Independence Public Library Circulation and Usage Report for August 2023

Materials Usage

City of Independence Circulation	4,102
Unincorporated Buchanan County Circulation	1,723
Incorporated Buchanan County w/Libraries	332
Contracting Cities	143
Outside of Buchanan County Circulation (Open Access)	303
Items Loaned to Other Libraries (Access Plus)	57

Total Materials Circulation for Month 6,660

Patrons

Total Number of Patrons for Month	4,538
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Computer & Wireless Headphone Usage

Desktop Computer Usage for Month	498
In-House Laptop Usage for Month	0
Wireless Computer Usage for Month	405
Early Literacy Station Usage for Month	192
Wireless Headphone Usage for Month	21

Library of Things Usage

Activity Equipment	5
Puzzles	47
Hotspots	24
Cake Pans	5

Web Site Usage

Total Visitors 2,577

BRIDGES Usage

Total Usage 1,706

Facebook, Civic Send, Instagram & Google Profile

Facebook Likes	1,956
Facebook Total Reach	67,978
Mass Emails/Constant Contact Opened	1,879
Instagram Likes	63
Instagram Followers	525
Google Profile Interactions	346
Google Profile Views	442

Mobile App Usage

Patron Count N/A Usage N/A

Database Usage

6 sessions 96 searches Ancestry

Material Additions

Total Additions for Month	242
Videos	39
Audios	7
Books	196

Material Withdrawals

Total Withdrawals for Month 201

Additions Breakdown

Adult Biography & NonFiction = 200-1, 300-5, 600-2, 900-4

Adult Fiction = F-65, M-2, SF-1, LP-12, LPM-2

Young Adult Fiction = YAF-1

Juvenile Biography & NonFiction = B-1, 300-1, 500-7, 600-6, 700-3, 900-7

Juvenile Fiction = JF-21, Just Right - 3, Graphic Novel-6

Juvenile Easy NonFiction = 500-3

Juvenile Easy = Easy-33, BB-10

Audios = Adult-7

Videos = Adult-28, YA-3, Juvenile-8

Withdrawals Breakdown

ANF-1, AF-10, LPF-183, JNF-4, AdDVD-2, JDVD-1

Usage Comparison					
Year	Materials	Patrons	Computer	Web Site	BRIDGES
2023	6660	4538	903	2577	1706
2022	5455	4603	998	2118	1656
2021	5553	3561	462	2157	1351
2020	4724	2677	640	3068	1294
2019	6037	5301	1464	2331	1138
2018	6722	7169	2061	2891	1099
2017	7198	8137	1980	3529	834

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Study Rooms - 32 usages

Library Events (Community Room)

Adult Events & General Interest (All Ages) Events

8/9/2023 Craft & Convo - 6 adults

8/16/2023 Alzheimer's Association Caregiver Support Group - 6 adults

8/28/2023 Book Discussion - 8 adults

8/29/2023 Writer's Group - 3 adults

Teen Events

8/20/2023 Dungeons & Dragons - 8 teens 10 children 2 adults

8/24/2023 Blackout Poetry - 1 teen 1 adult

Children's Events

8/2/2023 Creature Feature - 17 children 1 teen 12 adults

8/3/2023 Outdoor Story Time - 19 children 9 adults

8/12/2023 1000 Books Before Kindergarten Graduation - 11 children 22 adults

8/14/2023 Legos @ the Library - 6 children 2 teens 13 adults

8/17/2023 Story Time - 23 children 8 adults

8/24/2023 Story Time - 9 children 6 adults

8/31/2023 Story Time - 7 children 9 adults

Virtual Events

8/17/2023 Third Thursday with Hoover's Library - 1 attendee

Outreach Events

8/1/2023 Rock painting @ Lexington Estate - 11 adults

8/4/2023 Tiny Art @ Kidsville - 25 children 3 adults

8/29/2023 Reader's Circle @ Lexington Estate - 7 adults

8/29/2023 Davis Adult Day Care - 12 adults

NonLibrary Events (Community Room)

8/23/2023 Ashley Hinson town hall meeting - 28 people

8/24/2023 NEI3A board meeting - 9 people

8/30/2023 Natural Resource Conservation Service - 9 people