



Buffalo & Erie County Public Library

Public Access Computer Statistics

March 2007


EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: ALL OUTLETS

	March		% of	Year to Date		% of
	2007	2006	Change	2007	2006	Change
System Total	36,970	28,849	28.2%	98,016	80,731	21.4%
Contract Libraries	19,670	17,367	13.3%	52,279	48,447	7.9%
City Branches	8,192	4,228	93.8%	21,685	12,225	77.4%
Central Library	9,108	7,254	25.6%	24,052	20,059	19.9%


Sessions / Public Access Computers

	March	Year to Date
System Total	64.0	169.6
Contract Libraries	63.0	167.6
City Branches	47.4	125.3
Central Library	97.9	258.6

Registered Public Access Computer Sessions

 Library	March 2007			March 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)	125	28	153	142	7.7%	397	54	451	446	1.1%
<i>Amherst</i>										
Audubon	1,319	341	1,660	1,588	4.5%	3,862	657	4,519	4,554	-0.8%
Clearfield	888	145	1,033	844	22.4%	2,412	424	2,836	2,254	25.8%
Egbertsville-Snyder	421	111	532	307	73.3%	1,066	307	1,373	811	69.3%
Williamsville	498	72	570	356	60.1%	1,274	236	1,510	1,056	43.0%
Angola	343	82	425	243	74.9%	796	181	977	771	26.7%
Aurora	521	27	548	490	11.8%	1,334	110	1,444	1,452	-0.6%
Boston	74	98	172	132	30.3%	208	222	430	350	22.9%
<i>Cheektowaga</i>										
Julia Boyer Reinstein	1,344	181	1,525	1,386	10.0%	3,547	425	3,972	3,916	1.4%
Reinstein Memorial	1,020	93	1,113	1,151	-3.3%	2,844	259	3,103	3,279	-5.4%
Clarence	554	239	793	804	-1.4%	1,584	651	2,235	2,247	-0.5%
Collins	255	202	457	354	29.1%	640	485	1,125	1,021	10.2%
Concord	401	222	623	351	77.5%	1,123	618	1,741	915	90.3%
Eden	114	33	147	114	28.9%	317	108	425	342	24.3%
Elma	178	60	238	252	-5.6%	493	159	652	674	-3.3%
Grand Island Memorial	289	50	339	396	-14.4%	755	147	902	1,100	-18.0%
<i>Hamburg</i>										
Hamburg	997	170	1,167	1,105	5.6%	2,645	432	3,077	3,222	-4.5%
Lake Shore	221	63	284	211	34.6%	550	118	668	631	5.9%
Lackawanna	667	136	803	531	51.2%	1,670	331	2,001	1,274	57.1%
Lancaster	834	118	952	870	9.4%	2,177	319	2,496	2,231	11.9%
Marilla	88	41	129	135	-4.4%	302	127	429	374	14.7%
Newstead	326	101	427	469	-9.0%	813	322	1,135	1,318	-13.9%
North Collins	116	189	305	152	100.7%	327	366	693	437	58.6%
Orchard Park	1,055	291	1,346	1,392	-3.3%	2,721	815	3,536	3,794	-6.8%
City of Tonawanda	430	77	507	419	21.0%	1,187	231	1,418	1,140	24.4%
<i>Town of Tonawanda</i>										
Kenilworth	397	94	491	484	1.4%	1,111	250	1,361	1,248	9.1%
Kenmore	1,475	188	1,663	1,383	20.2%	3,926	422	4,348	3,852	12.9%
West Seneca	1,130	138	1,268	1,306	-2.9%	3,159	263	3,422	3,738	-8.5%
<i>Buffalo</i>										
Crane	1,401	82	1,483	930	59.5%	3,845	237	4,082	2,569	58.9%
Dudley	716	418	1,134	745	52.2%	1,921	997	2,918	2,066	41.2%
East Clinton	193	101	294	248	18.5%	522	273	795	770	3.2%
East Delavan	512	371	883	536	64.7%	1,303	825	2,128	1,642	29.6%
Merriweather	1,311	651	1,962	370	430.3%	3,598	1,747	5,345	1,323	304.0%
Niagara	584	379	963	486	98.1%	1,457	949	2,406	1,309	83.8%
North Park	346	82	428	338	N/A	907	218	1,125	987	14.0%
Riverside	509	536	1,045	575	81.7%	1,463	1,423	2,886	1,559	85.1%
<i>Central</i>										
B S T	2,067	196	2,263	1,295	74.7%	5,267	558	5,825	3,542	64.5%
Children's	1	240	241	262	-8.0%	2	652	654	703	-7.0%
GRO	345	12	357	315	13.3%	852	47	899	982	-8.5%
HSS	5,985	262	6,247	5,382	16.1%	15,872	802	16,674	14,832	12.4%
Teen Room										
System Total	30,050	6,920	36,970	28,849	28.2%	80,249	17,767	98,016	80,731	21.4%
Contract Library Total	16,080	3,590	19,670	17,367	13.3%	43,240	9,039	52,279	48,447	7.9%
City Branch Total	5,572	2,620	8,192	4,228	93.8%	15,016	6,669	21,685	12,225	77.4%
Central Library	8,398	710	9,108	7,254	25.6%	21,993	2,059	24,052	20,059	19.9%

Registered Public Access Computer Sessions

 Library	Number of PACs	March 2007	Year to Date 2007
		Sessions/PAC	Sessions/PAC
Alden (Ewell Free)	5	30.6	90.2
<i>Amherst</i>			
Audubon	19	87.4	237.8
Clearfield	17	60.8	166.8
Egbertsville-Snyder	5	106.4	274.6
Williamsville	5	114.0	302.0
Angola	7	60.7	139.6
Aurora	8	68.5	180.5
Boston	6	28.7	71.7
<i>Cheektowaga</i>			
Julia Boyer Reinstein	32	47.7	124.1
Reinstein Memorial	16	69.6	193.9
Clarence	19	41.7	117.6
Collins	10	45.7	112.5
Concord	12	51.9	145.1
Eden	6	24.5	70.8
Elma	5	47.6	130.4
Grand Island Memorial	9	37.7	100.2
<i>Hamburg</i>			
Hamburg	10	116.7	307.7
Lake Shore	8	35.5	83.5
Lackawanna	15	53.5	133.4
Lancaster	17	56.0	146.8
Marilla	6	21.5	71.5
Newstead	11	38.8	103.2
North Collins	10	30.5	69.3
Orchard Park	21	64.1	168.4
City of Tonawanda	4	126.8	354.5
<i>Town of Tonawanda</i>			
Kenilworth	8	61.4	170.1
Kenmore	8	207.9	543.5
West Seneca	13	97.5	263.2
<i>Buffalo</i>			
Crane	22	67.4	185.5
Dudley	18	63.0	162.1
East Clinton	11	26.7	72.3
East Delavan	30	29.4	70.9
Merriweather	46	42.7	116.2
Niagara	17	56.6	141.5
North Park	13	32.9	86.5
Riverside	16	65.3	180.4
<i>Central</i>			
B S T	33	68.6	176.5
Children's	6	40.2	109.0
GRO	8	44.6	112.4
HSS	46	135.8	362.5
Teen Room			
System Total	578	64.0	169.6
Contract Library Total	312	63.0	167.6
City Branch Total	173	47.4	125.3
Central Library	93	97.9	258.6



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March 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.

*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 circulation at many units.
- N. Jefferson:** Library permanently closed on 3/24/06. The Merriweather Library will provide services beginning on 4/1/06.
- Eden:** Closed 2 hours early on 3/9/06 due to a power outage.