AURORA TOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY
550 Main Street, East Aurora, New York 14052
Agenda of the Board
Regular Monthly Meeting
November 16, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

1. Comments from the audience:
2. Minutes of the Meeting: October 26, 2026
3. Treasurer's Report: Monthly Financial Statements, Internal Auditor, & Contingency Fund Reports: October 2026
4. Director's Report: October 2026
5. Reports of Interest
   a. Other
6. Personnel
   a. Payroll Report: Pay Period 20 & Paid System Budget Analysis
   b. The Board May Enter Executive Session
   c. Other

7. Old Business
   a. Library Improvements/Expansion
   b. Phone System
   c. Expiring Trustee Terms & New Trustee Search
   d. Other

8. New Business
   a. Disaster Policy Draft - Review & Approve
   b. Schedule of Meetings of the Library Board Draft
   c. Other

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be on December 14, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

AURORA TOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY
550 Main Street, East Aurora, New York 14052
Minutes of the Board
Regular Monthly Meeting
October 26, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

Present: Martha Buyer, Kara Spencer-Ching, Elaine Chow, Adam Zaremski, Paula Ausberger (ATPL Director); Excused Sashi Racho

President Adam Zaremski called the meeting to order at 6:04pm.

1. There were no comments from the audience.

2. A motion (MB,KSC) to approve the Minutes of the Meeting: September 28, 2026 was carried by a voice vote.
    a. Sharon Kelly impressed by ATPL during last visit

3. A motion (AZ,MB) to approve the Treasurer's Report: Monthly Financial Statements, Internal Auditor, & Contingency Fund Reports: September 2026 was carried by a voice vote.
    a. CD renewals to be reviewed since interest rates improving
    b. Invoices not received yet for current purchases; end-of-year balance impacted
    c. Local checking account balance to be reviewed for CD

4. A motion (MB,EC) to approve the Director's Report: September 2026 was carried by a voice vote.
    a. Circulation steady year-to-year
    b. Library of Things up 109%
    c. Computer use up this month
    d. Wifi continues to be up
    e. 641 attended 243 programs
    f. Job fair partnered with Dept of Labor
    g. Cooking Club, Teen programming, Fire Truck Family Story Time, and Scavenger Hunt were well attended
    h. Outreach at Rotary and Holland HS for Meet the Teacher Night – Market Rural library teen Programming
    i. Mailed outreach letters to local schools and Absolut Care

5. Reports of Interest
    a. The Friends Pop-Up Sales made $227.50 in June, $200.00 in July, and $264.00 in August, and $312.00 in October. Proceeds for the four sales raised totaled to $1,003.50.
    b. From November 2 through December 4, ATPL will be collecting donations for Legislator Lindsay Lorigo's Neighbors Helping Neighbors Drive. Donations will be delivered to local food pantries and outreach centers, including ROC, FISH, Bread of Life Outreach Center, Springville Trading Post Community Care Center, Springville Love INC, and the West Seneca Food Pantry. The following items are being collected: toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, laundry detergent, dish soap, shampoo/conditioner, body wash, toothpaste/toothbrushes, feminine hygiene, diapers/baby wipes, deodorant, and cleaning wipes.

6. Personnel
    a. Payroll Report: None
    b. The Board did not enter Executive Session
    c. New cleaner position opening (13 hours/week)
        a. Private cleaning service may be an option during interim search, since this position is not unionized. Service (cannot with personnel budget)
        b. Highway Dept. was asked to assist with cleaning restrooms
        c. Possible to ask other local/community buildings for cleaning service contacts: Town, Schools, BG Club, etc.

7. Old Business
    a. Library Improvements/Expansion
    b. Phone System
        a. Meeting with Franklin Telecomm this week
        b. System-wide contract may be forthcoming

8. New Business
    a. A motion (KSC, AZ) to approve the Gift and Donor Recognition Policy was carried by a voice vote.
        a. Review Section F. – replace "for" with "or", and add commas
    b. Expiring Trustee Terms & New Trustee Search
        a. Search to be initiated
    c. ACT meeting 10/24/26 at Isaias Gonzalez-Soto Library summary
        a. Services to Speakers of Languages Other Than English in the Contracting Libraries presentation by System Adult Outreach Services Manager Carol Kowalik-Happy
        b. City Branches – Providing Access, Engagement, and Fun by Buffalo Branches Manager Teresa Vadakin
        c. Introduction, What I've Learned and Looking to the Future by new Director Christine Schonhart

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be on November 16, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

A motion (EC, MB) to adjourn the meeting at 6:55pm was carried by a voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine Chow
Secretary

AURORA TOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY		**Treasurer's Report**	**31-Oct-26**
LOCAL CHECKING ACCOUNT			
Beginning Balance:	**1-Oct-26**		**$55,486.79**
Plus Receipts/Deposits		**Total:**	**$5,415.94**
Less Checks/Debits		**Total:**	**$9,169.38**
Ending Balance:	**31-Oct-26**		**$51,733.35**

Transaction Details

Receipts:		
Friends of ATPL	(Rhoda Zucker Memorial)	$3,970.00
John Norlund	(Unspecified Cash Donation)	$50.00
Friends of ATPL	(Reimbursement for Credit Purchase for Replacement Storage Box for Social Emotional Learning Kit)	$29.27
Friends of ATPL	(Yoto Accessories & Cards Reimbursement)	$455.00
ATPL	(Thermal Laminator Reimbursement)	$109.99
ATPL	(Reimbursement for Garbage Bins, Rubbing Alcohol, Window Sign Holders)	$76.69
Alice Askew	($200.00 Unspecified Donation; $300.00 I/M of Constance Maloney)	$500.00
ATPL	(Fireproof Safe Reimbursement)	$224.99
	Total:	**$5,415.94**
Credit Purchases:		
A. Amazon	(Social Emotional Learning Kit Materials & Trick or Read Scrapbook Paper)	$164.74
B. Best Buy	(Two Chromebooks for Rural Library Grant Prizes)	$398.00
C. Amazon	(12 Amazon Gift Cards for Rural Library Grant Prizes)	$120.00
D. Amazon	(Fabric for Pumpkin Craft Program & 6-Port USB Charger)	$69.16
E. Michaels	(Fabric for Pumpkin Patch Craft Program)	$4.99
F. Vista Print	(Game of Life Banner for Rural Library Grant)	$274.99
	Total:	**$1,031.88**
Disbursements:		
1. Sheri Voss	(Writing an Authentic College Essay Program - Rural Library Grant)	$150.00
2. M&T Bank	(Credit Purchases A - F)	$1,031.88
3. Spaceworx	(Study Pod Remaining Balance - Rural Library Grant)	$7,987.50
	Total:	**$9,169.38**

Director's Discretionary Fund (Expended from Contingency)

Beginning Balance:	**$204.21**
Transaction Details:	
Ending Balance:	**$204.21**

Internal Auditor's Report — **Sashi Racho, Internal Auditor**

Voucher#	Amount	Approved	Check #	Disbursement
L 182	$150.00		1141	1
L 183	$1,031.88		1142	2
L 184	$7,987.50		1143	3

Contingency Fund	$373.30	**Counted**	11/2/2026
Savings Account			
Balance Forward	**1-Oct-26**		$500.18
Interest Earned			$0.01
Balance	**31-Oct-26**		**$500.19**
Certificate of Deposit	**17-Dec-25 12 Month Term 3.03%**	**Maturity 17-Dec-26**	
Beginning Balance: $49,898.94		Ending Balance: $49,898.94	
Certificate of Deposit	**17-Dec-25 12 Month Term 3.03%**	**Maturity 17-Dec-26**	
Beginning Balance: $25,000.00		Ending Balance: $25,000.00	

Rural Library Grant Expenditures 2026
Award: $20,000.00

Funded by the Rural Library Grant, powered by the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation and coordinated by the Western New York Library Resources Council and Rochester Regional Library Council for the *Preparing Tweens, Teens, and Young Adults for Success Project*. Local youth in our rural area will be empowered by out-of-school learning opportunities at the Library. Through skill-building programs, leadership development activities, and educational enrichment, participants will strengthen critical life and workforce skills, becoming confident, engaged, and capable members of the community. The grant funding will also allow the purchase of a study pod, creating a dedicated space that can be reserved for homework, small-group collaboration, exam preparation, tutoring, virtual learning, and independent study. This addition to the ATPL will provide young people with a quiet environment that supports academic achievement and personal growth while expanding access to educational resources and experiences.

BUDGET LINE	STUDY POD	PROGRAMMING	MARKETING & SUPPLIES
ADOPTED BUDGET	$15,986.39	$1,500.00	$2,513.61
BUDGET TRANSFERS	$11.39		$11.39

Order Date	Item Description	Vendor	Payment Issued	Amount	Amount	Amount
5/20/2026	Study Pod Deposit	Spaceworx	5/22/2026	$7,987.50		
8/18/2026	Spinner for Promotional Games	Michaels	8/21/2026			$14.99
9/9/2026	Game of Life Postcards	Martyn Printing & Graphics	9/9/2026			$169.00
9/10/2026	Chromebooks for Prizes (2)	Best Buy	10/15/2026			$398.00
9/11/2026	Amazon Gift Cards (12)	Amazon	10/15/2026			$120.00
9/16/2026	Game of Life Banner	Vista Print	10/15/2026			$274.99
9/30/2026	London Pen with Blue Ink Digital Full Color Wrap (100) & Castelli® All Color Medio Lined Journal (25)	Vista Print				$593.92
10/7/2026	Writing an Authentic College Essay Program	Sheri Voss			$150.00	
10/8/2026	Preparing Teens for Success Refreshments	Walmart				$67.80
10/20/2026	Game of Life Magnets	Michaels				$8.99
10/26/2026	Study Pod Remaining Balance	Spaceworx		$7,987.50		
10/29/2026	Cases, Headphones, & Mouses for Chromebook Prizes; Replacement Spinner for Promotional Games	Amazon				$194.84
10/30/2026	Study Pod Extension Cord	Ace Hardware		$11.39		
Total Expenditures				$15,986.39	$150.00	$1,842.53
Total Remaining Budget				$0.00	$1,350.00	$671.08

Total Grant Funding Remaining	**$2,021.08**

WYFY Grant Expenditures 2026
Award: $10,000.00

Funded by the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation and distributed through the Community Foundation for Greater Buffalo. A 24-member Youth Advisory Board of young people ages 13–17 designed the grantmaking process, reviewed applications, and selected 40 organizations to receive funding for out-of-school time and youth sports programs across the nine-county region. This funding will allow ATPL to create a welcoming teen space.

BUDGET LINE	Teen Space
ADOPTED BUDGET	$10,000.00
BUDGET TRANSFERS	

Order Date	Item Description	Vendor	Payment Issued	Amount
10/8/2026	Teen Space Furniture	Hon Company C/O Buffalo Office Interiors		$10,681.28
Total Expenditures				$10,681.28
Total Remaining Budget				-$681.28
Difference Funded by the Friends of Aurora Town Public Library				$681.28

Total Grant Funding Remaining	$0.00

Contingency Fund October 2026

BEGINNING BALANCE	**$348.30**
Total Donations / Reimbursements	$25.00
Total Expenditures	$0.00
ENDING BALANCE	**$373.30**

DONATIONS / REIMBURSEMENTS

Item	Purpose	Amount	Date	Initials
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$9.00	10/5	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$1.00	10/9	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$2.00	10/13	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$4.00	10/14	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$2.00	10/15	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$1.00	10/23	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$1.00	10/27	WR
Counter Donation	Unspecified Cash Donation	$5.00	10/28	WR
Total		**$25.00**		

EXPENSES

Item	Vendor	Amount	Date	Initials
Total		**$0.00**		

AURORA TOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY **COUNTY LEDGER**

COUNTY CHECKING ACCOUNT **31-Oct-26**

Beginning Balance:	**1-Oct-26**		**$8,597.21**
Plus Receipts/Deposits		**Total:**	**$299.49**
Less Checks/Debits		**Total:**	**$655.53**
Ending Balance:	**31-Oct-26**		**$8,241.17**

Transaction Details

Receipts:

Library Revenue	10/15/2026	$95.40
Library Revenue	10/31/2026	$135.14
Copier	10/31/2026	$68.95
	Total:	**$299.49**

Disbursements:

1. Manny's Ace Hardware	(Magnetic Clips)	$18.22
2. William Ruof	(Mileage)	$18.34
3. ATPL	(Thermal Laminator Reimbursement)	$109.99
4. ATPL	(Reimbursement for Garbage Bins, Rubbing Alcohol, & Window Sign Holders)	$76.69
5. Brodart CO.	(Book Corners & Classification Labels)	$207.30
6. ATPL	(Reimbursement for Replacement Fireproof Safe)	$224.99
	Total:	**$655.53**

Internal Auditor's Report **Sashi Racho, Internal Auditor**

Voucher #	Amount	Approved	Check #	Disbursement
C 293	$18.22		6052	1
C 295	$18.34		6054	2
C 296	$109.99		6055	3
C 297	$76.69		6056	4
C 298	$207.30		6057	5
C 299	$224.99		6058	6

CONTRACT MEMBER LIBRARIES - Monthly Financial Report

LIBRARY: AURORA TOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONTH: OCT

SAP Acct.	Description	Adopted Budget	Budget Transfers	Year-to-Date Expenditures	Available Budget	Projected Utilization at 12/31	Projected Variance at 12/31	Comments
500000	Salaries - Full-time	0	0	0	0		0	
502000	Fringe Benefits	0	0	0	0		0	
	Utility Charges:							
515000	Water	550	230	567	213	780	0	
515000	Sewer	1,000	(152)	848	0	848	0	
515000	Telephone - Maintenance	500	(500)	0	0	0	0	
510200	Dues and Fees	20	0	20	0	20	0	
545000	Rental Charges	0	0	0	0		0	
506200	Repairs & Maintenance Chgs.	2,800	58	2,842	16	2,858	0	
555050	Insurance Charges	0	0	0	0		0	
510000	Travel & Mileage Expenses	200	(102)	98	0	98	0	
530000	Other Expenses & Charges	2,600	466	2,870	196	3,066	(0)	
530000	Contingency (Bullet Aid)	0	0	0	0		0	
	TOTAL EXPENSES	7,670	(0)	7,245	425	7,670	(0)	

DIRECT LOCAL INCOME	Adopted Budget	Budget Revisions	Y-T-D Revenues	To Be Realized	Projected Revenues	Projected Variance	Comments
Fines, Lost Books, etc.	200	100	690	(390)	828	528	
Copy Machines	500	0	473	27	568	68	
Print Cost Recovery	1,800	0	2,075	(275)	2,490	690	
Other Income	100	(100)	0	0		0	Recorded Under Fines
State Funding	0	0	0	0		0	
Municipal Support	0	0	0	0		0	
Donations (priv. persons/foundations)	0	0	0	0		0	
Fundraising (events/booksales)	0	0	0	0		0	
Interest Income	0	0	0	0		0	
Misc Income	0	0	0	0		0	
Use of Fund Balance	0	0	0	0		0	
TOTAL DIRECT INCOME	2,600	0	3,238	(638)	3,886	1,286	

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As of Pay Period **20**

FT PERSONNEL			
Title	**YTD Expensed**	**Budgeted**	**Remaining**
Library Director I	55,846.57	73,124.00	17,277.43
Librarian I	49,018.28	64,782.00	15,763.72
Senior Library Clerk	36,401.99	47,901.00	11,499.01
FT Totals	**141,266.84**	**185,807.00**	**44,540.16**

PT PERSONNEL			
Title	**YTD Expensed**	**Budgeted**	**Remaining**
Caretaker PT	15,435.06	18,143.00	2,707.94
Cleaner PT	6,999.34	12,712.00	5,712.66
Clerk Typist PT	27,952.36	38,178.00	10,225.64
Librarian I PT	32,714.65	49,467.00	16,752.35
Page PT	12,169.00	16,640.00	4,471.00
Senior Page	38,968.73	53,924.00	14,955.27
PT Totals	**134,239.14**	**189,064.00**	**54,824.86**

TOTAL COMBINED			
	YTD Expensed	**Budgeted**	**Remaining**
Caretaker PT	15,435.06	18,143.00	2,707.94
Cleaner	6,999.34	12,712.00	5,712.66
Clerk Typists	27,952.36	38,178.00	10,225.64
Librarian I'S	81,732.93	114,249.00	32,516.07
Library Director I	55,846.57	73,124.00	17,277.43
Senior Library Clerk	36,401.99	47,901.00	11,499.01
Pages	12,169.00	16,640.00	4,471.00
Senior Pages	38,968.73	53,924.00	14,955.27
Contractual Reserve		0.00	0.00
Savings Goal		0.00	0.00
Combined Totals	**275,505.98**	**374,871.00**	**99,365.02**

ANNUAL BUDGET	$ 374,871.00
PROJECTED ANNUAL BUDGET SPENT	$ 361,267.69
PROJECTED ENDING BALANCE	**$ 13,603.31**

Contract Library "System Paid" Budget Analysis

Aurora Town Public Library

As of 9/30/2026

	"System Paid" Budget*	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	Actual 2026 YTD Expenses	2026 Year End Projection	Projected Year End Surplus/(Shortfall)
Salaries & Wages, Full Time													
Salaries & Wages, Full Time	185,807.00	15,482.06	14,057.14	15,462.80	15,462.84	14,759.96	15,462.88	16,606.30	15,130.07	15,850.58	138,274.63	185,231.00	576.00
Other Payments											0.00	1,400.80	(1,400.80)
Overtime											0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Salaries & Wages, Full Time	185,807.00	15,482.06	14,057.14	15,462.80	15,462.84	14,759.96	15,462.88	16,606.30	15,130.07	15,850.58	138,274.63	186,631.80	(824.80)
Wages, Regular Part-Time	0.00										0.00	0.00	0.00
Wages, Part Time	189,064.00	12,429.43	13,086.30	15,743.72	14,013.69	16,491.69	14,998.48	14,188.08	15,816.64	13,827.88	130,595.91	174,734.27	14,329.73
Employer FICA Total	28,678.00	2,109.09	2,037.90	2,344.98	2,212.49	2,350.16	2,287.90	2,330.89	2,326.91	2,228.00	20,228.32	27,182.94	1,495.06
Employee Health Insurance	44,760.00	4,416.42	1,054.68	3,698.35	4,409.16	4,072.46	3,170.95	4,013.89	3,453.49	4,441.06	32,730.46	45,317.26	(557.26)
Dental Plan	2,062.00	72.70	56.01	68.49	21.46	66.30	67.07	71.34	70.37	72.14	565.88	779.62	1,282.38
Health Insurance Waiver	6,000.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	4,500.00	6,000.00	0.00
NYS Retirement	35,838.00	5,449.10	3,878.44	4,127.26	4,044.93	4,106.57	4,088.57	6,051.10	4,210.77	4,106.32	40,063.06	54,085.13	(18,247.13)
Disability	0.00										0.00		0.00
Natural Gas (NFG)	5,461.00	1,059.72	1,120.14	729.96	430.29	148.97	81.67	15.76	36.55	13.60	3,636.66	4,675.74	785.26
Electricity	9,735.00	672.12	1,170.55	560.85	456.46	761.66	946.32	0.00	1,391.37	1,521.83	7,481.16	10,131.02	(396.02)
Bottom Line Total	**507,405.00**	**42,190.64**	**36,961.16**	**43,236.41**	**41,551.32**	**43,257.77**	**41,603.84**	**43,777.36**	**42,936.17**	**42,561.41**	**378,076.08**	**509,537.78**	**(2,132.78)**

Retirement Overage Hold harmless	18,247.13
Adjusted Bottom Line Total	**16,114.35**

Notes:
System Paid Budget per Res. 2025-44

Disaster Policy DRAFT

This policy applies to the Aurora Town Public Library, a contracting member library of the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library.

Introduction

The Aurora Town Public Library (ATPL or Library) serves as a center of information, education, culture, and entertainment for the residents of Erie County. The Library is committed to providing a safe, welcoming, and accessible environment for the community, its staff, and visitors. To support this commitment, the ATPL maintains a disaster plan which meets the minimum standards under New York State regulation §90.2.

Statement of Policy

The ATPL recognizes that emergencies and disasters may occur as a result of natural events, fire, facility damage, or other incidents, including those caused by external forces. The Library maintains a disaster plan to provide guidance for responding to such events and to support the safety of individuals, the protection of Library property and resources, and the continuity of Library operations to the extent possible.

In the event of an incident requiring a coordinated response, the ATPL Director or in her absence, a designee will use the disaster plan to guide appropriate actions and coordinate the response in accordance with the circumstances.

The ATPL will maintain its Disaster Plan and review it periodically to support organizational preparedness and the Library's ongoing commitment to serving the community.

Adopted by the Aurora Town Public Library Board November 16, 2026.

Aurora Town Public Library
550 Main Street, East Aurora, New York 14052
Director's Report: October 2026

Monthly Statistics

Circulation	Total-Month	Average / Day	Average / Hour	YTD Total
2026	14,339*	531.1	64.6	148,639**
2025	14,445	535	64.2	149,721
2024	14,548	538.8	63.8	146,173

Note: Circulation for the contracting libraries was -3.9% this month from last year (EAU was -0.7%) and -3.8%, YTD (EAU was -3.5%). *Original checkouts at EAU are 7,498 for this month. **Original checkouts YTD at EAU are 79,990.

Library of Things (Including AED, Chromebook Kit, Hotspots, CPR Kits, & Sports Equipment)	2026	2025
Monthly	70	57
Year-to-date	992	516

System e-Branch	Month 2026	Month 2025	Change	YTD 2026	YTD 2025	Change
Online Renewals	450	595	-24.4%	4,823	5,390	-10.5%
Interlibrary Loans	1,644	1,604	2.5%	15,950	14,636	9.0%
eAudiobooks	74,075	73,675	0.5%	738,663	727,005	1.6%
eVideos	0	1,899	-100.0%	0	17,370	-100.0%
eBooks	78,195	82,674	-7.3%	834,989	867,784	-4.0%
eMusic	0	390	-100.0%	0	2,727	-100.0%
eMagazines	39,806	36,379	9.4%	362,250	313,164	15.7%

Open for Operation	2026	2025	2024	2023
Days / Hours	27/222	27/225	27/228	26/210

Computer Use	2026	2025	% Change
Monthly	390	364	7.1%
Year-to-date	3,596	3,765	-4.5%

Note: Computer use for the contracting libraries was 5.7% this month and -1.1 % YTD.

Wi-Fi	2026	2025	% Change
Monthly	2,653	2,355	12.7%
Year-to-date	24,652	22,697	8.6%

Note: Wifi use for the contracting libraries was 7.9% this month and 9.2% YTD.

Patron Visits	2026	2025	% Change
Monthly	6,362	6,169	3.1%
Year-to-date	60,692	59,810	1.5%

Note: Door counts for the contracting libraries were 1.3% this month and 2.2% YTD.

New Library Card Memberships	Month 2026	Month 2025	YTD 2026	YTD 2025
Adults	24	21	212	240
Children	5	8	119	112

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Director's Report: October 2026

Programs Name / Number of Sessions / Sponsor	Age group	Attendance
Hispanic Heritage Month Event: A Brief History of the Spanish Language	Adults, 19+	4
Pumpkin Craft Patch (Friends)	Teens & Adults	21
LEGO Club	6-11 yrs. old	30
Book a Technology Trainer (TechKnow Lab)(4)	Adults, 19+	6
Creepy Crawly Dessert Cup (Friends) (2)	6-11 yrs. old	61
DnD: Storytellers (Friends)	10-18 yrs. old	8
Library Leaders Fall Project (Friends) (2)	Teens	16
DnD Survivalists (Friends)	10-18 yrs. old	10
Trick-or-Read Storywalk© (Friends) (196)	2-11 yrs. old	196
Preparing Teens for Success: Writing an Authentic College Essay (Rural Library Grant)	Teens	7
What Happened to Buffalo's Bats?	Teens & Adults	13
Family Story Time (Wednesday) (Friends) (3)	0-5 w/ Adult	92
Baby Boo Family Story Time (Friends)	0-5 w/ Adult	21
Family Story Time (Friday) (Friends) (5)	0-5 w/ Adult	146
Community Art Project: Community Quilt (48)	All Ages	48
Friendly Ghosts Scavenger Hunt (234)	6-11 yrs. old	234
Tutor (23)	6-11 yrs. old	23
Tutor (13)	Teen	13

At a Glance: Month of 2026	Circulation (Original Checkout- Not Including Auto-Renewals)	Patron Count	Computer Use	Wi-Fi
January	14,068 (7,960)	4,902	247	1,923
February	13,772 (7,805)	5,164	323	1,803
March	15,666 (8,588)	5,904	352	2,359
April	14,742 (7,941)	5,389	369	2,273
May	13,299 (7,014)	5,852	322	2,572
June	14,564 (7,953)	6,498	362	2,908
July	16,025 (8,829)	8,293	409	3,060
August	17,020 (8,760)	6,529	386	2,650
September	15,144 (7,642)	5,799	436	2,451
October	14,339 (7,498)	6,362	390	2,653
November				
December				
Total				

Out of all B&ECPL locations, ATPL ranks YTD
11 out of 37 in circulation of materials (11 for month); 12 out of 37 in patron visits (12 for month);
8 out of 37 in WI-FI (10 for month); 22 out of 37 in computer use (23 for month)

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Cumulative Statistics

Programs, Outreach, Meeting Rm Use, Training, Book Displays, Exhibits, Fundraisers & Improvements

Programs (Not Including Tutoring & Outreach)	Names, Age Group, Date & Time
January 2026	Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, Monday, January 26 @ 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 12:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long ****CANCELLED**** Bring Your Own Book – Adults, 19+ - Tuesdays: January 6, February 3, & March 3 @ 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, January 8 @ 6:30 p.m. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, January 10 & February 7 @ 11:00 a.m. DND Night – Teens, 12-18 – Tuesday, January 13 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. YA Book Club – Teens, 13-18 – Second Thursday of the Month, 1/8, 2/12, 3/12, 4/9 - @ 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. Snow Much Fun - Children, Birth - 5 years with a Caregiver - Saturday, January 17 @ 11:00 a.m. Stress Less Week: Cozy Board Game Night - Teens, 13-18 - Tuesday, January 20 @ 6-7:30 p.m. ****CANCELLED**** Stress Less Week: Mindfulness & Movement - Teens, 13-18 - Wednesday, January 21 @ 4:30-5:30 p.m. ****CANCELLED**** Stress Less Week: Make a Bath Bomb - Teens, 13-18 - Thursday, January 22 @ 6-7:00 p.m. Stress Less Week: Chill with a Dog - Teens, 13-18 - Friday, January 23 @ 3-4:00 p.m. Book Babies - Children, Birth- 2 years with a Caregiver (siblings welcome) - Fridays @ 10:15 a.m., January 23 - March 20. Preschool Story Time - Children, 3 1/2 - 5 years - Thursdays @ 1:30 p.m., January 22 - March 19. Family Story Time - Children, Birth - 5 years with a Caregiver- Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., January 21 - March 18 OR Fridays @ 11:00 a.m. (NEW TIME), January 23 - March 20. Sign Up for a Free Tree - Caregivers, children of all ages. Register through March 15, 2026 online with *Neighborhood Forest*: bit.ly/4sDgn75
February 2026	Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Bring Your Own Book – Adults, 19+ - Tuesdays: January 6, February 3, & March 3 @ 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Studio Nights – Children, 8-10 - Tuesday, February 3 @ 6:00

	p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Studio Nights – Tweens, 8-10 - Thursday, February 5 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, January 10 & February 7 @ 11:00 a.m. Library Leaders Program Planning Night – Teens, 11-13 – Thursday, February 10 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. ****CANCELLED**** YA Book Club – Teens, 13-18 – Second Thursday of the Month, 1/8, 2/12, 3/12, 4/9 - @ 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. The Lucky Lantern Mystery - Children, 6- 12 years (under 8 w/ a helper) - Tuesday, February 17 - Saturday, February 21, during all regular open hours. "V" Is for Valentine - Children, Birth - 5 years with a Caregiver- Saturday, February, 14 @ 10:30 a.m. Book Babies - Children, Birth- 2 years with a Caregiver (siblings welcome) - Fridays @ 10:15 a.m., January 23 - March 20 Preschool Story Time - Children, 3 1/2 - 5 years - Thursdays @ 1:30 p.m., January 22 - March 19 Family Story Time - Children, Birth - 5 years with a Caregiver- Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., January 21 - March 18 OR Fridays @ 11:00 a.m. (NEW TIME), January 23 - March 20 Sign Up for a Free Tree - Caregivers, children of all ages - Register through March 15, 2026 online with *Neighborhood Forest*: bit.ly/4sDgn75
March 2026	Hand-Painted Watering Cans Fundraiser – Monday, March 9 through Friday, May 8 – Winners Will Be Drawn Randomly on Friday, May 8 at NOON LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, March 7 & April 18 @ 11:00 a.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Bring Your Own Book – Adults, 19+ - Tuesdays: January 6, February 3, & March 3 @ 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, March 5 @ 6:30 p.m. Workout Wednesdays: BAM – Adults, 50+ - Wednesdays, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18 & 3/25 @ 1:00 p.m. ATPL & DOL Job Fair - Job Seekers – Tuesday, March 10 @ 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Library Leaders – Teens, 13-18 - Tuesday, March 10 @ 6:00 p.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, Monday, March 16 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long

	YA Book Club – Teens, 13-18 – Second Thursday of the Month, 1/8, 2/12, 3/12, 4/16 - @ 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. Book Babies - Children, Birth- 2 years with a Caregiver (siblings welcome) - Fridays @ 10:15 a.m., January 23 - March 20 Preschool Story Time - Children, 3 1/2 - 5 years - Thursdays @ 1:30 p.m., January 22 - March 19 Family Story Time - Children, Birth - 5 years with a Caregiver- Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., January 21 - March 18 OR Fridays @ 11:00 a.m. (NEW TIME), January 23 - March 20 Brumsted Elementary Literacy Night Outreach - Thursday, March 5 @ 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Parkdale Literacy Night Outreach - Thursday, March 12 @ 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Holland Health & Wellness Fair Outreach - Friday, March 13 @ 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. ****Cancelled due to weather**** DND Night – Tweens, 10-13 – Tuesday, March 24 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Sign Up for a Free Tree - Caregivers, children of all ages - Register through March 15, 2026 online with *Neighborhood Forest*: bit.ly/4sDgn75 Butter Lamb Workshop - Tuesday, March 31 - Children, 6+ with one adult @ 4:30 p.m. OR Adults, 16+ @ 6:00 p.m.
April 2026	Hand-Painted Watering Cans Fundraiser – Monday, March 9 through Friday, May 8 – Winners Will Be Drawn Randomly on Friday, May 8 at NOON Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Hospice & Palliative Care Buffalo: Advance Care Planning - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, April 9 @ 6:00 p.m. Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a caregiver - Wednesday @ 10:30 a.m., April 29 - June 10 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., May 1 -June 12. Library Leaders – Teens, 13-18 - Monday, April 13 @ 6:00 p.m. YA Book Club – Teens, 13-18 – Thursday, 4/16 - @ 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, March 7 & April 18 @ 11:00 a.m. Equipping for Disaster: Sheltering at Home - Adults, 19+ - Monday, April 20 @ 6:30 p.m. Love Your Library Tote-ally Custom Book Bags - Children, 8-12 - Tuesday, April 21 @ 4:00 p.m. Read to a Dog - Children, 6-11 - Saturday, April 25 @ 10:30,

	10:50, 11:10, or 11:30 a.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, Monday, April 13 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long Book Bedazzle Night - Tweens & Teens, 11-18 - Thursday, April 30 @ 6:00 p.m. Sign Up for a Free Tree - Caregivers, children of all ages - Registration Closed - Pick Up TBD in APRIL
May 2026	Annual Discard Sale – All Ages – Friday, May 1 through Friday, May 22 – During Regular Library Business Hours, Sale Ends at 4:00 p.m. on May 22 Hand-Painted Watering Cans Fundraiser – Monday, March 9 through Friday, May 8 – Winners Will Be Drawn Randomly on Friday, May 8 at NOON Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Family Story Time - Children, Birth - 5 w/ a caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., April 29 - June 10 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., May 1 -June 12 Library Leaders – Teens, 13-18 - Monday, May 5 @ 6:00 p.m. Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, May 7 @ 6:30 p.m. Doggone Fun at the Library - Children, 6 - 11 - Saturday, May 9 @ 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. My Pet and Me Story Time - Children, Birth - 5 w/ a caregiver - Thursday, May 14 @ 6:15 p.m. Garden Book Bricks – Teens & Adults, 13+ - Tuesday, May 26 @ 6:00 p.m.
June 2026	Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Pop-Up Sale - Saturday, June 27 @ 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., April 29 - June 10 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., May 1 -June 12 Unwind & Design: Painted Wood American Flag - Adults, 19+ - Tuesday, June 2 @ 6:30 p.m. Library Leaders – Teens, 13-18 - Monday, June 4 @ 6:00 p.m. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, June 6 @ 11:00 a.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, Monday,

	June 8 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long Cooking Club: Peachy Keen Trifles – Teens & Adults, 15+ - Tuesday, June 9 Free Family-Friendly Music Program Featuring the East Aurora Chamber Music Festival – All Ages – Thursday, June 12 @ 6:30 p.m. Happy Birthday, USA! Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a caregiver - Saturday, June 13 @ 10:30 a.m. We the People: A Quilt of Belonging Quilting Workshop - Children, 5-10 - Tuesday, June 16 @ 4:00 p.m. DnD Session Zero - Tweens & Teens, 10-18 - Monday, June 29 @ 6:00 p.m. DnD: Storytellers – Tweens & Teens – Wednesdays, July 22, August 19, & September 16 @ 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dnd Survivalists - Tweens & Teens – Mondays, July 27, August 24, & September 21 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. The Great American Trivia Challenge – Children, Teens, & Adults, Best for Ages 8+ - Tuesday, June 30 @ 6:00 p.m.
July 2026	Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Pop-Up Sale - Saturday, July 25 @ 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Read It & Keep It - Children, All Ages - Register and get your Reading Log: June 1-July 6. Read and turn in your completed Log to get a free book: July 6-August 15. Pick up a log at the library or print one at home. Unearth a Story: Bookish Bingo – Adults, 19+ Start reading now and redeem entries Monday, July 6 through Saturday August 15 – During Regular Library Business Hours Bird Bingo - Pick up Bingo Board Wednesday, July 1 thought Monday, August 24 - Entries will be accepted Until Monday, August 31 During Regular Library Hours Workout Wednesdays: BAM – Adults, 50+ - Wednesdays, 7/1, 7/8, 7/15 & 7/22 @ 1:00 p.m. Crafternoon: Fireflies Light Up Art - Children, 6-11 - Monday, July 6 @ 1:30 PM Tween Tuesdays - Tweens, 10-13 – Tuesdays, July 7, 21, 28, August 4, & 11 @ 3:30 p.m. Penn-Dixie Dinos - Children, 4-7 - Thursday, July 9 @ 10:30 a.m. Penn-Dixie: Paleo Art - Children, 7-11 - Thursday, July 9 @ 11:30 a.m.

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	Teen Club – Teens, 13-18 – Thursdays, July 9- August 13 @ 6:00 p.m. Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, July 9 @ 6:30 p.m. My Person & Me - Children, 6 mos. - 5 w/ a caregiver - Friday, July 10 @ 10:30 a.m. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, July 11 @ 11:00 a.m. Unearth a Story: Books & Craft - Children, 6-11 - Monday, July 13 @ 1:30 p.m. Renaissance Faire – All Ages, Family Friendly Event – Tuesday, July 14 – 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Extreme Bingo: Red, White, & Boom! - Children, 6-11 - Friday, July 17 @ 1:30. Dino Sensory Play - Children, 3-7 w/ a caregiver - Monday, July 20 @ 10:30 a.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, Monday, July 20 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long DnD: Storytellers – Tweens & Teens – Wednesdays, July 22, August 19, & September 16 @ 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. UpBeet Cooking - Children, 6-11 - Thursday, July 23 @ 11:00 a.m. Buffalo Dance - Children, 3-6 - Friday, July 24 @ 10:30 a.m. Summerween Carnival - Children, 6-11 - Monday, July 27 @ 1:30 p.m. Dnd Survivalists - Tweens & Teens – Mondays, July 27, August 24, & September 21 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Not So Spooky Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a caregiver - Tuesday, July 28 @ 6:15 p.m. Fascinature: Creepy Critters - Children, 6-11 - Wednesday, July 29 @ 2:00 p.m. Prehistoric World Reptile Zoo - Children, 6-11 - Friday July 31 @ 11:00 a.m. Boo Bash – Tweens & Teens – Friday, July 31 @ 3:00 p.m.
August 2026	Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Pop-Up Sale - Saturday, August 22 @ 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Unearth a Story: Bookish Bingo – Adults, 19+ - Start reading now and redeem entries Monday, July 6 through Saturday August 15 – During Regular Library Business Hours Bird Bingo - Pick up Bingo Board Wednesday, July 1 thought Monday, August 24 - Entries will be accepted Until Monday, August 31 During Regular Library Hours

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	Read It & Keep It - Children, All Ages - Register and get your Reading Log: June 1-July 6. Read and turn in your completed Log to get a free book: July 6-August 15. Pick up a log at the library or print one at home. LEGO Club – Children, 6-11 – Saturday, August 1 @ 11:00 a.m. Impromtu Jamboree with Ms. Alison - Children, 6 mos.-5 - Monday, August 3 @ 10:30 a.m. My Person & Me - Children, 6 mos.-5 - Monday, August 10 @ 10:30 a.m. Crafternoon: Decoupage Paper Lantern - Children, 5-8 - Monday, August 3 @ 1:30 p.m. Happy Talk Song & Sign - Children, 5 mos.-30 mos. - Tuesday, August 4 @ 10:30 a.m. Tween Tuesdays - Tweens, 10-13 – Tuesdays, July 7, 21, 28, August 4, & 11 @ 3:30 p.m. Teen Club – Teens, 13-18 – Thursdays, July 9- August 13 @ 6:00 p.m. DnD: Storytellers – Tweens & Teens – Wednesdays, August 19, & September 16 @ 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dnd Survivalists - Tweens & Teens – Mondays, August 24, & September 21 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
September 2026	Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Library Community Cookbook – Share your recipes now through Tuesday, January 19 @ bit.ly/4vhLYMp Check It Out Raffle – Children & Adults of All Ages – Tuesday, September 1-Saturday, September 26 During Regular Business Hours – Raffle Will be Drawn on Monday, September 28 @ 10:00 a.m. ATPL & DOL Job Fair - Job Seekers – Wednesday, September 2 @ 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, September 3 @ 6:30 p.m. Workout Wednesdays: BAM – Adults, 50+ - Wednesdays, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23 & 9/30@ 1:00 p.m. Library Leaders: Open House – Teens, 13-18 - Thursday, September 10 @ 6 p.m. Library Leaders: Annual Selection Meeting - Teens, 13-18 – Saturday, September 19 @ 1 p.m. LEGO Club - Children, Ages 6-11 – Saturdays, September 12, October 10, November 14, & December 12 @ 11:00 a.m.

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	Cooking Club—Chips & Dips: Salsa Edition – Teens & Adults, 15+ - Tuesday, September 15 @ 6:00 p.m. DnD: Storytellers – Tweens & Teens – Wednesdays, September 16 @ 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dnd Survivalists - Tweens & Teens – Monday, September 21 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Bookish Besties - Children, Ages 6-11 - Tuesday, September 22 @ 4:00 p.m. Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., September 23 - November 18 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., September 25 - November 20 Here Comes the Firetruck Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver - Tuesday, September 29 @ 6:15 p.m.
October 2026	Banned Book Week: Leave Book Be! – Adults & Children of All Ages – Monday, October 5 through Saturday, October 10 – During Regular Open Hours Baubles & Bling Donation Drop-Off – Wednesday, April 8 through Wednesday, October 7 – During Regular Library Business Hours Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Library Community Cookbook – Share your recipes now through Tuesday, January 19 @ bit.ly/4vhLYMp Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., September 23 - November 18 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., September 25 - November 20 Hispanic Heritage Month Event: A Brief History of the Spanish Language - Monday, October 5 @ 6:30 p.m. - Adults, 19+ Pumpkin Craft Patch – Teens & Adults, 13+ – Tuesday, October 6 @ 6:00 p.m. Library Leaders – Teens, 13-18 - Thursday, October 8 @ 6 p.m. LEGO Club - Children, Ages 6-11 – Saturdays, September 12, October 10, November 14, & December 12 @ 11:00 a.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Monday, October 12 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long Creepy Crawly Dessert Cup – Children, Ages 6-11 – Tuesday, October 13 @ 4:00 p.m. OR 6:00 p.m. Library Leaders - Teens, 13-18 – Saturday, October 17 @ 1 p.m. DnD: Storytellers – Tweens & Teens – Wednesdays, October 14 @ 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dnd Survivalists - Tweens & Teens – Monday, October 19 @ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Trick-or-Read Storywalk© – Monday, October 19 through Saturday, October 24 @ 2:00 p.m. - During Regular Business

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	Hours Writing an Authentic College Essay - Saturday, October 24 @ 11:00 a.m. - Teens, 13+ What Happened to Buffalo's Bats? - Teens & Adults, 13+ - Tuesday, October 27 @ 6:30 p.m. Baby Boo Family Story Time - Children, Ages Birth-5 years w/ a caregiver - Thursday, October 29 @ 6:15 p.m.
November 2026	Baubles & Bling Fundraiser for the Friends of the Library – Friday, November 27, from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.; Saturday, November 28, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with the Librarian Library Community Cookbook – Share your recipes now through Tuesday, January 19 @ bit.ly/4vhLYMp Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., September 23 - November 18 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., September 25 - November 20 Family Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver - Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m., September 23 - November 18 OR Fridays @ 10:30 a.m., September 25 - November 20 LEGO Club - Children, Ages 6-11 – Saturdays, November 14, & December 12 @ 11:00 a.m. Amazing Airplanes – Children, 6-11 - Wednesday, November 4 @ 4:00 p.m. Aurora Book Club - Adults, 19+ - Thursday, November 5 @ 6:30 p.m. Preparing Teens for Success: College Showcase - Teens, 13+ - Saturday, November 7 @ 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. JR Seeger, Local Author: A Murder Before Neptune - Adults, 19+ - Monday, November 9 @ 6:30 p.m. Prickly Pages – Teens & Adults, 13+ - Tuesday, November 10 @ 6 p.m. Library Leaders Fall Project – Teens, 13-18 - Thursday, November 12 @ 6 p.m. 1, 2, 3, Read With Me - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver, Tuesday, November 17 @ 6:15 p.m. Take Home Craft Kit: Paper Doily Snowflakes - Children & Adults, All Ages (Under 6 will need a helper) - Participants will be called to pick up their take home kits from the Aurora Town Public Library on Friday, November 20 Library Leaders Fall Project - Teens, 13-18 – Saturday, November 21 @ 1 p.m.
December 2026	Easy Access Tech Help – Adults, 18+ - During Regular Library Business Hours - Call the Library to Setup an Appointment with

	the Librarian Library Community Cookbook – Share your recipes now through Tuesday, January 19 @ bit.ly/4vhLYMp Cooking Club: No Bake Cheesecakes - Teens & Adults, 15+ - Tuesday, December 1 @ 6:00 p.m. Preparing Teens for Success: Handling Stress with Mindfulness - Teens, 13-18 - Thursday, December 3 @ 4:30 p.m. Book a Technology Trainer - Adults, 19+ - Friday, December 4 @ 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., & 3:00 p.m. – One-on-One Appointments are 45 minutes long Graham Cracker House Workshop - Children, 3-Teen (under 8 with a helper) - Saturday, December 5 @ 11:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. Allergy-Friendly Graham Cracker House Workshop - Children, 3-Teen (under 8 with a helper)- Monday, December 7 @ 6:30 p.m. Tween & Teen Graham Cracker House Workshop - Children 10+ - Tuesday, December 8 @ 6:30 p.m. Bedazzle a Claw Clip - Tweens, 10-13 - Wednesday, December 9 @ 4:00 p.m. Library Leaders Fall Project - Teens, 13-18 – Thursday, December 10 @ 6 p.m. LEGO Club - Children, Ages 6-11 – Saturday, December 12 @ 11:00 a.m. Cozy Pajama Story Time - Children, Birth-5 w/ a Caregiver, Thursday, December 17 @ 6:15 p.m. Library Leaders Fall Project - Teens, 13-18 – Saturday, December 19 @ 1 p.m.

Class Visits & Outreach	Class Visit (In-Library)	Other Outreach (Outside)	Monthly Total
January 2026		*Other: Outreach letters sent to EA Preschool Center, EA UPK, EA Community Nursery, Baker Preschool, Duck Duck Goose, First Presbyterian Preschool, EA Montessori, Immaculate Conception School, Nativity, Waldorf, and Holland UPK, Harold O. Brumsted Elementary, EA Middle School* Absolut Care	1
February 2026		East Aurora Co-Operative Market Storytime	1
March 2026	First Presbyterian Preschool	Parkdale Literacy Night Harold O Brumsted Literacy Night	3

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		Holland Health & Wellness Fair ****CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER****	
April 2026		Baker Preschool	1
May 2026	East Aurora Preschool (2)	EA Farmer's Market	3
June 2026		EA High School's GSA Club: East Aurora Pride @ Municipal Center	1
July 2026	East Aurora Community Nursery Iroquois Central School District		2
August 2026	East Aurora Community Nursery (4)		4
September 2026		East Aurora Rotary Club Meet the Teacher Night @ Holland High School	2
October 2026		*Other: Outreach letters sent to EA Preschool Center, EA UPK, EA Community Nursery, Baker Preschool, Duck Duck Goose, First Presbyterian Preschool, EA Montessori, Immaculate Conception School, Nativity, Waldorf, and Holland UPK, Harold O. Brumsted Elementary, EA Middle School* Absolut Care	1
November 2026			
December 2026			
Total			

Facility Use	Meeting Room Use Organizations	Monthly Total	Tabling Organizations	Monthly Total
January 2026	East Aurora Lions Club (2); Dreaming in Ink; Patron (2); Holland Tuesday Painters	6	Providence Farm Collective	1
February 2026	Dreaming in Ink; Sarah Belle Smith (3); Patron (2)	6		
March 2026	EA Art Society; Dreaming in Ink; Patron (2)	4		
April 2026	Friends of the Library; Dreaming in Ink; Patron (2)	4		
May 2026	EA Art Society; Dreaming in Ink	2		
June 2026	Holland Tuesday Painters (2); Dreaming in Ink; Immaculate Conception; Patron (8)	12		
July 2026	Impact Artist Group (2);	7		

	Proctoring; Dreaming in Ink; Patron (3)			
August 2026	Dreaming in Ink; Roycrofters-at-Large Association (2); Patron (8)	11		
September 2026	EA Art Society; Dreaming in Ink; Lyndsey McGuire's *Writing As a Practice* Class (2); Evolution Retirement Systems; Aurora Women's Club (Fireplace); Patron (9)	15		
October 2026	Friends of the Library; Dreaming in Ink; Girl Scouts of WNY; EA Stronger Together; Patron (6)	10		
November 2026	EA Art Society; Holland Tuesday Painters; Dreaming in Ink			
December 2026	Holland Tuesday Painters; Dreaming in Ink			
Total				

Exhibits	Display Case	Meeting Room Exhibit
January 2026	Judy Kegler's Miniatures	East Aurora Lions Club Peace Posters
February 2026	Girl Scouts	Sarah Belle Smith – *Memories of Summer*
March 2026	Garden Club EA Art Society	EA Art Society
April 2026	EA Art Society	EA Art Society
May 2026	EA Art Society	EA Art Society
June 2026	Holland Tuesday Painters	Holland Tuesday Painters
July 2026	Impact Artist Group Roycrofters-at-Large Association	Impact Artist Group Roycrofters-at-Large Association
August 2026	Roycrofters-at-Large Association	Roycrofters-at-Large Association
September 2026	EA Art Society	EA Art Society
October 2026	EA Art Society	EA Art Society
November 2026	EA Art Society Holland Tuesday Painters	EA Art Society Holland Tuesday Painters
December 2026	Holland Tuesday Painters	Holland Tuesday Painters

Education, Tech Training, Mtgs	Public—Name of Class & Date	Staff—Name of Class(es), Sponsor, Date (s), Employee(s)
January 2026	Book a Technology Trainer—1/26/26 Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	Heather Cruz of Library Foundation Mtg – 1/9/2026 – Paula Ausberger & Alison Lawrence; Directors Mtg – 1/14/2026 – B&ECPL (Recording)
February 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults	Graphics Dept Mtg: Refreshing Signage– 2/4/2026 – Paula Ausberger & Alison

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March 2026	Book a Technology Trainer—3/16/26 Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	WNY Rural Library Grant Application Introductory Program – Paula Ausberger & Haley Proios – WNYLRC – 3/4/2026 ACT Workshop – Paula Ausberger – B&ECPL – 3/21/2026; Directors Mtg – 3/30/2026 – B&ECPL (Recording)
April 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment) Book a Technology Trainer—4/13/26 Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	Friends of the Library Mtg – 4/8/2026 – Paula Ausberger System Director Finalist Candidate Interviews – 4/28/2026 – Paula Ausberger
May 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	WYFY Grant Award Discussion, B&ECPL - 5/29/2025 – Paula Ausberger, Alison Lawrence, Alissa Steele
June 2026	Book a Technology Trainer—6/8/26 Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	Ren Faire Castle Building Mtg with Ben Petryszak and Randy West – 6/5/2026 – Alison Lawrence & Paula Ausberger Ren Faire Castle Building Mtg with Ben Petryszak and Randy West – 6/8/2026 – Alison Lawrence WNY Rural Library Grant Program: So Now That You Have the Funding… How to Gather Your Stories Powered by Ralph C. Wilson Jr., WYLRC – 6/9/2026 – Paula Ausberger, Alison Lawrence, Haley Proios, Alissa Steele
July 2026	Book a Technology Trainer—7/20/26 Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	Progress Meeting with Tammy Nunciato, WNYLRC – 7/22/2026 – Paula Ausberger
August 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	Makayla Carozollo, WIVB - TV Interview for WNY Rural Library Grant – 8/3/2026 – Paula Ausberger Potential Teen Space Designers Mtgs – Paula Ausberger & Alison Lawrence: Millington Lockwood, INC. - August 13 Midcity Office Furniture - August 14 Buffalo Office, INC. – August 19
September 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	
October 2026	Book a Technology Trainer—10/12/26	Friends of the Library Mtg – 10/7/2026 – Paula Ausberger

	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	
November 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	
December 2026	Easy Access Tech Consults (By Appointment)	

Displays	Theme(s)
January 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Let's Investigate Some Mysteries (J-Fiction); Music History (j-Nonfiction); Snow Books (Picture Books); Let us Help you and Your New Year Fitness Goals; Cozy up with a Mystery...All that's Missing is You; Make something to keep you warm; International Holocaust Remembrance Day; Providence Farm Collective; Fantasy (Y Fiction)
February 2026	PBS Kids Writers Contest (J Fiction & J Non-Fiction); Celebrate Black History Month; Heart Health Awareness; Read a Romance Novel; Identity and Belonging (Y Fiction); Black History Month (J Fiction & J Non-Fiction)
March 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Who Is/Was She? (J Non-Fiction); Spring Gardening; Happy Pi Day; Women's History Month; Music (J Non-Fiction); Cats (Picture Books); Science Fiction (Y-Fiction)
April 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; April Showers Bring Spring Flowers (j); Poetry Month (j Non-Fiction); Science Fiction (Y-Fiction); Earth Day; April is Poetry Month; Neurodiversity Awareness Month; May the 4th Be with You (j Readers); Scholastic Watch & Learn (DVDs)
May 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Lupus Foundation of America Display; Star Wars - May the Bricks Be With You (j Readers); Celebrate Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month (j Fiction); Bike Month; Bike Month (j Picture Books & Non-Fiction); Mental Health Awareness Month (Y Non-Fiction); Jewish American Heritage Month; Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month; Hello May Flowers
June 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; 250th Independence Day United States of America; Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month; LGBTQIA+ Pride Month; Summer Story Stacks (j Picture Books & Readers); Read with Pride! (Y-Fiction); Dinosaurs (j Readers); Local WWII Stories (EAMS LEAP Project); National Dairy Month; LEGO Club Dinosaurs (j Readers)
July 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Disability Pride Month (Y Fiction); Stars, Stripes & Stories (j Fiction & Non-Fiction; 250th United States of America; Start Your Adventure / Explore The Space Around You; Turn Off The Oven; Local WWII Stories (EAMS LEAP Project)
August 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Cryptid Campout (J Fiction & Non-Fiction); Aurora Town Public Library Presents a Make Your Own Family Movie Night; Back To School; No Holiday...No Problem; Make Your Own Holiday; Aquarium Adventures! (J Readers & Non-Fiction); Tick Time Display in Partnership with the East Aurora Advertiser (J Picture Books)
September 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; ¡Vamos a Leer! — Let's Read! (j Fiction & Non-Fiction); Aquarium Adventures! (J Readers & Non-Fiction); Twisted Tales (YA Fiction); Hispanic Heritage Month; Welcome Autumn; Are You Ready for Some Football?
October 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; CAUTION! BANNED BOOKS AHEAD! (j Fiction); Banned Book Week (YA); Let Books Be; Make It A Spooky Halloween; Breast Cancer Awareness Month; League of Women Voters; Halloween (j Picture Books)
November 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions; Be in the Know this Know-vember (j Non-Fiction); Native

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	American Heritage Month; A Thanksgiving Celebration; Veterans Day; Native American Heritage Month (j Picture Books & j Non-Fiction)
December 2026	Patron Picks & Staff Suggestions;

Other Fundraisers	Money Raised
Annual Discard Sale	$1,311.72 (After Taxes)
Hand-Painted Watering Cans Fundraiser (Friends)	$194.00
Baubles & Bling	
Renaissance Faire Earring Fundraiser	$44.00
Total Other Fundraiser Money	

Friends Ongoing Book Sale	Month	YTD
Dollar Amount (Pre-Tax)	$387.00	$3,519.00

Friends Pop-Up Sales	Month	YTD
Dollar Amount (Pre-Tax)	$312.00	$1,003.50

Friends T-Shirt Sales	Month	YTD
Dollar Amount (Pre-Tax)	$0.00	$260.00

Improvements / Repairs to the Library	Project	Funded / Work Done By
January 2026	New Children's Bench Cushions	ATPL (Donated by Ken Klocek)
February 2026	Caulk around base of public toilets Waste Management garbage truck knocked down wires attached to back of building – Claim open to repair/remove. Did not affect library service.	Town
March 2026	Cracked gutter repaired Loose wires cut down Fixed overflowing toilet Cleared main sewer line Fence repaired	Town
April 2026	Capture the Flag Redux Table Tennis Hitster: The All American Edition Masterpiece: The Classic Art Auction Game Vestibule lock repaired	Donated by Ken Klocek Donated by Martha Buyer Town

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	Parking bumpers straightened	
May 2026	Bike Rack Installed Shed Siding Fixed	Town
June 2026	Fixed asphalt around main sewer line	Town
July 2026	Painted front & back steps Painted Railings Removed bookshelves & refinished wall	Town
August 2026	Moved book cases Fixed outside light New American Flag	Town
September 2026	Painted Doors & Back Porch Repaired Front Ramp Pulled Weeds Behind Shed	Town
October 2026	Repaired furnace New Spaceworx Decibel ADA Study Pod	Town ATPL (Funding provided by the Rural Library Grant, powered by the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation and coordinated by the Western New York Library Resources Council and Rochester Regional Library Council.)
November 2026		
December 2026		

Surveys	Results	Respondents
2026 Youth Library Programs Interest Survey For Youth & Young Adults, ages 10-25, and Parents/Caregivers in This Age Group (June 1 Through July 1)	See printed survey.	72

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SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS OF THE LIBRARY BOARD
2027

All dates are Mondays, unless otherwise noted:

January 25

February 22

March 22

April 26 (Annual Meeting @ 6:00 p.m. & Regular Meeting to Follow)

June 22

September 27

October 25

November 15

December 13

All meetings (unless otherwise noted) are scheduled for 6:00pm at the Library at 550 Main Street.

Meeting schedule is subject to change should emergencies arise, or if quorum will not be present. Please call the Library to verify meeting dates.

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