## 2023 St. Louis County Library Year in Review









233,744 **NEW TITLES** 

DED TO THE COLLECTION



NEW LIBRARY CARDS ISSUED IN 2022

62,101



LIBRARY 3,254,230



**EMEDIA CIRCULATION** 3,300,000+



**NOTARY SERVICES** 16,000+



St. Louis County Library's commitment to serving the region was stronger than ever in 2023. The Community Resource Initiative launched, placing social workers in five St. Louis County Library branches. By the end of 2023, over 500 individuals received assistance with housing, utilities, mental health, food, accessing public benefits and more. SLCL partnered with community organizations to offer new and innovative programs like the Hip Hop Block Party, Potty Training 101, the 44th Annual St. Louis Storytelling Festival and the Community Wellness Hub series with BJC Healthcare.

In 2024, four new bookmobiles will hit the road, offering a diverse selection of materials for students around St. Louis County. Also next year, the new Clark Family Branch will open in Ladue. This stunning, two-story building includes an 800-seat event space, interactive spaces for kids and teens, a Genealogy Center, an outdoor plaza, and much more.









## 2023 Statistics

SLCL Location / Service	Items Circulated	Visits	Program Attendance (Virtual and In-Person)	Collection Size
Bridgeton Trails	217,572	102,160	8,452	55,863
Cliff Cave	440,383	148,272	12,854	60,326
Daniel Boone	1,019,936	357,475	29,064	110,062
Eureka Hills	218,210	74,085	9,049	48,566
Florissant Valley	278,994	263,254	21,471	65,420
Grand Glaize	615,944	241,106	19,158	80,277
Grant's View	804,611	293,088	20,768	101,828
Jamestown Bluffs	124,186	89,622	8,887	36,860
Lewis & Clark	86,821	184,160	8,260	33,541
Meramec Valley	495,378	218,665	15,691	59,874
Mid-County	518,956	326,998	10,897	58,286
Natural Bridge	79,845	130,286	10,855	25,902
Oak Bend	460,551	156,733	14,022	65,860
Parkview	117,955	73,829	7,350	34,406
Prairie Commons	165,075	100,582	10,138	48,469
Rock Road	168,525	117,814	10,054	41,538
Sachs	504,111	179,047	11,308	71,160
Thornhill	566,883	202,000	20,078	77,661
Weber Road	247,141	128,170	16,951	47,432
Adult Services			16,240	
Author Visits			15,048	
<b>Bookmobiles &amp; Outreach Services</b>	514,410	136,884	46,128	91,394
eMedia	3,310,629			297,614
History and Geneology				117,786
Interlibrary Loan Lending	6,897			
MOBIUS & Prospector lending	23,410			
Reference			7,129	
Summer Reading Club			41,519	
Storytelling Festival			11,403	
Training			10,604	
Winter Reading Challenge			12,877	
Youth Services			17,921	
Total for SLCL	11,023,266*	3,524,230	448,532	1,667,721

<sup>\*</sup>Total includes staff circulation at the Beckwith Administrative Building.