



Buffalo & Erie County Public Library

Public Access Computer Statistics

June 2007


EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: ALL OUTLETS

	June		% of	Year to Date		% of
	2007	2006	Change	2007	2006	Change
System Total	35,752	28,983	23.4%	204,229	164,207	24.4%
Contract Libraries	18,822	16,907	11.3%	107,973	97,345	10.9%
City Branches	8,536	5,378	58.7%	46,772	27,209	71.9%
Central Library	8,394	6,698	25.3%	49,484	39,653	24.8%


Sessions / Public Access Computers

	June	Year to Date
System Total	61.9	353.3
Contract Libraries	60.3	346.1
City Branches	49.3	270.4
Central Library	90.3	532.1

Registered Public Access Computer Sessions

 Library	June 2007			June 2006	Change	Year to Date 2007			YTD 2006	Change
	Adult Sessions	Juvenile Sessions	Total Sessions	Total Sessions		Adult Sessions	Juvenile Sessions	Total Sessions	Total Sessions	
Alden (Ewell Free)	88	20	108	174	-37.9%	723	126	849	852	-0.4%
<i>Amherst</i>										
Audubon	1,220	260	1,480	1,362	8.7%	7,407	1,423	8,830	8,615	2.5%
Clearfield	842	124	966	879	9.9%	4,894	756	5,650	4,803	17.6%
Eggertsville-Snyder	491	206	697	332	109.9%	2,357	763	3,120	1,711	82.3%
Williamsville	391	64	455	392	16.1%	2,569	446	3,015	2,259	33.5%
Angola	298	65	363	277	31.0%	1,653	403	2,056	1,495	37.5%
Aurora	425	47	472	493	-4.3%	2,833	242	3,075	2,986	3.0%
Boston	63	63	126	142	-11.3%	402	420	822	720	14.2%
<i>Cheektowaga</i>										
Julia Boyer Reinstein	1,194	131	1,325	1,174	12.9%	7,187	1,023	8,210	7,452	10.2%
Reinstein Memorial	951	79	1,030	967	6.5%	5,688	526	6,214	6,395	-2.8%
Clarence	455	276	731	722	1.2%	3,014	1,303	4,317	4,435	-2.7%
Collins	271	257	528	276	91.3%	1,331	1,152	2,483	1,836	35.2%
Concord	364	306	670	482	39.0%	2,228	1,424	3,652	2,187	67.0%
Eden	116	28	144	113	27.4%	690	184	874	669	30.6%
Elma	177	56	233	181	28.7%	1,012	301	1,313	1,283	2.3%
Grand Island Memorial	335	42	377	515	-26.8%	1,763	352	2,115	2,352	-10.1%
<i>Hamburg</i>										
Hamburg	1,010	236	1,246	1,380	-9.7%	5,439	1,008	6,447	6,682	-3.5%
Lake Shore	261	90	351	211	66.4%	1,318	364	1,682	1,293	30.1%
Lackawanna	536	137	673	444	51.6%	3,496	694	4,190	2,605	60.8%
Lancaster	871	227	1,098	888	23.6%	4,548	882	5,430	4,764	14.0%
Marilla	80	36	116	149	-22.1%	632	228	860	797	7.9%
Newstead	315	226	541	461	17.4%	1,650	834	2,484	2,527	-1.7%
North Collins	87	115	202	148	36.5%	646	793	1,439	818	75.9%
Orchard Park	898	172	1,070	1,323	-19.1%	5,641	1,381	7,022	7,805	-10.0%
City of Tonawanda	414	79	493	490	0.6%	2,399	441	2,840	2,445	16.2%
<i>Town of Tonawanda</i>										
Kenilworth	356	93	449	426	5.4%	2,209	521	2,730	2,622	4.1%
Kenmore	1,578	158	1,736	1,369	26.8%	8,460	923	9,383	7,849	19.5%
West Seneca	1,055	87	1,142	1,137	0.4%	6,309	562	6,871	7,088	-3.1%
<i>Buffalo</i>										
Crane	1,275	100	1,375	1,147	19.9%	8,053	470	8,523	5,811	46.7%
Dudley	764	302	1,066	664	60.5%	4,119	1,792	5,911	4,028	46.7%
East Clinton	203	119	322	252	27.8%	1,092	659	1,751	1,453	20.5%
East Delavan	404	460	864	615	40.5%	2,657	2,351	5,008	3,245	54.3%
Merriweather	1,093	621	1,714	1,142	50.1%	7,110	3,622	10,732	4,541	136.3%
Niagara	686	661	1,347	528	155.1%	3,225	2,563	5,788	2,737	111.5%
North Park	464	164	628	333	N/A	2,182	583	2,765	1,933	43.0%
Riverside	658	562	1,220	697	75.0%	3,157	3,137	6,294	3,461	81.9%
<i>Central</i>										
B S T	1,690	141	1,831	1,280	43.0%	10,655	971	11,626	7,148	62.6%
Children's	0	230	230	196	17.3%	2	1,265	1,267	1,301	-2.6%
GRO	309	22	331	315	5.1%	1,797	97	1,894	1,965	-3.6%
HSS	5,712	290	6,002	4,907	22.3%	33,144	1,553	34,697	29,239	18.7%
Teen Room										
System Total	28,400	7,352	35,752	28,983	23.4%	165,691	38,538	204,229	164,207	24.4%
Contract Library Total	15,142	3,680	18,822	16,907	11.3%	88,498	19,475	107,973	97,345	10.9%
City Branch Total	5,547	2,989	8,536	5,378	58.7%	31,595	15,177	46,772	27,209	71.9%
Central Library	7,711	683	8,394	6,698	25.3%	45,598	3,886	49,484	39,653	24.8%

Registered Public Access Computer Sessions

 Library	Number of PACs	June 2007	Year to Date 2007
		Sessions/PAC	Sessions/PAC
Alden (Ewell Free)	5	21.6	169.8
<i>Amherst</i>			
Audubon	19	77.9	464.7
Clearfield	17	56.8	332.4
Egbertsville-Snyder	5	139.4	624.0
Williamsville	5	91.0	603.0
Angola	7	51.9	293.7
Aurora	8	59.0	384.4
Boston	6	21.0	137.0
<i>Cheektowaga</i>			
Julia Boyer Reinstein	32	41.4	256.6
Reinstein Memorial	16	64.4	388.4
Clarence	19	38.5	227.2
Collins	10	52.8	248.3
Concord	12	55.8	304.3
Eden	6	24.0	145.7
Elma	5	46.6	262.6
Grand Island Memorial	9	41.9	235.0
<i>Hamburg</i>			
Hamburg	10	124.6	644.7
Lake Shore	8	43.9	210.3
Lackawanna	15	44.9	279.3
Lancaster	17	64.6	319.4
Marilla	6	19.3	143.3
Newstead	11	49.2	225.8
North Collins	10	20.2	143.9
Orchard Park	21	51.0	334.4
City of Tonawanda	4	123.3	710.0
<i>Town of Tonawanda</i>			
Kenilworth	8	56.1	341.3
Kenmore	8	217.0	1,172.9
West Seneca	13	87.8	528.5
<i>Buffalo</i>			
Crane	22	62.5	387.4
Dudley	18	59.2	328.4
East Clinton	11	29.3	159.2
East Delavan	30	28.8	166.9
Merriweather	46	37.3	233.3
Niagara	17	79.2	340.5
North Park	13	48.3	212.7
Riverside	16	76.3	393.4
<i>Central</i>			
B S T	33	55.5	352.3
Children's	6	38.3	211.2
GRO	8	41.4	236.8
HSS	46	130.5	754.3
Teen Room			
System Total	578	61.9	353.3
Contract Library Total	312	60.3	346.1
City Branch Total	173	49.3	270.4
Central Library	93	90.3	532.1



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June 2007 Footnotes

2007*

* **City Branches & Central** A formula error impacting February 2007 and February 2008 year to date totals was found in February 2009. This error understated results for both years (actual activity was higher than previously reported). Incorrect year to date figures for Buffalo Branches and the Central Library were subsequently carried into 2008 calculations and comparison data. Spreadsheets have been retrospectively corrected as of April 2009.

System-Wide: As of January 1, 2007, Patrons are no longer required to be in good standing (per B&ECPL Circulation Policy) in order to use the Internet. In addition, the \$1 fee for short-term Internet privileges is discontinued. The combination of these factors has resulted in increased overall public computer usage.

Concord Library: Although the library was open, circulation was affected 6/14/ - 6/15 and 6/18 - 6/19 due to road closure.

**Town of Tonawanda
Kenmore Branch:** Closed a total of 7 service hours between 6/26 and 6/27 due to malfunction of air conditioning system.

Youth Resource Center computers were added to all locations during Fall 2001. These computers do not require registration before use and are not tracked in these statistics. Therefore, juvenile computer use statistics are underreported.

2006

System-Wide: Many libraries reduced operating hours in 2006 due to budget cutbacks. The reductions are in addition to service hour reductions that occurred in January 2005. Fewer service hours affected computer use at many units.