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Burroughs/Public Services June 2022 Monthly Report

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Service Statistics	Number of new library cards: 151 Number of visitors: Total= 4,169 Specific to HC=13	Number of questions answered: ref 527; other 302 Number of interlibrary loans (in/out): 571/607 Number of online database sessions: NA
Collection Statistics	Adult: 230,261 (199 added in June) Teen: 6,232 (34 added in June) Children: 61,352 (111 added in June)	A&V materials: 25,222 (20 added in June) Magazines & Newspapers: 3,871 (10 added in June)
Circulation Statistics	Adult: 676 (plus 28 in house use in June) Teen: 127 (plus 2 in house use in June) Children: 880 (plus 205 in house use in June)	A&V materials: 322 Magazines Teen: 1 Hotspots: 27
Public Internet Usage	Users for the month: 1067	
Staff Development	<p>Both Elizabeth Van Tuyl and Meg Rinn attended the Connecticut League of History Organizations annual meeting on June 6, 2022. Meg Rinn presented as a part of the conference, <i>From Temp to Term but Never Perm: The Impact of Temporary Labor (And What We Can Do About It!)</i>.</p> <p>Elizabeth Van Tuyl and Meg Rinn also attended the subsequent Archives and Special Collections meet up held after the conference. Both events were the first in person events of the respective groups since the start of the pandemic.</p> <p>Meg Rinn attended Rare Books and Manuscripts conference, June 22-24, 2022. Meg Rinn presented as a part of the conference, <i>Impermanently yours</i> with a 1 hr. presentation and following 1 hr. Q&A session with co-panelists.</p>	

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Highlights

Installation of *Records of Juneteenth of Fairfield County Inc.: 30 Years of Celebration* featuring the Records of Juneteenth of Fairfield County Inc. collection, giving a brief overview of Bridgeport's Juneteenth celebration.

[Exhibit is available online.](#)

Received panels from the Connecticut Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architect celebrating the 200th birthday of Frederick Law Olmstead, including dedicated panels on Beardsley and Seaside parks. They are now installed on the third floor outside the archives.

Programming Milestones

<i>Program title & Date</i>	<i>Live attendance</i>	<i>Social Media Views of Event</i>
6/02/22 Mindfulness: A Balanced Introduction with C. Pierce Salguero	12	N/A
6/15/22 The History of Juneteenth with Karima A. Robinson	8	N/A
6/30/22 All of the Marvels: Journey into the Marvel Universe with Douglas Wolk	15	208