

Buffalo & Erie County Public Library



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

June 2009

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>June 2009</u>	<u>June 2008</u>		<u>Jan-Jun 2009</u>	<u>Jan-Jun 2008</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	54,706	49,747	10.0%	344,783	326,860	5.5%
City Branches	54,143	48,345	12.0%	308,492	295,383	4.4%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	440,846	401,666	9.8%	2,524,947	2,468,783	2.3%
INSTITUTIONS	19,565	19,741	-0.9%	108,172	113,166	-4.4%
e-BRANCH	98,508	87,384	12.7%	596,625	530,632	12.4%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	667,768	606,883	10.0%	3,883,019	3,734,824	4.0%

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CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

JUNE 2009	JUN 2009	JUN 2008	CHANGE	JAN-JUN 2009	JAN-JUN 2008	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	54,706	49,747	10.0%	344,783	326,860	5.5%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	12,643	11,239	12.5%	70,153	64,515	8.7%
Dudley	10,246	9,445	8.5%	56,457	60,110	-6.1%
East Clinton	4,769	4,203	13.5%	31,806	24,971	27.4%
East Delavan	3,922	2,959	32.5%	20,849	18,043	15.6%
Niagara	6,165	6,199	-0.5%	38,623	30,019	28.7%
Merriweather	8,471	6,671	27.0%	47,568	39,895	19.2%
North Park	-	1,364	-100.0%	-	18,436	-100.0%
Riverside	7,927	6,265	26.5%	43,036	39,394	9.2%
TOTAL BRANCHES	54,143	48,345	12.0%	308,492	295,383	4.4%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	12,667	12,448	1.8%	63,686	74,549	-14.6%
Holding Center	5,062	5,158	-1.9%	32,087	26,475	21.2%
Home & Infirmary	1,836	2,135	-14.0%	12,399	12,142	2.1%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	19,565	19,741	-0.9%	108,172	113,166	-4.4%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	96,013	85,915	11.8%	582,348	521,839	11.6%
Downloadable audio books	2,272	1,469	54.7%	12,972	8,793	47.5%
Downloadable videos	223	-	N/A	1,305	-	N/A
TOTAL e-BRANCH	98,508	87,384	12.7%	596,625	530,632	12.4%

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CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

JUNE 2009	JUN 2009	JUN 2008	CHANGE	JAN-JUN 2009	JAN-JUN 2008	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	3,720	3,493	6.5%	21,846	19,335	13.0%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	51,119	47,534	7.5%	298,403	305,823	-2.4%
Clearfield	34,784	34,278	1.5%	198,949	193,638	2.7%
Egbertsville-Snyder	18,375	16,336	12.5%	103,620	97,157	6.7%
Williamsville	8,494	7,849	8.2%	48,700	50,523	-3.6%
Angola Public	4,009	3,902	2.7%	23,750	23,661	0.4%
Aurora Town Public/E. Aurora	19,073	19,984	-4.6%	124,275	128,395	-3.2%
Boston Free	6,992	5,428	28.8%	38,084	35,229	8.1%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	27,457	24,464	12.2%	160,378	154,425	3.9%
Reinstein Memorial	23,560	21,680	8.7%	143,038	138,957	2.9%
Clarence Public	28,190	24,403	15.5%	149,687	146,578	2.1%
Collins Public	5,476	4,428	23.7%	31,357	29,561	6.1%
Concord Public	8,641	8,021	7.7%	46,485	42,470	9.5%
Eden	6,657	5,908	12.7%	36,709	34,477	6.5%
Elma Public	12,101	10,288	17.6%	66,750	62,527	6.8%
Grand Island Memorial	14,594	13,738	6.2%	83,654	79,486	5.2%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	19,383	16,957	14.3%	119,610	115,564	3.5%
Lake Shore	9,170	8,505	7.8%	51,844	52,490	-1.2%
Lackawanna Public	5,836	4,271	36.6%	29,662	26,095	13.7%
Lancaster Public	17,749	15,820	12.2%	100,512	96,374	4.3%
Marilla Free	4,327	3,618	19.6%	23,194	23,518	-1.4%
Newstead Public	6,267	5,169	21.2%	33,480	29,031	15.3%
North Collins Memorial	2,857	2,566	11.3%	16,081	15,860	1.4%
Orchard Park Public	29,874	28,203	5.9%	159,986	173,382	-7.7%
Tonawanda Public	10,492	10,030	4.6%	60,061	61,800	-2.8%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	11,127	10,836	2.7%	65,899	69,754	-5.5%
Kenmore	29,445	24,651	19.4%	169,179	148,216	14.1%
West Seneca Public	21,077	19,306	9.2%	119,754	114,457	4.6%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	440,846	401,666	9.8%	2,524,947	2,468,783	2.3%

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SUNDAY CIRCULATION - 2009

	Central	Merriweather	Audubon	Clearfield *	Hamburg**	J.B.R.**	Kenmore**	Lancaster***	North Collins	Orchard Park	Reinstein **	SUNDAY 2009	SUNDAY 2008	CHANGE
01/04/09	1,032	143	1,177	-	254	565	311	257	142	529	461	4,871	4,536	7.4%
01/11/09	953	90	993	525	354	446	319	274	170	507	454	5,085	4,481	13.5%
01/18/09	1,369	118	1,007	602	289	587	354	441	137	511	453	5,868	4,603	27.5%
01/25/09	1,551	148	1,256	732	393	464	425	255	139	576	438	6,377	4,706	35.5%
02/01/09	1,185	158	1,067	712	260	584	408	349	165	483	473	5,844	4,869	20.0%
02/08/09	1,567	115	1,270	868	298	665	510	322	139	444	579	6,777	4,061	66.9%
02/15/09	1,701	339	1,329	-	396	607	557	459	137	589	516	6,630	5,814	14.0%
02/22/09	1,366	153	1,375	686	371	470	397	404	171	600	610	6,603	5,964	10.7%
03/01/09	1,469	189	1,362	672	408	766	417	414	196	469	605	6,967	5,705	22.1%
03/08/09	1,337	153	1,372	753	326	629	373	512	122	541	469	6,587	5,006	31.6%
03/15/09	693	144	939	684	235	511	420	313	167	545	509	5,160	5,502	-6.2%
03/22/09	1,270	190	1,285	512	401	603	350	332	162	593	524	6,222	0	Easter '08
03/29/09	1,292	93	1,480	677	386	569	438	409	132	790	653	6,919	5,862	18.0%
04/05/09	1,192	153	1,336	-	373	481	451	300	91	559	594	5,530	4,405	25.5%
04/12/09	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	5,982	Easter '09
04/19/09	946	128	1,009	505	303	473	399	271	141	397	403	4,975	4,673	6.5%
04/26/09	977	206	1,128	524	242	401	345	141	102	403	483	4,952	4,697	5.4%
05/03/09	912	167	846	-	258	410	268	278	98	454	324	4,015	5,664	-29.1%
05/10/09	774	109	940	-	164	310	278	210	104	398	278	3,565	2,149	65.9%
05/17/09	1,140	152	1,009	-	260	390	405	305	110	554	488	4,813	3,719	29.4%
YTD TOTALS	22,726	2,948	22,180	8,452	5,971	9,931	7,425	6,246	2,625	9,942	9,314	107,760	92,398	16.6%

The 2008 & 2009 B&ECPL operating budget funds Sunday hours at the Central, Merriweather, Audubon, Hamburg, Kenmore, Lancaster, 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.

***The Hamburg, Kenmore and Lancaster libraries began Sunday hours on February 24, 2008.

Sunday service hours are scheduled to resume on September 13, 2009.

FOOTNOTES

2009

North Park Branch: Closed as of 10/4/2008.

Amherst Pub:

Williamsville Brch: Open 16 fewer hours/month in 2009.

Aurora Town Public: April to October 2009 - Main Street undergoing major reconstruction.

Orchard Park Library: Open additional 3 hours per week beginning 5/26/2009.

2008

North Park Branch: Offering limited services since its closing 4/25/2008 due to elevated levels of lead detected during routine maintenance.

Collins Library: Construction bridge detour on route 62.