

Buffalo & Erie County Public Library



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

October 2009

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>Oct. 2009</u>	<u>Oct. 2008</u>		<u>Jan-Oct. 2009</u>	<u>Jan-Oct. 2008</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	61,582	59,017	4.3%	586,577	557,380	5.2%
City Branches	63,869	50,057	27.6%	547,792	506,037	8.3%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	426,790	417,613	2.2%	4,359,950	4,268,768	2.1%
INSTITUTIONS	20,320	20,669	-1.7%	184,099	192,721	-4.5%
e-BRANCH	108,306	98,827	9.6%	1,018,524	921,238	10.6%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	680,867	646,183	5.4%	6,696,942	6,446,144	3.9%

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CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

OCTOBER 2009	OCT 2009	OCT 2008	CHANGE	JAN-OCT 2009	JAN-OCT 2008	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	61,582	59,017	4.3%	586,577	557,380	5.2%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	12,358	10,913	13.2%	121,304	110,913	9.4%
Dudley	11,019	9,649	14.2%	98,522	102,021	-3.4%
East Clinton	5,592	5,131	9.0%	54,121	44,925	20.5%
East Delavan	3,765	3,536	6.5%	37,082	31,915	16.2%
Niagara	6,890	6,239	10.4%	66,727	54,850	21.7%
Merriweather	7,156	7,301	-2.0%	80,013	68,953	16.0%
North Park	7,661	294	2505.8%	10,466	24,333	-57.0%
Riverside	9,428	6,994	34.8%	79,557	68,127	16.8%
TOTAL BRANCHES	63,869	50,057	27.6%	547,792	506,037	8.3%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	14,522	12,971	12.0%	116,075	125,835	-7.8%
Holding Center	4,238	5,667	-25.2%	48,690	46,648	4.4%
Home & Infirmary	1,560	2,031	-23.2%	19,334	20,238	-4.5%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	20,320	20,669	-1.7%	184,099	192,721	-4.5%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	105,842	97,381	8.7%	994,242	906,342	9.7%
Downloadable audio books	2,268	1,446	56.8%	22,178	14,896	48.9%
Downloadable videos	196	-	N/A	2,104	-	N/A
TOTAL e-BRANCH	108,306	98,827	9.6%	1,018,524	921,238	10.6%

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CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

OCTOBER 2009	OCT 2009	OCT 2008	CHANGE	JAN-OCT 2009	JAN-OCT 2008	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	3,864	3,636	6.3%	39,151	35,305	10.9%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	48,552	48,869	-0.6%	509,426	515,832	-1.2%
Clearfield	33,624	33,245	1.1%	346,217	340,279	1.7%
Eggertsville-Snyder	17,974	17,258	4.1%	182,004	171,044	6.4%
Williamsville	8,009	9,074	-11.7%	84,309	86,878	-3.0%
Angola Public	4,414	3,785	16.6%	42,600	41,036	3.8%
Aurora Town Public/E. Aurora	21,577	21,859	-1.3%	209,367	216,802	-3.4%
Boston Free	6,311	6,148	2.7%	63,566	60,662	4.8%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	27,188	24,751	9.8%	275,402	262,196	5.0%
Reinstein Memorial	24,750	23,542	5.1%	245,686	238,340	3.1%
Clarence Public	24,654	25,097	-1.8%	263,235	254,436	3.5%
Collins Public	5,890	5,542	6.3%	54,173	51,558	5.1%
Concord Public	8,150	6,897	18.2%	81,014	74,433	8.8%
Eden	6,524	6,504	0.3%	64,069	61,326	4.5%
Elma Public	11,690	10,641	9.9%	118,641	110,189	7.7%
Grand Island Memorial	14,380	13,597	5.8%	144,699	140,519	3.0%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	20,300	19,110	6.2%	205,536	195,250	5.3%
Lake Shore	9,394	8,926	5.2%	90,353	91,843	-1.6%
Lackawanna Public	5,111	5,082	0.6%	53,166	46,940	13.3%
Lancaster Public	17,078	16,203	5.4%	176,406	170,754	3.3%
Marilla Free	4,130	3,806	8.5%	40,467	40,350	0.3%
Newstead Public	5,204	4,983	4.4%	57,543	51,466	11.8%
North Collins Memorial	2,740	2,802	-2.2%	28,262	27,272	3.6%
Orchard Park Public	26,958	27,296	-1.2%	279,915	295,212	-5.2%
Tonawanda Public	10,718	10,513	1.9%	103,694	106,194	-2.4%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	11,951	12,432	-3.9%	112,083	118,967	-5.8%
Kenmore	26,653	27,221	-2.1%	288,214	266,020	8.3%
West Seneca Public	19,002	18,794	1.1%	200,752	197,665	1.6%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	426,790	417,613	2.2%	4,359,950	4,268,768	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%
YTD TOTALS	28,886	3,778	29,322	11,120	7,487	12,738	9,766	8,624	3,523	13,190	11,839	140,273	125,575	11.7%

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.

FOOTNOTES

2009

North Park Branch: Grand opening at new location 09/17/2009.

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 05/26/2009.

2008

Holding Center: Public and law side closed 10/28/2008 (p.m. only) due to ceiling leaks.

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