Total Circulation All Physical Sources and All Digital Sources

May 2017

	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Total Circulation	16,998	88,281	229,219	205,578	176,444
May 2016 Total Circulation	20,649	105,717			
Year-Over- Year Change	-18%	-16%	+11%	+17%	
		Digital circulations made up 29% of the total YTD in May 2017. On average this year to date, 289 (1.15%) of our patrons have used OverDrive and Hoopla. There was likely some overlap with users of these two services, so the actual number of unique users was probably lower. We don't have patron numbers available for our other premium digital services.	In 2016 digital was 33% of the total circulation, with 232 (0.93%) of our patrons using OverDrive and Hoopla. There was likely some overlap with users of these two services, so the actual number of unique users was probably lower. We don't have patron numbers available for our other premium digital services.	In 2015 digital was 26% of the total circulation, with 144 (0.60%) patrons on average using OverDrive. We don't have patron numbers available for our other premium digital services.	In 2014 digital was 12% of the total circulation, with 120 (0.52%) patrons on average using OverDrive. We don't have patron numbers available for our other premium digital services.

Attendance

May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Attendance	384	1,921	8,688	916	819	2,184	14,912	74,755	201,086	195,735	167,414
May 2016 Comparison	456	2,105	9,782	833	702	1,639	15,517	79,538			
Year-Over-Year Change	-16%	-9%	-11%	+10%	+17%	+33%	-4%	-6%	+3%	+17%	
May 2017 Hours Open	116	140	246	156	111	157	926	4,478	10,878	8,703	5,395
May 2016 Comparison	112	140	259	149	113	148	921	4,387			
Year-Over-Year Change	+4%		-5%	+5%	-2%	+6%	+1%	+2%	+25%	+61%	

Patrons

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Patron Count	373	3,269	15,979	2,822	477	2,288	25,208		24,899	23,974	22,879
May 2016 Comparison	362	3,166	15,539	2,752	458	2,161	24,438				
Year-Over-Year Change	+3%	+3%	+3%	+3%	+4%	+6%	+3%		+4%	+5%	
May 2017 Active Patrons	58	348	1,166	251	78	270	2,171		2,030	2,069	2,109
May 2016 Comparison	57	326	1,376	241	66	206	2,272				
Year-Over-Year Change	+2%	+7%	-15%	+4%	+18%	+31%	-4%		-2%	-2%	
May 2017 New Patrons Added	1	11	29	3	0	9	53	342	989	1,086	1,39
May 2016 Comparison	1	10	31	7	1	4	54	491			
Year-Over-Year Change		+10%	-6%	-57%		+125%	-2%	-30%	-9%	-22%	
May 2017 In-House Holds Filled for Our Patrons	17	174	515	140	55	74	975	4,991	10,407	10,225	9,54
May 2016 Comparison	17	84	420	106	38	46	711	4,155			
Year-Over-Year Change		+107%	+23%	+32%	+45%	+61%	+37%	+20%	+2%	+7%	

Collection

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Items in the Catalog	5,833	17,605	53,947	19,111	7,804	12,792	117,092		126,407	131,432	130,210
May 2016 Comparison	5,977	18,095	68,323	19,292	7,282	12,235	131,204				
Year-Over-Year Change	-2%	-3%	-21%	-1%	+7%	+5%	-11%		-4%	+1%	
May 2017 Items Added to the Catalog	58	98	345	179	127	151	958	4,882	11,091	8,582	6,134
May 2016 Comparison	65	292	252	104	76	224	1,013	5,049			
Year-Over-Year Change	-11%	-66%	+37%	+72%	+67%	-33%	-5%	-3%	+29%	+40%	
May 2017 Items Deleted from the Catalog	132	157	6,445	78	5	48	6,865	14,079	15,968	8,668	6,186
May 2016 Comparison	82	69	546	9	1	26	733	5,210			
Year-Over-Year Change	+61%	+128%	+1,080%	+767%	+400%	+85%	+837%	+170%	+84%	+40%	

Circulation of Physical Items

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Checkouts in Evergreen	251	1,676	4,495	1,357	457	1,016	9,252	49,163	118,595	121,841	123,07
May 2016 Comparison	215	1,231	4,872	1,110	349	665	8,442	46,546			
Year-Over-Year Change	+17%	+36%	-8%	+22%	+31%	+53%	+10%	+6%	-3%	-1%	
May 2017 Renewals in Evergreen	33	164	595	157	121	149	1,219	6,243	15,480	15,434	16,04
May 2016 Comparison	66	103	905	154	68	94	1,390	6,215			
Year-Over-Year Change	-50%	+59%	-34%	+2%	+78%	+59%	-12%	+0%	+0%	-4%	
May 2017 Items from other MeLCat Libraries Checked out to OUR Patrons, per branch (self-reported, totals not part of District, YTD, or yearly numbers)	18	95	258	56	9	32	468	2,462	5,560	4,662	4,23
May 2016 Comparison	51	101	173	38	35	23	421	2,093			
Year-Over-Year Change	-65%	-6%	+49%	+47%	-74%	+39%	+11%	+18%	+19%	+10%	
May 2017 Items Sent to Other Libraries MeLCat, per branch (self-reported, totals not part of District, YTD, or yearly numbers)	28	41	0	117	30	49	265	1,726	3,986	3,394	3,5
May 2016 Comparison	22	66	0	61	31	41	221	1,689			
Year-Over-Year Change	+27%	-38%		+92%	-3%	+20%	+20%	+2%	+17%	-4%	
May 2017 Requests from BDL Patrons for tems at Other MeLCat Libraries (totals not part of YTD or yearly numbers)							585	3,427	7,643	7,280	6,7
May 2016 Comparison							670	3,460			
Year-Over-Year Change							-13%	-1%	+5%	+9%	
May 2017 Requests from BDL Patrons for tems at Other MeLCat Libraries, Actually Fulfilled							591	3,216	7,112	6,118	5,6
May 2016 Comparison							622	3,193			
Year-Over-Year Change							-5%	+1%	+16%	+8%	
May 2017 Requests from Other MeLCat Libraries for Items at BDL (totals not part of YTD or yearly numbers)							451	2,964	7,096	5,989	6,6
May 2016 Comparison							392	3,057			
Year-Over-Year Change							+15%	-3%	+18%	-10%	
May 2017 Requests from Other MeLCat Libraries for Items at BDL, Actually Fulfilled							489	2,964	7,068	4,855	5,4
May 2016 Comparison							392	3,056			
Year-Over-Year Change							+25%	-3%	+46%	-10%	
May 2017 Checkouts of Uncataloged Items	90	41	78	0	0	29	238	1,230	4,576	4,385	4,6
May 2016 Comparison	83	96	67	0	0	87	333	2,467			
Year-Over-Year Change	+8%	-57%	+16%			-67%	-29%	-50%	+4%	-5%	
May 2017 TOTAL Circulation of Physical tems	420	2,017	5,426	1,687	617	1,275	11,789	62,816			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	437	1,597	6,017	1,363	483	910	11,179	61,477	152,831	152,633	154,7
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change	-4%	+26%	-10%	+24%	+28%	+40%	+5%	+2%	0%	-1%	

Reference Questions

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 General Reference Questions in Person	8	26	358	46	44	163	645	2,975	6,285	2,806	2,809
May 2016 Comparison	35	16	397	32	14	16	510	2,473			
Year-Over-Year Change	-77%	+63%	-10%	+44%	+214%	+919%	+26%	+20%	+124%	-0%	
May 2017 Questions via Telephone Calls	1	10	280	49	12	83	435	1,947	4,622	2,885	2,872
May 2016 Comparison	8	10	340	10	8	16	392	2,012			
Year-Over-Year Change	-88%		-18%	+390%	+50%	+419%	+11%	-3%	+60%	+0%	
May 2017 Reference Questions Delivered Online	0	1	9	12	0	0	22	147	304	227	12
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	6	1	0	15	22	179			
Year-Over-Year Change			+50%	+1,100%				-18%	+34%	+77%	
May 2017 In-Person Questions on Computer or Internet Use	8	38	417	20	4	124	611	2,980	6,568	5,551	4,07
May 2016 Comparison	30	21	430	15	0	21	517	2,576			
Year-Over-Year Change	-73%	+81%	-3%	+33%		+490%	+18%	+16%	+18%	+36%	
May 2017 In-Person Questions about Our Online Databases	0	0	9	0	0	0	9	105	170	92	12
May 2016 Comparison	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	14			
Year-Over-Year Change			+800%				+200%	+650%	+85%	-24%	
May 2017 In-Person Tax Form Questions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	486	473	579	56
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	459			
Year-Over-Year Change								+6%	-18%	+3%	
May 2017 TOTAL Reference Questions	17	75	1,073	127	60	370	1,722	8,640			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	73	49	1,174	58	22	69	1,445	7,713	18,422	12,140	10,5
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change	-77%	+53%	-9%	+119%	+173%	+436%	+19%	+12%	+52%	+15%	

Programs Held May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Juvenile Programs Held	2	16	31	4	0	10	63	356	603	575	482
May 2016 Comparison	2	4	35	6	2	8	57	280			
Year-Over-Year Change		+300%	-11%	-33%		+25%	+11%	+27%	+5%	+19%	
May 2017 Young Adult Programs Held	1	4	14	3	3	3	28	105	163	151	126
May 2016 Comparison	0	1	13	0	3	1	18	73			
Year-Over-Year Change		+300%	+8%			+200%	+56%	+44%	+8%	+20%	
May 2017 Adult Programs Held	2	2	8	2	1	1	16	69	220	157	125
May 2016 Comparison	1	3	9	1	1	3	18	127			
Year-Over-Year Change	+100%	-33%	-11%	+100%		-67%	-11%	-46%	+40%	+26%	
May 2017 Juvenile Summer Reading Events Held	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	89	84	78
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3			
Year-Over-Year Change								-67%	+6%	+8%	
May 2017 Young Adult Summer Reading Events Held	0	12	0	0	0	0	12	12	29	85	30
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1			
Year-Over-Year Change							+1,100%	+1,100%	-66%	+183%	
May 2017 Adult Summer Reading Events Held	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1			
Year-Over-Year Change									-40%	+25%	
May 2017 Computer Classes Held	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	3	14	22	24
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	5			
Year-Over-Year Change			+100%				+200%	-40%	-36%	-8%	
May 2017 TOTAL Programs Held	5	34	55	9	4	15	122	546			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	3	8	60	7	6	12	96	490	1,121	1,079	869
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change	+67%	+325%	-8%	+29%	-33%	+25%	+27%	+11%	+4%	+24%	

Program Attendance

May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Attendees at Juvenile Programs	5	257	826	87	0	143	1,318	7,981	10,368	8,415	7,857
May 2016 Comparison	5	113	530	80	23	96	847	4,928			
Year-Over-Year Change		+127%	+56%	+9%		+49%	+56%	+62%	+23%	+7%	
May 2017 Attendees at Young Adult Programs	2	95	235	35	806	807	1,980	2,816	1,011	884	641
May 2016 Comparison	0	14	80	0	12	2	108	432			
Year-Over-Year Change		+579%	+194%		+6,617%	+40,250%	+1,733%	+552%	+14%	+38%	
May 2017 Attendees at Adult Programs	9	18	68	23	10	14	142	710	2,048	2,157	1,310
May 2016 Comparison	12	15	87	20	7	7	148	1,216			
Year-Over-Year Change	-25%	+20%	-22%	+15%	+43%	+100%	-4%	-42%	-5%	+65%	
May 2017 Attendees at Juvenile Summer Reading Events	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,904	2,499	3,159
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	250	0	0	0	250	268			
Year-Over-Year Change									+56%	-21%	
May 2017 Attendees at Young Adult Summer Reading Events	0	302	0	0	0	0	302	302	295	259	307
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	125	0	0	0	125	125			
Year-Over-Year Change							+142%	+142%	+14%	-16%	
May 2017 Attendees at Adult Summer Reading Events	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	77	111
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									-73%	-31%	
May 2017 Attendees at Computer Classes	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	3	12	29	28
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	5			
Year-Over-Year Change			+100%				+200%	-40%	-59%	+4%	
May 2017 TOTAL Program Attendance	16	672	1,131	145	816	965	3,745	11,812			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	17	142	1,073	100	42	105	1,479	6,974	17,659	14,320	13,41
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change	-6%	+373%	+5%	+45%	+1843%	+819%	+153%	+69%	+23%	+7%	

Summer Reading Program Signups May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Juveniles Signed Up for Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	967	859	0
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									+13%		
May 2017 Young Adults Signed up for Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	113	311	0
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									-64%		
May 2017 Adults Signed Up for Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	85	0
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									+1%		
May 2017 TOTAL Summer Reading Program Signups	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,166	1,255	0
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change									-7%		

Summer Reading Program Completions

May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Juveniles who Completed Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	459	512	0
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									-10%		
May 2017 Young Adults who Completed Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	122	o
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									-49%		
May 2017 Adults who Completed Summer Reading Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	56	(
May 2016 Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change									+7%		
May 2017 TOTAL Summer Reading Program Completions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
May 2016 TOTAL Comparison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	581	690	
TOTAL Year-Over-Year Change									-16%		

Library-Provided Computer Services May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Use of Library-Provided Computers	119	540	2,078	101	77	280	3,195	16,587	41,513	46,405	43,756
May 2016 Comparison	124	754	2,222	185	59	273	3,617	14,399			
Year-Over-Year Change	-4%	-28%	-6%	-45%	+31%	+3%	-12%	+15%	-11%	+6%	
May 2017 One-hour sessions on Library Wifi	707	6,927	25,328	1,592	1,127	1,876	37,557	179,419	410,437	351,423	298,098
May 2016 Comparison	340	7,667	20,133	773	642	1,738	31,293	160,187			
Year-Over-Year Change	+108%	-10%	+26%	+106%	+76%	+8%	+20%	+12%	+17%	+18%	

Website Stats

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Monthly Website Sessions							5,732	28,930	75,139	72,706	68,773
May 2016 Comparison							6,888	32,274			
Year-Over-Year Change							-17%	-10%	+3%	+6%	
May 2017 Monthly Website Page Views							13,287	73,827	182,084	169,630	163,277
May 2016 Comparison							16,765	81,260			
Year-Over-Year Change							-21%	-9%	+7%	+4%	

Premium Online Services May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Active OverDrive Users							142	697	1,722	1,731	1,44
May 2016 Comparison							151	758			
Year-Over-Year Change							-6%	-8%	-1%	+20%	
May 2017 OverDrive Circulations							679	3,274	7,502	7,380	6,61
May 2016 Comparison							632	3,249			
Year-Over-Year Change							+7%	+1%	+2%	+12%	
May 2017 Active Hoopla Users							145	748	1,063	0	
May 2016 Comparison							76	285			
Year-Over-Year Change							+91%	+162%			
May 2017 Hoopla Circulations							754	3,944	5,432	0	
May 2016 Comparison							352	1,281			
Year-Over-Year Change							+114%	+208%			
May 2017 NewsBank Searches							277	941	2,421	0	
May 2016 Comparison							225	1,072			
Year-Over-Year Change							+23%	-12%			
May 2017 TumbleBooks Uses							549	1,328	22,269	24,673	1,09
May 2016 Comparison							4,354	18,845			
Year-Over-Year Change							-87%	-93%	-10%	+2,151%	
May 2017 Mango Languages Uses							54	716	538	617	1,18
May 2016 Comparison							17	129			
Year-Over-Year Change							+218%	+455%	-13%	-48%	
May 2017 Ancestry Searches							2,805	14,789	36,332	20,275	12,75
May 2016 Comparison							3,860	17,087			
Year-Over-Year Change							-27%	-13%	+79%	+59%	
May 2017 Activities Completed on ABCMouse							81	434	1,130	0	
May 2016 Comparison							28	142			
Year-Over-Year Change							+189%	+206%			
May 2017 Books Read on ABCMouse							10	32	98	0	
May 2016 Comparison							2	12			
Year-Over-Year Change							+400%	+167%			

Faxes and Prints May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Number of fax pages received	0	0	4	11	0	0	15	101	219	173	168
May 2016 Comparison	0	3	0	3	0	0	6	66			
Year-Over-Year Change				+267%			+150%	+53%	+27%	+3%	
May 2017 Number of fax pages sent	0	31	117	34	0	49	231	1,025	1,741	1,882	1,353
May 2016 Comparison	0	24	0	7	1	24	56	635			
Year-Over-Year Change		+29%		+386%		+104%	+313%	+61%	-7%	+39%	
May 2017 Free Prints for Job Seekers	0	30	139	30	3	30	232	1,282	2,878	2,335	3,024
May 2016 Comparison	20	32	239	24	0	56	371	1,235			
Year-Over-Year Change		-6%	-42%	+25%		-46%	-37%	+4%	+23%	-23%	

Fines May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Fine Payments Received	\$ 2.80	\$ 82.80	\$ 316.83	\$ 30.10	\$ 17.90	\$ 25.60	\$ 476.03	\$ 3,921.76	\$ 10,062.96	\$ 14,448.76	\$ 14,827.36
May 2016 Comparison	\$ 9.10	\$ 115.05	\$ 642.70	\$ 56.02	\$ 9.79	\$ 6.00	\$ 838.66	\$ 4,742.99			
Year-Over- Year Change	-78%	-29%	-51%	-46%	+89%	+317%	-43%	-17%	-30%	-3%	
May 2017 Outstanding Fines	\$ 470.42	\$ 15,277.39	\$ 47,724.65	\$ 5,654.90	\$ 2,468.95	\$ 6,073.67	\$ 77,669.98		\$ 228,102.90	\$ 221,076.26	\$ 209,842.19
May 2016 Comparison	\$ 1,127.12	\$ 33,646.43	\$ 150,387.65	\$ 20,083.13	\$ 4,100.94	\$ 13,737.80	\$ 223,083.07				
Year-Over- Year Change	-58%	-55%	-68%	-72%	-40%	-56%	-65%		+3%	+5%	

Collections (Unique Management Services, Inc.) May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Fine Payments as a Result of Collection Agency's Efforts							\$ 0.00	\$ 132.00	\$ 947.13	\$ 818.48	\$ 809.5
May 2016 Comparison							\$ 153.00	\$ 401.14			
Year-Over-Year Change								-67%	+16%	+1%	
May 2017 Library Materials Returned as a Result of Collection Agency's Efforts							\$ 277.00	\$ 307.00	\$ 1,317.93	\$ 1,346.89	\$ 1,864.6
May 2016 Comparison							\$ 0.00	\$ 463.95			
Year-Over-Year Change								-34%	-2%	-28%	
May 2017 What We Paid Collection Agency for Their Services							\$ 33.80	\$ 158.70	\$ 1,022.23	\$ 1,051.42	\$ 753.8
May 2016 Comparison							\$ 61.20	\$ 488.24			
Year-Over-Year Change							-46%	-68%	-3%	+40%	

Value to Our Service Area (Physical Item Circulation Only) May 2017

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	District Monthly Total	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 What It Would Cost if All the Physical Items Checked Out by Our Patrons Had Been Purchased by Them							\$ 171,133.80	\$ 910,710.73	\$ 2,132,387.79	\$ 2,167,140.68	\$ 2,167,024.48
May 2016 Comparison							\$ 153,302.43	\$ 848,034.03			
Year-Over-Year Change							+12%	+7%	-2%	+0%	

Coldwater Branch Holbrook Heritage Room

May 2017

(Numbers below are already part of the Coldwater Branch figures, just broken out here for convenience.)

	This Month	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Heritage Room Attendance	58	646	705	468	312
May 2016 Comparison	51	251			
Year-Over-Year Change	+14%	+157%	+51%	+50%	
May 2017 Heritage Room Reference Questions via Telephone	33	181	376	206	84
May 2016 Comparison	29	145			
Year-Over-Year Change	+14%	+25%	+83%	+145%	
May 2017 Heritage Room Reference Questions Online	5	28	83	77	4
May 2016 Comparison	6	54			
Year-Over-Year Change	-17%	-48%	+8%	+79%	

Coldwater Seed Exchange

May 2017

(Numbers below are already part of the Coldwater Branch figures, just broken out here for convenience.)

	This Month	YTD May	2016	2015	2014
May 2017 Coldwater Branch Seed Exchange	7	171	0	0	0
May 2016 Comparison	0	0			
Year-Over-Year Change					

Selected Graphs















