

BRIDGEPORT LIBRARY

Newfield Library August 2023 Monthly Report

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<p>Service Statistics</p>	<p>Number of new library cards: 30 Number of visitors: 2340 Number of online database sessions: n/a</p> <p>Number of questions answered: 314 Reference: 85 Other: 189 Tech Asst.: 40 Number of interlibrary loans (in/out): 25/332</p>																																				
<p>Collection Statistics Total: 36,859 (193 additions)</p>	<p>Adult: 16,954 (39 added) Teen: 3,604 (6 added) Children: 15,877 (7 added)</p> <p>A&V materials: 6,779 (3 added) Magazines & Newspapers: 813 (116 added)</p>																																				
<p>Circulation Statistics:716 In-House: 148 Total: 971</p>	<p>Adult: 477 Teen: 84 Children: 557</p> <p>A&V materials: 228 Magazines: 20 Newspapers: 50 est. Hotspots: 17</p>																																				
<p>Public Internet Usage: 1299</p>	<p>Uses for the month: 454 WiFi Use: 845</p>																																				
<p>Programming Milestones In house Programs: 24 Attendance: 227</p> <p>Off Site Programs/Outreach Attendance: 0</p> <p>Notary: 7</p> <p>Room Use: 8 Attendance: 120 est.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th># of Programs</th> <th># of attendees</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Little Readers Storytime</td> <td>4</td> <td>88</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lego Club</td> <td>4</td> <td>24</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Switch Play</td> <td>5</td> <td>7</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Creation Station:</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Find Your Voice: Creative Writing</td> <td>5</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Origami</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Books & Brownies</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Summer R. – Paint Chip Poetry</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lawyers In Libraries</td> <td>1</td> <td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Curious Creatures</td> <td>1</td> <td>104</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Teen Board Games – Passive Program</td> <td>10</td> <td>47</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		# of Programs	# of attendees	Little Readers Storytime	4	88	Lego Club	4	24	Switch Play	5	7	Creation Station:	1	0	Find Your Voice: Creative Writing	5	0	Origami	1	0	Books & Brownies	1	0	Summer R. – Paint Chip Poetry	1	0	Lawyers In Libraries	1	4	Curious Creatures	1	104	Teen Board Games – Passive Program	10	47
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<p>Staff Development</p>	<p>Nick R. – Planning Your National Voter Registration Event - Nonprofit Vote 7/18 Democracy Goes Digital – Nonprofit Vote 8/17 Nykia E. – Planning Your National Voter Registration Event - Nonprofit Vote 7/18 Democracy Goes Digital – Nonprofit Vote 8/17 CLA Library Leadership Institute – 8/11</p>																																				

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Highlights

Summer reading has come to an end. Newfield successfully registered 80 patrons for summer reading. The grand prize winners were Jackeline V (ADL), and Arianna R (Teen).

Newfield ended the summer with a few Curious Creatures. One hundred plus patrons flocked to Newfield to learn about animal care and to meet the furry little creatures. Children enjoyed petting a rabbit, ferret, a chinchilla, bearded dragon, etc.

Branch Manager attend the CLA Library Leadership Workshop. Topics of discussion included Inclusive Leadership, Nurturing Innovation & Collaboration, and Emotional Intelligence.

Branch Manager met with the Library Card Sign Up committee to finalize the events for Library Card Sign Up Month during September.

Upcoming Programs

Children's:

Little Readers Storytime: Monday @ 10:30am
Little Readers Playgroup: Wednesdays @ 1pm
Lego Club: Monday @ 3:30pm
Gaming with Nintendo Switch: Thursdays @ 5pm
Creation Station: Saturday 09/23 @ 2pm
Coding for Kids: Wednesdays @ 4pm

Teens:

Teen Gaming: Wednesday & Thursdays @ 4-8pm & Saturdays 10am-5pm
Origami: Friday 9/1, 9/15, 9/29, 10/27 @ 3pm
Books & Brownies for Teens - Friday 9/22, 10/20 @ 4pm
Teen Crafts – Saturday 9/16, 9/30, 10/28 @ 3pm
Chess for Beginners – Tuesdays @ 4pm

Adults:

Lawyers in Libraries: Wednesday 10/11

Special Programs:

Talk Like a Pirate Day: Tuesday 9/18 @ 4:30pm
Teen Paint Pour: Thursday 10/19 @ 5:30pm
Annual Halloween Party: Thursday 10/26 @ 5pm