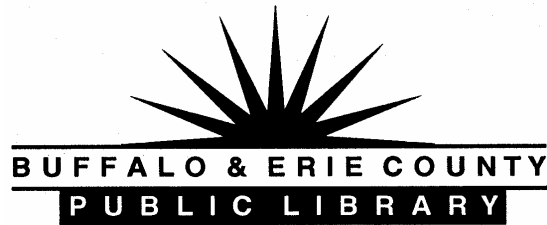


Buffalo & Erie County Public Library



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

February 2006

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>Feb. 2006</u>	<u>Feb. 2005</u>		<u>Jan-Feb. 2006</u>	<u>Jan-Feb. 2005</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	55,791	57,848	-3.6%	115,469	108,836	6.1%
City Branches	38,768	68,715	-43.6%	81,605	141,209	-42.2%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	418,799	458,528	-8.7%	837,758	910,445	-8.0%
MOBILE & URBAN SERVICES	-	590	-100.0%	-	1,603	-100.0%
INSTITUTIONS	17,467	17,900	-2.4%	33,790	35,497	-4.8%
e-BRANCH	49,618	48,843	1.6%	97,736	98,064	-0.3%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	580,443	652,424	-11.0%	1,166,358	1,295,654	-10.0%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES & e-BRANCH

FEBRUARY 2006	FEB 2006	FEB 2005	CHANGE	JAN-FEB 2006	JAN-FEB 2005	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	55,791	57,848	-3.6%	115,469	108,836	6.1%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Cazenovia	-	5,566	-100.0%	-	11,493	-100.0%
Crane	8,556	8,567	-0.1%	18,556	18,335	1.2%
Dudley	8,544	10,171	-16.0%	17,805	19,536	-8.9%
East Clinton	3,342	3,952	-15.4%	7,247	8,073	-10.2%
East Delavan	2,642	2,524	4.7%	5,119	5,601	-8.6%
Fairfield	-	6,815	-100.0%	-	13,826	-100.0%
Fronczak	-	2,278	-100.0%	-	5,446	-100.0%
Kensington	-	2,387	-100.0%	-	6,016	-100.0%
Martin L. King	-	2,211	-100.0%	-	4,395	-100.0%
James M. Mead	-	2,377	-100.0%	-	4,673	-100.0%
Niagara	2,836	3,740	-24.2%	6,486	7,514	-13.7%
North Jefferson	3,363	2,964	13.5%	6,898	5,912	16.7%
North Park	3,236	5,074	-36.2%	6,784	10,271	-33.9%
Northwest	-	3,376	-100.0%	-	6,939	-100.0%
Riverside	6,249	6,713	-6.9%	12,710	13,179	-3.6%
TOTAL BRANCHES	38,768	68,715	-43.6%	81,605	141,209	-42.2%
<u>MOBILE & URBAN SERVICES</u>						
Lookie Bookie/Outreach	-	590	-100.0%	-	1,603	-100.0%
RAM Van	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mobile Libraries	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL MOBILE & URBAN	-	590	-100.0%	-	1,603	-100.0%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	9,997	10,445	-4.3%	18,963	20,693	-8.4%
Holding Center	5,402	5,349	1.0%	10,691	10,518	1.6%
Erie County Home	2,068	2,106	-1.8%	4,136	4,286	-3.5%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	17,467	17,900	-2.4%	33,790	35,497	-4.8%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
TOTAL e-BRANCH	49,618	48,843	1.6%	97,736	98,064	-0.3%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

FEBRUARY 2006	FEB 2006	FEB 2005	CHANGE	JAN-FEB 2006	JAN-FEB 2005	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	3,670	4,725	-22.3%	7,633	9,394	-18.7%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	56,864	57,753	-1.5%	116,169	111,657	4.0%
Clearfield	32,210	35,421	-9.1%	63,638	69,370	-8.3%
Egbertsville-Snyder	13,974	14,797	-5.6%	28,579	29,468	-3.0%
Williamsville	9,940	10,002	-0.6%	20,260	19,954	1.5%
Angola Public	4,280	4,342	-1.4%	8,798	8,694	1.2%
Aurora Town Public						
East Aurora	20,833	20,855	-0.1%	41,755	42,378	-1.5%
West Falls	-	2,507	-100.0%	-	4,942	-100.0%
Boston Free	4,630	4,585	1.0%	9,466	9,024	4.9%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	26,042	23,426	11.2%	50,799	46,469	9.3%
North Branch	-	5,929	-100.0%	-	11,705	-100.0%
Reinstein Memorial	25,174	21,983	14.5%	51,135	44,457	15.0%
South Branch	-	5,450	-100.0%	-	10,657	-100.0%
Clarence Public	25,336	24,065	5.3%	50,101	46,792	7.1%
Collins Public	4,402	4,659	-5.5%	9,163	9,261	-1.1%
Concord Public	6,952	8,432	-17.6%	13,800	17,010	-18.9%
Eden	4,771	6,024	-20.8%	9,461	11,770	-19.6%
Elma Public	11,234	12,185	-7.8%	22,131	24,344	-9.1%
Grand Island Memorial	12,497	12,251	2.0%	24,970	24,860	0.4%
Hamburg Public						
Blasdell	-	4,385	-100.0%	-	8,802	-100.0%
Hamburg	22,126	19,639	12.7%	44,117	39,136	12.7%
Lake Shore	6,554	9,027	-27.4%	13,126	18,133	-27.6%
Lackawanna Public	4,156	4,351	-4.5%	8,295	8,885	-6.6%
Lancaster Public						
Depew	-	8,087	-100.0%	-	16,408	-100.0%
Lancaster	15,172	11,489	32.1%	29,573	22,932	29.0%
Marilla Free	3,409	3,782	-9.9%	6,521	7,273	-10.3%
Newstead Public	4,919	5,573	-11.7%	9,851	10,934	-9.9%
North Collins Memorial	2,594	2,672	-2.9%	5,173	5,763	-10.2%
Orchard Park Public	29,244	29,159	0.3%	59,087	57,703	2.4%
Tonawanda Public	10,492	10,476	0.2%	20,461	20,495	-0.2%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Brighton	-	10,273	-100.0%	-	20,918	-100.0%
Greenhaven	-	8,126	-100.0%	-	15,897	-100.0%
Kenilworth	12,442	10,078	23.5%	24,055	21,225	13.3%
Kenmore	24,373	18,749	30.0%	49,503	36,965	33.9%
Parkside Village	-	1,524	-100.0%	-	3,209	-100.0%
West Seneca Public	20,509	21,747	-5.7%	40,138	43,561	-7.9%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	418,799	458,528	-8.7%	837,758	910,445	-8.0%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

SUNDAY CIRCULATION - 2006

	Central	Audubon	J.B.R.**	North Collins	Orchard Park	Reinstein**	Clearfield*	SUNDAY 2006	SUNDAY 2005	CHANGE
1/1/2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	
01/08/06	1,329	1,218	554	65	504	318	668	4,656	855	444.6%
01/15/06	1,248	1,150	450	190	520	536	629	4,723	891	430.1%
01/22/06	1,457	1,156	675	151	662	611	584	5,296	912	480.7%
01/29/06	1,186	1,308	511	218	604	659	750	5,236	1,071	388.9%
02/05/06	1,143	1,036	480	131	394	552	642	4,378	3,345	30.9%
02/12/06	1,107	1,150	702	156	669	549	600	4,933	3,208	53.8%
02/19/06	1,280	1,432	547	141	559	702	734	5,395	4,017	34.3%
02/26/06	1,465	1,181	502	203	554	876	692	5,473	3,400	61.0%

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TOTALS	10,215	9,631	4,421	1,255	4,466	4,803	5,299	40,090	17,699	126.5%
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The 2006 B&ECPL operating budget funds Sunday open hours at the Central, Audubon, North Collins and Orchard Park libraries.

*Sunday hours at the Clearfield (Amherst) Library are provided as a result of volunteer fund-raising efforts.

**The Town of Cheektowaga funds Sunday hours at the J.B.R. and Reinstein libraries.

SUNDAY HOURS FOOTNOTE: In 2005, Central, Audubon, J.B.R., Orchard Park and Reinstein were **not open** in January.

FOOTNOTES

2006

SYSTEM-WIDE: 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 circulation at many libraries. Refer to January 2006 circulation report for details of service hour reductions at individual locations.

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

2005

SYSTEM-WIDE: 2005 budget reductions had a negative impact on circulation activity throughout the B&ECPL. Refer to January 2005 circulation report for details of service hour reductions at individual locations.

Clarence Public: Opened 4 hours late on 2/8/05 due to a power outage.