

Buffalo & Erie County Public Library



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

November 2009

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>Nov. 2009</u>	<u>Nov. 2008</u>		<u>Jan-Nov. 2009</u>	<u>Jan-Nov. 2008</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	60,001	57,079	5.1%	646,578	614,459	5.2%
City Branches	57,460	47,589	20.7%	605,252	553,626	9.3%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	402,327	394,883	1.9%	4,762,277	4,663,651	2.1%
INSTITUTIONS	17,646	15,114	16.8%	201,745	207,835	-2.9%
e-BRANCH	104,742	94,903	10.4%	1,123,266	1,016,141	10.5%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	642,176	609,568	5.3%	7,339,118	7,055,712	4.0%

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CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

NOVEMBER 2009	NOV 2009	NOV 2008	CHANGE	JAN-NOV 2009	JAN-NOV 2008	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	60,001	57,079	5.1%	646,578	614,459	5.2%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	11,110	10,737	3.5%	132,414	121,650	8.8%
Dudley	9,711	9,340	4.0%	108,233	111,361	-2.8%
East Clinton	5,522	5,026	9.9%	59,643	49,951	19.4%
East Delavan	3,474	3,414	1.8%	40,556	35,329	14.8%
Niagara	7,121	5,860	21.5%	73,848	60,710	21.6%
Merriweather	6,201	7,189	-13.7%	86,214	76,142	13.2%
North Park	6,240	39	15900.0%	16,706	24,372	-31.5%
Riverside	8,081	5,984	35.0%	87,638	74,111	18.3%
TOTAL BRANCHES	57,460	47,589	20.7%	605,252	553,626	9.3%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	12,481	8,853	41.0%	128,556	134,688	-4.6%
Holding Center	3,955	4,540	-12.9%	52,645	51,188	2.8%
Home & Infirmary	1,210	1,721	-29.7%	20,544	21,959	-6.4%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	17,646	15,114	16.8%	201,745	207,835	-2.9%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	102,236	92,651	10.3%	1,096,478	998,993	9.8%
Downloadable audio books	2,341	1,902	23.1%	24,519	16,798	46.0%
Downloadable videos	165	350	-52.9%	2,269	350	548.3%
TOTAL e-BRANCH	104,742	94,903	10.4%	1,123,266	1,016,141	10.5%

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CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

NOVEMBER 2009	NOV 2009	NOV 2008	CHANGE	JAN-NOV 2009	JAN-NOV 2008	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	3,640	3,354	8.5%	42,791	38,659	10.7%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	46,864	47,150	-0.6%	556,290	562,982	-1.2%
Clearfield	32,151	33,489	-4.0%	378,368	373,768	1.2%
Egbertsville-Snyder	15,695	16,169	-2.9%	197,699	187,213	5.6%
Williamsville	7,638	8,568	-10.9%	91,947	95,446	-3.7%
Angola Public	4,278	3,236	32.2%	46,878	44,272	5.9%
Aurora Town Public/E. Aurora	20,012	19,995	0.1%	229,379	236,797	-3.1%
Boston Free	5,873	6,346	-7.5%	69,439	67,008	3.6%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	25,291	24,307	4.0%	300,693	286,503	5.0%
Reinstein Memorial	23,553	22,348	5.4%	269,239	260,688	3.3%
Clarence Public	22,507	21,586	4.3%	285,742	276,022	3.5%
Collins Public	5,595	4,964	12.7%	59,768	56,522	5.7%
Concord Public	7,361	6,898	6.7%	88,375	81,331	8.7%
Eden	6,465	5,586	15.7%	70,534	66,912	5.4%
Elma Public	10,142	10,241	-1.0%	128,783	120,430	6.9%
Grand Island Memorial	13,718	12,485	9.9%	158,417	153,004	3.5%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	19,235	18,560	3.6%	224,771	213,810	5.1%
Lake Shore	9,293	8,549	8.7%	99,646	100,392	-0.7%
Lackawanna Public	5,324	5,055	5.3%	58,490	51,995	12.5%
Lancaster Public	15,784	15,706	0.5%	192,190	186,460	3.1%
Marilla Free	3,765	3,353	12.3%	44,232	43,703	1.2%
Newstead Public	5,468	5,178	5.6%	63,011	56,644	11.2%
North Collins Memorial	2,887	3,039	-5.0%	31,149	30,311	2.8%
Orchard Park Public	25,871	24,795	4.3%	305,786	320,007	-4.4%
Tonawanda Public	9,679	9,607	0.7%	113,373	115,801	-2.1%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	10,746	10,704	0.4%	122,829	129,671	-5.3%
Kenmore	25,013	25,737	-2.8%	313,227	291,757	7.4%
West Seneca Public	18,479	17,878	3.4%	219,231	215,543	1.7%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	402,327	394,883	1.9%	4,762,277	4,663,651	2.1%

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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%
09/06/09	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	213	Closed	213	3,023	-93.0%
09/13/09	723	42	972	-	121	324	285	376	113	476	227	3,659	3,470	5.4%
09/20/09	729	127	874	-	201	322	263	287	107	327	351	3,588	4,127	-13.1%
09/27/09	960	164	977	506	243	429	428	304	147	382	389	4,929	5,213	-5.4%
10/04/09	887	184	1,090	625	241	474	368	384	141	487	327	5,208	4,068	28.0%
10/11/09	978	80	973	533	205	377	360	331	100	420	423	4,780	4,227	13.1%
10/18/09	874	136	1,122	480	230	409	361	311	115	524	403	4,965	4,124	20.4%
10/25/09	1,009	97	1,134	524	275	472	276	385	175	419	405	5,171	4,925	5.0%
11/01/09	972	86	1,040	584	224	529	302	321	137	429	386	5,010	5,345	-6.3%
11/08/09	895	95	1,070	475	247	467	308	356	158	381	467	4,919	5,201	-5.4%
11/15/09	1,240	143	1,099	584	209	511	426	281	138	477	417	5,525	5,587	-1.1%
11/22/09	1,107	106	914	535	249	649	362	356	119	393	446	5,236	5,574	-6.1%
11/29/09	1,042	88	937	641	298	338	378	308	56	306	442	4,834	4,855	-0.4%
YTD TOTALS	34,142	4,296	34,382	13,939	8,714	15,232	11,542	10,246	4,131	15,176	13,997	165,797	152,137	9.0%

The 2008 & 2009 B&ECPPL 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.

FOOTNOTES

2009

North Park Branch: Re-opened at new location 09/17/2009.

Amherst Pub:

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

Elma: Library access from North required 3 mile detour due to road closing for repair 11/4/2009 - 11/30/2009.

Kenmore: Closed on 11/27/2009 due to electrical work.

Orchard Park Library: Open additional 3 hours per week beginning 05/26/2009.

2008

Holding Center: Closed on 11/19/2008 due to search/shakedown in the facility.

North Park Branch: Limited Lookie Bookie services stopped at close of business day 10/04/2008.

e-Branch: Downloadable videos and MP3 (iPod compatible) audiobooks began 11/06/2008.