

BRIDGEPORT LIBRARY

Burroughs/Technical Services Mar. 2024 Monthly Report

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Service Statistics	Number of active cards: 18,396								
Collection Statistics	Total collection number: 559,954								
	In House use: 1,765								
	ADULT AUDIO	YA AUDIO	JUV AUDIO	ADULT VIDEO	YA VIDEO	JUV VIDEO	REF	IN HOUSE	
Mar.	11,348	59	1,041	44,887	19	4,414	54,569	1,765	
	PRINT ADULT	PRINT YA	PRINT JUV	PRINT OTHER	OTHER ADULT	OTHER YA	OTHER JUV	OTHER OTHER	
Mar.	302,250	19,025	147,679	15	20,497	336	1,030	1,027	

Highlights

For the month of March:

I attended the following committee meetings; Collection Development, Safety, Outreach and Library Policy.

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I attended CT Library & Partners for Digital Equity virtual meeting. Committee members discussed the changes that are scheduled to happen in April and the effects it will have on Conn. residents.

The Technical Services staff continue to weed from our children and adult collections. We are also removing and adding items from our Spanish fiction collection.

I continue to place orders for all locations for new materials. Technical Services staff are receiving and processing materials from Baker & Taylor and Midwest Tape. Often, we add items we receive as donations to our collection.

In March I submitted the annual statewide Conn. State Library borrowIT report detailing the number of non-Bridgeport residents who borrowed Bridgeport library items.

One of the things that we are currently working with Bibliomation on is to identify items that maybe missing from our collection. This project is very important and is needed.

Total number of items added 950; total number withdrawn 4,493

Branch name, total collection count (added/withdrawn)

Beardsley 5,160 (130/0); Black Rock 43,916 (145/343);

Burroughs 322,778 (373/1,231); East Side 40,840 (28/2,015);

Newfield 38,521 (151/58); North 107,644 (123/846)