

Buffalo & Erie County Public Library



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

September 2010

(Revised 11-15-10)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>Sept. 2010</u>	<u>Sept. 2009</u>		<u>Jan-Sept 2010</u>	<u>Jan-Sept 2009</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	61,595	56,935	8.2%	569,818	524,995	8.5%
City Branches	64,573	53,710	20.2%	565,779	484,517	16.8%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	405,989	399,888	1.5%	3,859,298	3,933,160	-1.9%
INSTITUTIONS	17,460	17,429	0.2%	155,787	163,779	-4.9%
e-BRANCH	111,722	94,545	18.2%	1,003,820	910,218	10.3%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	661,339	622,507	6.2%	6,154,502	6,016,669	2.3%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

SEPTEMBER 2010	SEPT 2010	SEPT 2009	CHANGE	JAN-SEP 2010	JAN-SEP 2009	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	61,595	56,935	8.2%	569,818	524,995	8.5%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	12,651	11,548	9.6%	111,684	108,946	2.5%
Dudley	10,282	9,326	10.3%	91,800	88,097	4.2%
East Clinton	5,370	5,201	3.2%	47,473	48,529	-2.2%
East Delavan	7,293	3,666	98.9%	51,788	33,317	55.4%
Niagara	6,461	6,578	-1.8%	61,462	59,837	2.7%
Merriweather	9,219	6,628	39.1%	75,721	72,857	3.9%
North Park	6,921	2,805	146.7%	56,922	2,805	1929.3%
Riverside	6,376	7,958	-19.9%	68,929	70,129	-1.7%
TOTAL BRANCHES	64,573	53,710	20.2%	565,779	484,517	16.8%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	11,601	12,601	-7.9%	106,975	101,553	5.3%
Holding Center	3,963	2,890	37.1%	32,973	44,452	-25.8%
Home & Infirmary	1,896	1,938	-2.2%	15,839	17,774	-10.9%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	17,460	17,429	0.2%	155,787	163,779	-4.9%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	102,854	92,205	11.5%	958,960	888,400	7.9%
Downloadable audio books	3,430	2,191	56.5%	26,342	19,910	32.3%
Downloadable videos	202	149	35.6%	1,437	1,908	-24.7%
eBooks	2,887	-	N/A	14,732	-	N/A
Downloadable music	2,349	-	N/A	2,349	-	N/A
TOTAL e-BRANCH	111,722	94,545	18.2%	1,003,820	910,218	10.3%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

SEPTEMBER 2010	SEPT 2010	SEPT 2009	CHANGE	JAN-SEP 2010	JAN-SEP 2009	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	2,959	3,925	-24.6%	33,006	35,287	-6.5%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	42,536	45,161	-5.8%	417,317	460,874	-9.5%
Clearfield	30,936	31,370	-1.4%	313,795	312,593	0.4%
Egbertsville-Snyder	18,728	16,958	10.4%	170,556	164,030	4.0%
Williamsville	7,353	7,786	-5.6%	69,812	76,300	-8.5%
Angola Public	4,449	3,950	12.6%	40,293	38,186	5.5%
Aurora Town Public	19,769	20,140	-1.8%	190,142	187,790	1.3%
Boston Free	6,651	4,995	33.2%	59,021	57,255	3.1%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	24,932	25,745	-3.2%	239,171	248,214	-3.6%
Reinstein Memorial	24,428	23,279	4.9%	215,539	220,936	-2.4%
Clarence Public	23,264	23,020	1.1%	234,484	238,581	-1.7%
Collins Public	5,709	4,998	14.2%	51,665	48,283	7.0%
Concord Public	7,910	7,708	2.6%	74,745	72,864	2.6%
Eden	6,999	6,181	13.2%	62,057	57,545	7.8%
Elma Public	9,962	11,080	-10.1%	104,945	106,951	-1.9%
Grand Island Memorial	13,534	13,346	1.4%	125,368	130,319	-3.8%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	18,994	18,580	2.2%	182,086	185,236	-1.7%
Lake Shore	9,139	8,081	13.1%	83,418	80,959	3.0%
Lackawanna Public	5,663	5,244	8.0%	51,784	48,055	7.8%
Lancaster Public	17,277	17,001	1.6%	156,249	159,328	-1.9%
Marilla Free	4,267	3,761	13.5%	39,654	36,337	9.1%
Newstead Public	5,160	5,185	-0.5%	50,087	52,339	-4.3%
North Collins Memorial	2,367	2,589	-8.6%	23,584	25,522	-7.6%
Orchard Park Public	25,888	26,271	-1.5%	250,700	252,957	-0.9%
Tonawanda Public	11,204	9,524	17.6%	101,317	92,976	9.0%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	10,747	10,285	4.5%	96,992	100,132	-3.1%
Kenmore	26,177	26,081	0.4%	245,556	261,561	-6.1%
West Seneca Public	18,987	17,644	7.6%	175,955	181,750	-3.2%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	405,989	399,888	1.5%	3,859,298	3,933,160	-1.9%

SUNDAY CIRCULATION - 2010

	Central	Merriweather	Audubon	Clearfield *	Elma***	Hamburg	J.B.R.**	Kenmore	Lancaster	North Collins	Orchard Park	Reinstein**	SUNDAY 2010	SUNDAY 2009	CHANGE
01/03/10	637	65	335	353	-	252	251	245	197	94	326	256	3,011	4,871	-38.2%
01/10/10	1,062	103	837	551	167	317	407	424	235	123	539	364	5,129	5,085	0.9%
01/17/10	1,164	223	1,101	719	110	374	591	477	336	132	589	430	6,246	5,868	6.4%
01/24/10	1,379	172	1,060	754	200	307	567	568	311	121	502	383	6,324	6,377	-0.8%
01/31/10	1,156	84	1,085	591	177	310	645	377	430	100	383	503	5,841	5,844	-0.1%
02/07/10	1,236	178	897	652	196	276	537	364	293	135	500	356	5,620	6,777	-17.1%
02/14/10	1,307	200	904	-	148	260	430	402	368	131	474	511	5,135	6,630	-22.5%
02/21/10	1,226	116	656	742	164	316	708	479	408	109	449	528	5,901	6,603	-10.6%
02/28/10	1,294	132	1,170	619	217	389	606	448	345	135	312	473	6,140	6,967	-11.9%
03/07/10	1,408	123	1,122	740	151	241	701	429	382	97	599	627	6,620	6,587	0.5%
03/14/10	1,037	162	1,156	795	274	220	544	416	393	146	614	450	6,207	5,160	20.3%
03/21/10	1,646	159	860	737	248	318	618	380	285	132	538	361	6,282	6,222	1.0%
03/28/10	1,644	225	783	776	286	315	612	409	300	108	529	478	6,465	6,919	-6.6%
04/04/10	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	5,530	Easter '10
04/11/10	1,389	162	723	614	227	366	403	395	364	111	429	466	5,649	0	Easter '09
04/18/10	1,424	117	1,383	-	289	264	666	433	286	137	520	603	6,122	4,975	23.1%
04/25/10	1,346	94	905	541	227	368	535	545	305	55	589	487	5,997	4,952	21.1%
05/02/10	1,339	137	837	462	149	292	444	399	246	93	423	421	5,242	4,015	30.6%
05/09/10	986	117	949	548	201	257	431	402	188	65	422	432	4,998	3,565	40.2%
05/16/10	1,128	84	538	503	108	177	321	321	186	87	344	507	4,304	4,813	-10.6%
05/23/10	1,095	91	520	373	168	219	404	299	153	67	384	449	4,222	0	N/A
09/05/10	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	213	-100.0%
09/12/10	1,033	60	818	-	91	274	369	323	203	90	295	284	3,840	3,659	4.9%
09/19/10	957	107	1,052	-	96	278	309	380	281	84	395	383	4,322	3,588	20.5%
09/26/10	1,110	155	753	-	139	164	370	296	277	123	440	362	4,189	4,929	-15.0%
YTD TOTALS	28,003	3,066	20,444	11,070	4,033	6,554	11,469	9,211	6,772	2,475	10,595	10,114	123,806	120,149	3.0%

The 2009 & 2010 B&ECP 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 Elma Public Library began Sunday hours on January 10, 2010

FOOTNOTES

2010

System-wide: Majority of libraries closed morning of 09/22/2010 due to *Staff Workshop* - available for reopening at 12 noon.

e-Branch: Downloadable music started September 2010.

E. Clinton: Electrical wire work down Fenton Street made parking nearly impossible the first few months of the year.

Alden (Ewell Free): September - Major road construction in front of library; no parking in front of library

Elma Public: Building addition and parking lot construction began 9/13/10 resulting in reduced parking and accessibility

Note: This revised report reflects correction in monthly reporting error of e-Branch figure

2009

System-wide: Most libraries closed on 09/23/2009 for Staff Development Day. Elma, Kenmore, Lackawanna, Newstead and Reinstein Memorial Library maintained regular hours; Audubon, Clearfield, Eggertsville, Julia Boyer Reinstein, Lancaster, North Collins and Orchard Park were open in the evening.

Correctional Facility: Closed 09/18/2009 and 09/24/2009 due to librarian illness.

Holding Center: Closed 09/02/2009 - 09/16/2009 due to security inspections of all library material & shelving by Sheriff's Department.

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

Amherst Public:

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

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

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