



CIRCULATION STATISTICS

August 2014

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	<u>Aug. 2014</u>	<u>Aug. 2013</u>		<u>Jan-Aug. 2014</u>	<u>Jan-Aug. 2013</u>	
CITY OF BUFFALO:						
Central Library	46,347	51,930	-10.8%	365,360	421,118	-13.2%
City Branches	59,113	63,470	-6.9%	438,880	484,390	-9.4%
CONTRACTING LIBRARIES	383,947	431,610	-11.0%	2,882,423	3,174,368	-9.2%
INSTITUTIONS	15,707	15,706	0.0%	109,828	113,354	-3.1%
e-BRANCH	160,698	161,011	-0.2%	1,229,920	1,228,298	0.1%
TOTAL CIRCULATION	665,812	723,727	-8.0%	5,026,411	5,421,528	-7.3%

BUFFALO AND ERIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY: CIRCULATION STATISTICS

CENTRAL, EXTENSION SERVICES and e-BRANCH

AUGUST 2014	AUG 2014	AUG 2013	CHANGE	JAN-AUG 2014	JAN-AUG 2013	CHANGE
<u>CENTRAL LIBRARY</u>						
TOTAL CENTRAL	46,347	51,930	-10.8%	365,360	421,118	-13.2%
<u>CITY BRANCHES</u>						
Crane	11,090	11,926	-7.0%	82,457	89,899	-8.3%
Dudley	7,595	8,563	-11.3%	60,508	67,694	-10.6%
East Clinton	5,341	7,068	-24.4%	41,772	52,184	-20.0%
East Delavan	5,561	5,808	-4.3%	36,605	43,295	-15.5%
Niagara	8,273	8,083	2.4%	64,045	62,954	1.7%
Merriweather	6,669	7,117	-6.3%	52,521	57,569	-8.8%
North Park	7,495	7,733	-3.1%	52,918	59,162	-10.6%
Riverside	7,089	7,172	-1.2%	48,054	51,633	-6.9%
TOTAL BRANCHES	59,113	63,470	-6.9%	438,880	484,390	-9.4%
<u>INSTITUTIONS</u>						
Correctional Facility	12,158	11,896	2.2%	83,340	85,150	-2.1%
Holding Center	3,549	3,810	-6.9%	26,488	28,204	-6.1%
TOTAL INSTITUTIONS	15,707	15,706	0.0%	109,828	113,354	-3.1%
<u>e-BRANCH</u>						
Books, magazines & media	113,589	119,602	-5.0%	873,055	916,414	-4.7%
Downloadable audio books	8,114	7,419	9.4%	62,636	51,838	20.8%
Downloadable/Streaming videos	198	119	66.4%	1,191	1,300	-8.4%
eBooks	34,455	29,343	17.4%	257,938	219,869	17.3%
Downloadable music/music videos	4,342	4,528	-4.1%	35,100	38,877	-9.7%
TOTAL e-BRANCH	160,698	161,011	-0.2%	1,229,920	1,228,298	0.1%

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CONTRACTING LIBRARIES

AUGUST 2014	AUG 2014	AUG 2013	CHANGE	JAN-AUG 2014	JAN-AUG 2013	CHANGE
Alden (Ewell Free)	2,950	3,462	-14.8%	22,112	25,088	-11.9%
Amherst Public						
Audubon	39,949	47,097	-15.2%	303,743	339,538	-10.5%
Clearfield	29,501	32,777	-10.0%	210,238	234,824	-10.5%
Egbertsville-Snyder	17,637	20,101	-12.3%	130,330	144,704	-9.9%
Williamsville	5,960	6,187	-3.7%	42,422	50,148	-15.4%
Angola Public	4,873	5,512	-11.6%	34,000	36,115	-5.9%
Aurora Town Public/E. Aurora	17,696	18,774	-5.7%	138,478	151,618	-8.7%
Boston Free	5,333	4,985	7.0%	37,901	40,731	-6.9%
Cheektowaga Public						
Julia B. Reinstein	33,676	36,266	-7.1%	256,685	272,638	-5.9%
Reinstein Memorial	15,561	18,951	-17.9%	127,760	140,729	-9.2%
Clarence Public	24,811	26,255	-5.5%	177,297	190,783	-7.1%
Collins Public	5,012	5,211	-3.8%	39,483	41,413	-4.7%
Concord Public	6,303	7,574	-16.8%	46,193	63,580	-27.3%
Eden	5,959	5,738	3.9%	44,021	45,269	-2.8%
Elma Public	9,913	11,562	-14.3%	74,941	81,860	-8.5%
Grand Island Memorial	12,463	14,601	-14.6%	95,951	105,914	-9.4%
Hamburg Public						
Hamburg	11,622	20,357	-42.9%	94,193	152,116	-38.1%
Lake Shore	8,980	9,213	-2.5%	64,779	67,203	-3.6%
Lackawanna Public	7,487	7,484	0.0%	52,243	55,337	-5.6%
Lancaster Public	17,172	19,797	-13.3%	130,027	135,541	-4.1%
Marilla Free	3,960	4,601	-13.9%	32,480	36,365	-10.7%
Newstead Public	5,514	5,599	-1.5%	40,214	43,170	-6.8%
North Collins Public	2,323	2,280	1.9%	18,600	19,500	-4.6%
Orchard Park Public	27,667	28,270	-2.1%	204,296	204,813	-0.3%
Tonawanda Public	10,173	12,238	-16.9%	80,323	85,530	-6.1%
Town of Tonawanda Public						
Kenilworth	7,486	8,594	-12.9%	53,617	60,379	-11.2%
Kenmore	26,816	29,343	-8.6%	202,048	214,775	-5.9%
West Seneca Public	17,150	18,781	-8.7%	128,048	134,687	-4.9%
TOTAL CONTRACT LIBS:	383,947	431,610	-11.0%	2,882,423	3,174,368	-9.2%

SUNDAY CIRCULATION - 2014

	Central	Merrweather	Audubon	Clearfield *	Elma	Hamburg	J.B.R.	Kenmore	Lancaster**	North Collins	Orchard Park	SUNDAY 2014	SUNDAY 2013	CHANGE
01/05/14	907	177	1,087	608	277	281	809	731	325	107	543	5,852	4,867	20.2%
01/12/14	995	131	991	460	266	365	828	552	467	96	577	5,728	5,194	10.3%
01/19/14	949	184	804	558	237	249	676	512	344	82	572	5,167	4,553	13.5%
01/26/14	766	164	833	523	191	304	756	636	241	90	596	5,100	6,135	-16.9%
02/02/14	858	218	984	461	225	380	713	577	423	120	605	5,564	5,148	8.1%
02/09/14	659	104	924	430	101	291	662	476	221	90	457	4,415	5,424	-18.6%
02/16/14	1,075	183	1,106	581	238	283	725	539	264	86	585	5,665	5,856	-3.3%
02/23/14	901	190	1,026	636	242	298	880	543	412	107	618	5,853	5,698	2.7%
03/02/14	812	119	1,054	488	160	208	779	597	403	120	503	5,243	5,309	-1.2%
03/09/14	913	116	1,048	570	180	141	862	519	451	57	703	5,560	4,956	12.2%
03/16/14	563	215	1,062	663	215	150	879	606	321	74	513	5,261	5,497	-4.3%
03/23/14	795	105	1,214	-	279	224	708	633	394	69	604	5,025	4,656	7.9%
03/30/14	854	223	1,198	-	199	203	711	632	343	34	444	4,841	0	Easter '13
04/06/14	760	145	1,017	-	157	213	871	520	376	54	543	4,656	4,735	-1.7%
04/13/14	822	96	808	-	148	130	567	425	271	43	392	3,702	5,038	-26.5%
04/20/14	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	4,782	Easter '14
04/27/14	744	120	873	-	171	276	700	449	300	53	540	4,226	4,068	3.9%
05/04/14	992	110	895	-	167	244	670	525	338	-	569	4,510	3,296	36.8%
05/11/14	428	84	503	-	99	103	271	251	97	-	263	2,099	3,187	-34.1%
05/18/14	801	265	1,090	-	179	166	502	446	282	-	521	4,252	3,314	28.3%
05/25/14	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	0	0	N/A
YTD TOTALS	15,594	2,949	18,517	5,978	3,731	4,509	13,569	10,169	6,273	1,282	10,148	92,719	91,713	1.1%

The 2013 B&ECPL operating budget funds Sunday hours at the Central, Merrweather, Audubon, Elma, Hamburg, Julia B. Reinstein, Kenmore, North Collins and Orchard Park Libraries.

* Clearfield (Amherst) Library's Sunday hours are provided as a result of fundraising efforts.

**Lancaster Library's Sunday hours are paid by private funds.

Sunday service hours are scheduled to resume in September - various starting dates.

FOOTNOTES:

2014

System-wide: Weekly Open Hours of Service: [PDF/1 page](#)

Hamburg Public: August - Construction for expansion project continues.

2013

System-wide: Weekly Open Hours of Service: [PDF/1 page](#)
 Downloadable Music Videos began August 2013.
 Downloadable Streaming Videos from the archive.org digital library began October 2013.

Correctional Facility: August - Increase due to consistent staffing.

Holding Center: August - Decrease due to facility lockdowns/no inmates.

Riverside Branch: Large decrease in DVD circulation - lack of selection.

Aurora Town Public: 8/12/13 - Closed for roof construction.

Alden (Ewell) Free: Opened 4 hours late 8/6/13 for sewer repair.

Cheektowaga Public:
 Julia Boyer Reinstein: 8/6/13 - Closed 3:30 - 9 p.m. due to power outage.

Town of Tonawanda Public:
 Kenmore Branch: August - Construction on Delaware Rd. & Delaware Ave.