

More 2019 Highlights



Lego® Grand Prix
presented by the
Clarence Youth
Bureau



Friends of the Library
Bike Raffle Winners



Reading with Gertrude
the dog SPCA's Paws
for Love program



Buffalo's Best Batman
visits our Summer
Reading Kickoff event



A summer favorite—
Niagara University
Repertory Theatre per-
forms at the Library



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Clarence Public Library

2019 Annual Report to the Community

Our Mission

To provide opportunities for
learning, recreation and
personal growth for all the
people of the Town of Clarence
through the resources of the
Clarence Public Library and the
Buffalo and Erie County
Public Library System of



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2019 Statistics

- ◇ 2019 Circulation—190,682 items
- ◇ Total number of questions answered in 2019: 9,933
- ◇ Number of people who visited the Clarence Library in 2019 — 100,794
- ◇ Number of registered resident borrowers at the Clarence Library— 15,637
- ◇ Total print materials held by the Clarence Library— 65,936
- ◇ Total audio and video units held by the Clarence Library— 22,500
- ◇ Grand Total of items held by the Clarence Library—88,436
- ◇ The Clarence Library offered 39 programs for English speakers of other Languages (ESOL) with a total attendance of 163
- ◇ Total number of library-sponsored programs, events and uses of the meeting room for library programs in 2019— 651
- ◇ Adult program attendance—4,874
- ◇ Children's program attendance— 3,794
- ◇ Young Adult program attendance— 299
- ◇ Intergenerational program attendance— 3,122
- ◇ Total library-sponsored program attendance—12,089

2019 Statistics

Summer Program Statistics

- ◇ The Clarence Library had 168 children sign up for its Summer Reading Programs
- ◇ Total number of children who recorded time spent reading was 55
- ◇ Total Minutes read by children in the Summer Reading Program was 86,400
- ◇ Total program attendance for Summer 2019 was 1,571

Other Statistics

- ⇒ There were 9,493 computer sessions at the Clarence Library in 2019
- ⇒ The Clarence Library had 18,948 visits to its web page in 2019
- ⇒ There were 641 tutoring sessions in 2019
- ⇒ There were 15,175 WiFi Login sessions at the Clarence Public Library in 2019
- ⇒ Clarence ranked an average of 7th out of 37 libraries for highest circulation per month throughout 2019



Author Margaret Creighton speaks at the Clarence Public Library
May 2019

One Community
One Book 2019:
*The Electrifying
Fall of Rainbow
City*



Chess Class at the
Library



Guitar Quartet Concert



Toddler Time Fun



Local Author Event

Seated: John Benzee with
Lillian C. and Amy Swarts

Children's Reading Garden



National Library
Card Sign-Up Raffle
Winner



Bob Poczik presented:
*1969 the Year Everything
Changed*