               | 990            | 758            | 30.6%   | 3,760             | 452               | 4,212          | 3,095          | 36.1%   |
| Lake Shore  | 176            | 29                | 205            | 341            | -39.9%  | 719               | 117               | 836            | 1,315          | -36.4%  |
| Lackawanna  | 372            | 70                | 442            | 568            | -22.2%  | 1,481             | 235               | 1,716          | 2,105          | -18.5%  |
| <i>Lancaster</i>  |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| Depew   |                |                   | 0              | 279            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,025          | -100.0% |
| Lancaster   | 696            | 41                | 737            | 475            | 55.2%   | 2,824             | 144               | 2,968          | 1,881          | 57.8%   |
| Marilla   | 98             | 46                | 144            | 117            | 23.1%   | 343               | 175               | 518            | 405            | 27.9%   |
| Newstead (Akron)  | 248            | 78                | 326            | 422            | -22.7%  | 1,169             | 475               | 1,644          | 1,534          | 7.2%    |
| North Collins   | 76             | 30                | 106            | 102            | 3.9%    | 402               | 141               | 543            | 338            | 60.7%   |
| Orchard Park  | 1,070          | 234               | 1,304          | 1,267          | 2.9%    | 4,161             | 937               | 5,098          | 4,483          | 13.7%   |
| City of Tonawanda   | 335            | 62                | 397            | 491            | -19.1%  | 1,369             | 168               | 1,537          | 1,857          | -17.2%  |
| <i>Town of Tonawanda</i>  |                |                   |                |                |         |                   |                   |                |                |         |
| Brighton  |                |                   | 0              | 317            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,203          | -100.0% |
| Greenhaven  |                |                   | 0              | 214            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 906            | -100.0% |
| Kenilworth  | 333            | 149               | 482            | 402            | 19.9%   | 1,308             | 422               | 1,730          | 1,402          | 23.4%   |
| Kenmore   | 1,179          | 109               | 1,288          | 802            | 60.6%   | 4,682             | 458               | 5,140          | 3,255          | 57.9%   |
| Sheridan Parkside   |                |                   | 0              | 245            | -100.0% | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 876            | -100.0% |
| West Seneca   | 1,010          | 53                | 1,063          | 1,358          | -21.7%  | 4,510             | 291               | 4,801          | 4,945          | -2.9%   |


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| <i>Buffalo</i>  |                |                   |                |                |               |                   |                   |                |                |               |
| Cazenovia   |                |                   | 0              | 541            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,826          | -100.0%       |
| Crane   | 964            | 31                | 995            | 779            | 27.7%         | 3,427             | 137               | 3,564          | 3,327          | 7.1%          |
| Dudley  | 627            | 63                | 690            | 502            | 37.5%         | 2,497             | 259               | 2,756          | 1,976          | 39.5%         |
| East Clinton  | 133            | 48                | 181            | 296            | -38.9%        | 679               | 272               | 951            | 1,089          | -12.7%        |
| East Delavan  | 376            | 159               | 535            | 591            | -9.5%         | 1,631             | 546               | 2,177          | 2,533          | -14.1%        |
| Fairfield   |                |                   | 0              | 468            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,770          | -100.0%       |
| Fronczak  |                |                   | 0              | 338            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,554          | -100.0%       |
| Kensington  |                |                   | 0              | 308            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 1,501          | -100.0%       |
| King  |                |                   | 0              | 98             | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 410            | -100.0%       |
| Mead  |                |                   | 0              | 204            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 753            | -100.0%       |
| Niagara   | 274            | 148               | 422            | 613            | -31.2%        | 1,243             | 488               | 1,731          | 2,230          | -22.4%        |
| Merriweather  | 575            | 420               | 995            | 480            | 107.3%        | 1,500             | 818               | 2,318          | 1,729          | 34.1%         |
| North Park  | 246            | 34                | 280            | 622            | -55.0%        | 1,105             | 162               | 1,267          | 2,312          | -45.2%        |
| Northwest   |                |                   | 0              | 540            | -100.0%       | 0                 | 0                 | 0              | 2,114          | -100.0%       |
| Riverside   | 382            | 172               | 554            | 677            | -18.2%        | 1,437             | 676               | 2,113          | 2,490          | -15.1%        |
| <i>Central</i>  |                |                   |                |                |               |                   |                   |                |                |               |
| B S T   | 1,071          | 46                | 1,117          | 1,646          | -32.1%        | 4,439             | 220               | 4,659          | 6,186          | -24.7%        |
| Children's  | 0              | 254               | 254            | 245            | 3.7%          | 2                 | 955               | 957            | 892            | 7.3%          |
| HSS   | 4,418          | 147               | 4,565          | 4,225          | 8.0%          | 18,724            | 673               | 19,397         | 15,226         | 27.4%         |
| GRO   | 320            | 7                 | 327            | 412            | -20.6%        | 1,258             | 51                | 1,309          | 1,400          | -6.5%         |
| <b>System Total</b>   | <b>22,795</b>  | <b>3,590</b>      | <b>26,385</b>  | 30,039         | <b>-12.2%</b> | <b>93,389</b>     | <b>13,727</b>     | <b>107,116</b> | 114,667        | <b>-6.6%</b>  |
| <b>Contract Library Total</b>   | <b>13,409</b>  | <b>2,061</b>      | <b>15,470</b>  | 16,454         | <b>-6.0%</b>  | <b>55,447</b>     | <b>8,470</b>      | <b>63,917</b>  | 63,349         | <b>0.9%</b>   |
| <b>City Branch Total</b>  | <b>3,577</b>   | <b>1,075</b>      | <b>4,652</b>   | 7,057          | <b>-34.1%</b> | <b>13,519</b>     | <b>3,358</b>      | <b>16,877</b>  | 27,614         | <b>-38.9%</b> |
| <b>Central Library</b>  | <b>5,809</b>   | <b>454</b>        | <b>6,263</b>   | 6,528          | <b>-4.1%</b>  | <b>24,423</b>     | <b>1,899</b>      | <b>26,322</b>  | 23,704         | <b>11.0%</b>  |

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|   | <b>Number of<br/>PACs</b> | <b>Sessions/PAC</b>   | <b>Sessions/PAC</b>          |
| Ewell (Alden)   | 3                         | 37.0                  | 185.7                        |
| <i>Amherst</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Audubon   | 9                         | 154.0                 | 660.0                        |
| Clearfield  | 7                         | 113.3                 | 435.3                        |
| Egbertsville-Snyder   | 3                         | 91.7                  | 362.0                        |
| Williamsville   | 4                         | 97.5                  | 361.5                        |
| Angola  | 6                         | 32.5                  | 161.0                        |
| <i>Aurora</i>   |                           |                       |                              |
| East Aurora   | 8                         | 63.3                  | 244.8                        |
| West Falls  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Boston  | 3                         | 34.0                  | 150.7                        |
| <i>Cheektowaga</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Julia Boyer Reinstein   | 16                        | 72.3                  | 317.1                        |
| North   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Reinstein Memorial  | 16                        | 66.1                  | 271.1                        |
| South   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Clarence  | 12                        | 62.5                  | 249.8                        |
| Collins   | 8                         | 30.1                  | 157.8                        |
| Concord   | 8                         | 49.4                  | 163.8                        |
| Eden  | 4                         | 24.5                  | 110.0                        |
| Elma  | 6                         | 36.8                  | 149.2                        |
| Grand Island Memorial   | 9                         | 34.2                  | 156.4                        |
| <i>Hamburg</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Blasdell  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Hamburg   | 10                        | 99.0                  | 421.2                        |
| Lake Shore  | 6                         | 34.2                  | 139.3                        |
| Lackawanna  | 8                         | 55.3                  | 214.5                        |
| <i>Lancaster</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Depew   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Lancaster   | 13                        | 56.7                  | 228.3                        |
| Marilla   | 5                         | 28.8                  | 103.6                        |
| Newstead (Akron)  | 8                         | 40.8                  | 205.5                        |
| North Collins   | 6                         | 17.7                  | 90.5                         |
| Orchard Park  | 11                        | 118.5                 | 463.5                        |
| City of Tonawanda   | 4                         | 99.3                  | 384.3                        |
| <i>Town of Tonawanda</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Brighton  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Greenhaven  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Kenilworth  | 8                         | 60.3                  | 216.3                        |
| Kenmore   | 8                         | 161.0                 | 642.5                        |
| Sheridan Parkside   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| West Seneca   | 13                        | 81.8                  | 369.3                        |

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| <i>Buffalo</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| Cazenovia   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Crane   | 11                        | 90.5                  | 324.0                        |
| Dudley  | 9                         | 76.7                  | 306.2                        |
| East Clinton  | 8                         | 22.6                  | 118.9                        |
| East Delavan  | 18                        | 29.7                  | 120.9                        |
| Fairfield   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Fronczak  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Kensington  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| King  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Mead  | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Niagara   | 9                         | 46.9                  | 192.3                        |
| Merriweather  | 5                         | 199.0                 | 463.6                        |
| North Park  | 12                        | 23.3                  | 105.6                        |
| Northwest   | 0                         |                       |                              |
| Riverside   | 12                        | 46.2                  | 176.1                        |
| <i>Central</i>  |                           |                       |                              |
| B S T   | 23                        | 48.6                  | 202.6                        |
| Children's  | 6                         | 42.3                  | 159.5                        |
| HSS   | 46                        | 99.2                  | 421.7                        |
| GRO   | 6                         | 54.5                  | 218.2                        |
| <b>System Total</b>   | <b>387</b>                | <b>68.2</b>           | <b>276.8</b>                 |
| <b>Contract Library Total</b>   | <b>222</b>                | <b>69.7</b>           | <b>287.9</b>                 |
| <b>City Branch Total</b>  | <b>84</b>                 | <b>55.4</b>           | <b>200.9</b>                 |
| <b>Central Library</b>  | <b>81</b>                 | <b>77.3</b>           | <b>325.0</b>                 |
| PAC = Public Access Computer  |                           |                       |                              |



## Public Access Computer Statistics Footnotes 2005

*Youth Resource Center computers were added to all locations during Fall 2001. These computers do **not** require registration before use and are not tracked in these statistics. Therefore, juvenile computer use statistics are underreported.*

### 2006

**System-Wide:** Many units have an increased number of public access workstations due to reallocation of equipment from permanently closed libraries.

**Several libraries reduced operating hours in 2006 due to budget cutbacks. These reductions are in addition to service hour reductions that occurred in January 2005. Fewer service hours affected public computer use at many libraries.**

**Central:** BS&T, HSS & Children's are closed on Fridays (begun in Nov. 2005) for a reduction of 24 hrs. per week. In addition, BS&T has a later opening (also begun in Nov. 2005, 10am rather than 8:30, (GRO and Children's instituted those opening hours in Jan. 2005), for an additional reduction of 9 hrs. per week in BS&T.

**City Branches:** The eight remaining branches cumulatively are open 205 fewer hours than in than in 2005.

**Alden (Ewell) Free:** Open hours reduced by 3 hours per week.

**Amherst Libraires:** Increased open hours by 14 over 2005 due to additional funding provided by the Town of Amherst.

**Aurora Town Library:** Open hours reduced by 14 hours per week, primarily due to the closing of the West Falls Library.

**Boston Free Library:** Open hours reduced by 5 hours per week.

**Cheektowaga Libs.:** Open hours reduced by 29 hours per week.

**Collins Public:** Open hours reduced by 5 hours per week.

**Concord Library:** Open hours reduced by 3 hours per week.

Delayed opening on 2/17/06 until noon due to inclement weather, lost 2 service hours.

**Eden Library:** Open hours reduced by 5 hours per week.

Closed 2 hours early on 3/9/2006.

**Elma Public:** Open hours reduced by 8 hours per week.

**Hamburg Libraries:** Open hours reduced by 23 hours per week.

**Lackawanna Pub:** Open hours reduced by 12 hours per week.

**Lancaster Public:** Open hours reduced by 4 hours per week.

**Marilla:** Operated for most of the day without electricity on 1/18/2006 due to a power outage.

**North Collins Pub.:** Open hours reduced by 3 hours per week.

**North Jefferson Br.:** Permanently closed as of 3/24/2006. North Jefferson will be replaced by the new Frank E. Merriweather Library beginning 4/1/2006.

**Orchard Park:** Closed for repairs on 4/26/2006.

**Tonawanda City:** Open hours reduced by 6 hours per week.

Tonawanda Town: Open hours reduced by 57 hours per week.

**2005**

**System-Wide:** Many libraries reduced service hours beginning in January 2005 due to budget reductions. Refer to the January or December 2005 public access computing reports for details on each library affected.