

BRIDGEPORT LIBRARY

Newfield Library November 2023 Monthly Report

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<p>Service Statistics</p>	<p>Number of new library cards: 30 Number of visitors: 2076 Number of online database sessions: n/a</p>	<p>Number of questions answered: 263 Reference: 61 Other: 171 Tech Asst.: 31 Number of interlibrary loans (in/out): 61/344</p>																																																			
<p>Collection Statistics Total: 36,893 (436 additions)</p>	<p>Adult: 17,368 (269 added) Teen: 3,662 (25 added) Children: 16,054 (15 added)</p>	<p>A&V materials: 6,812 (0 added) Magazines & Newspapers: 1,425 (128 added)</p>																																																			
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<p>Public Internet Usage: 2227</p>	<p>Uses for the month: 387</p>	<p>WiFi Use: 1840</p>																																																			
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Staff Development/Meetings

- Nykia E. – Honest Appraisal – City of Bridgeport
How to Wear Many Hats – CLC
Monthly Library Meetings (Sups, Policy, Program...etc)

Highlights:

Books, Books, and more Books! Book ordering has been non-stop to fill the remaining empty shelving at Newfield. There has been a constant flow of boxes coming in for processing. Staff and patrons are excited!

Class visits from neighborhood schools are picking up and more children are obtaining library cards in the community. Attendance in Newfield's little reader's Storytime and Music Together program is growing.

Teen space usage has increased. Board games (passive program) are being heavily used as well as the usage of the gaming consoles for Newfield's weekly Game Day program.

Displays for the Month: Native American Heritage Month, Fall into A Good Book, Celebrate Thanksgiving, and a Dinosaur Display.

The Quilts of Migration: From Gee's Bend to Bridgeport was an amazing success. Thank you to moderator Michelle Smith-Tompkins, panelists Eula Mosley, Mary Pettway, Sandra Pettway, Betty Pettway-Bendoph, and Tangular Irby for sharing their stories and showcasing their quilts. Panelists and patrons were excited to learn Newfield is home to an original Gee's Bend quilt. Newfield's Bi-Annual Relax and Paint was a success. Registration fills up quickly, we will increase reservation slots.



Happy Holidays from Newfield Branch Library!