

BRIDGEPORT LIBRARY

East Side Branch/October 2023 Report

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Service Statistics	<p>Number of new library cards: 29 Adults-22 Child-6 Stratford Public Library-1</p> <p>Number of visitors: 2,296</p>	<p>Number of Reference questions answered: 324 Number of directional questions: 1,092 Number of tech assistance: 490 Number of interlibrary loans (in/out): 74/54 Number of online database sessions: Meeting Room Attendance: 0</p>
Collection Statistics	<p>Adult: 18, 341 (added 44 October) Teen: 3,075 (added 47 October) Children:13,336 (added 44 October)</p>	<p>A&V materials: 8,851 (added 0 October) Magazines & Newspapers:567 (added 18 Oct) Total: 44,170 (added 153 October)</p>
Circulation Statistics	<p>Adult: 128 Teen: 10 Children: 66</p>	<p>A&V materials: 344 Magazines & Newspapers: 0 In House stats: 37</p>
Public Internet Usage	<p>Users for the month: 460 WiFi: 192</p>	
Programming Milestones	<p>Halloween Craft: 36 Notary:4 patrons Computer Classes: 6 patrons Chess: 1 patrons Bridgeport Health and Social Services program on germs and storytime: 14 patrons Halloween event: 112 patrons</p> <p>Hora de Cuentos: 3 patrons Movie Haunted Mansion: 14 patrons Movie Hocus Pocus: 13 patrons Movie Scooby Doo: 29 patrons</p>	

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Staff Development	

Highlights

Book displays Halloween books, Halloween movies, National Digital Inclusion week.

East Side started weeding children and nonfiction books

Luis attended Diversity without adversity workshop.

Patron who attended the free computer classes we teach at east side branch was very grateful that we give the classes one on one and that they are free.

Latara and Breta decorated the branch with Halloween decorations