

NORTON SHORES BRANCH				
Muskegon Area District Library		Lead Librarian:	Alison Purgiel	
Monthly Branch Totals		Month Year:	SEP 2020	
Library Use				
Circulation & Use	Circulation	13,633	(433 public /77 kids)	
	Microfilm	12		
	Computer Use	510		
	New Registrations	60		
	Patron Count	3,573		
Reference Questions	1222			
Machine Assistance	430			
Total	1652			
Additions to Collection				
		Adult	Juvenile	
		Total		
Hardcover	New	463	103	566
	Gift	0	0	0
	Total	463	103	566
Paperback	New	22	72	94
	Gift	0	0	0
	Total	22	72	94
DVDs	New	49	12	61
Audiobooks	New	0	0	0
Music CDs	New	4	2	6
	Total	53	14	67
Conference Room Use				
		Usage	Attendance	
	Individuals	0	0	
	Groups	0	0	
	Total	0	0	
Program Attendance				
		# Programs	Attendance	
Virtual	Children	6	Still deciding	
Virtual	Teens	3	attendance	
	Adults at youth programs	9	stats format	
Virtual	Adults	4	reporting	
Special notes: Number of curbside pickups for September 1-30:			18	
Take it/Make it craft kit pickups Kids (I kit):			125	

Norton Shores Branch
Muskegon Area District Library

Norton Shores City Monthly Report
September 2020

September 2020 found the Norton Shores Branch Library completing our first full month of service without being closed for any building projects. Being open a full month seems to be reflected in the circulation report, as the branch checked out 27% more items in September 2020 than August 2020, and a year ago in September the branch loaned only about 30% more material. The staff are happy to see our community coming back into the Library!

Virtual programming continues into the fall. The bird feeder Take IT/Make IT kids' craft kit for September was extremely popular—it flew out the door! MADL youth staff assemble these kits that come complete with all the supplies to complete a craft at home, and they are a hit with our library users. Please find attached the MADL program newsletter for Fall 2020, along with the Friends of the Norton Shores Library's flyer for September/October 2020 programs. The Friends opted to do a two-page flyer for September/October and November/December, as without the popular spring and fall book sales the Friends want to keep their organization connected with the Library community.

Speaking about the great Friends of the Norton Shores Library, in September they also agreed to donate \$500 towards the City of Norton Shores and Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce project to have an adorable owl sculpture placed in front of the Norton Shores Branch Library. Both the Friends and MADL are excited about the art project.

Respectfully submitted,

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Muskegon Area District Library
CIRCULATION
September 2020

BRANCH ACTIVITY
September 2020

BRANCH	CIRC THIS MONTH	CIRC TO DATE	LAST YEAR CIRC TO DATE	Adult Circ	Juvenile Circ	ILL Sent	ILL Received	Self Checkout	Total Cards Issued	Public Visits	Reference Questions	Volunteer Hours	Computer Sessions	Wi-Fi Sessions	Programs Number	Programs Attend.	MEL Items Received
LVP/DADMIN	3,944	30,522	23,084	3,744	18	182	83	-	34	95	151	-	28	65			161
DALTON	2,624	16,339	26,329	1,528	702	394	409	1,274	5	1,041	266	-	65	73			MEL Items Sent
E-LIBRARY	9,974	110,518	76,443	9,974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			261
EGELSTON	5,614	36,096	58,946	3,467	1,402	745	501	2,722	29	1,287	1,415	-	144	303			
HOLTON	1,544	8,161	11,920	840	425	279	203	-	9	516	245	-	55	241			
MONTAGUE	3,954	19,627	25,719	2,331	1,176	447	469	422	18	1,662	252	-	172	257			
MUSK. HEIGHTS	1,771	13,430	18,981	1,269	258	244	159	32	12	972	106	-	318	717			
MUSK. TOWNSHIP	1,092	5,937	13,980	670	184	238	211	-	4	509	215	-	56	43			
NORTH MUSKEGON	7,940	44,646	77,684	4,522	2,760	658	1,010	4,063	28	3,072	882	-	400	343			
NORTON SHORES	13,633	77,743	160,592	8,617	4,011	1,005	1,346	9,211	60	3,573	1,652	-	510	468			
RAVENNA	3,140	19,559	32,481	1,678	1,016	446	39	803	8	1,420	214	-	202	217			
TOTAL	55,230	382,578	526,159	38,640	11,952	4,638	4,430	18,527	207	14,147	5,398	-	1,950	2,727			
SEP 2019 COMPARISON	60,453	526,159	429,694	42,339	14,298	3,816	3,630	20,017	311	29,270	4,291	73	4,997				1,453

Program statistics are missing.