



**EXPANDING SERVICES:** The Lawton Public Library continues to expand services to meet the needs of our community. The library added a Professional Development Center (PDC), a legal forms database, more e-books, e-comics, kilowatt monitoring meters to checkout, Playaway Launchpads, online meeting room reservation software, and so much more.



**FY16 Library Factoids**

- 📖 22,000 items were added to the library last year!
- 📖 Over 33,000 ebooks are available for checkout!
- 📖 1,319 children participated in the Summer Reading Program and read over 26,000 books!
- 📖 45% of teens that signed up for Teen Summer Reading Program completed the program!
- 📖 750 people attended 15 Chautauqua programs.
- 📖 There are 3.2 Library Visits Per Capital.
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- 📖 43 teens volunteered during summer 2016 and worked 2,146 hours in 51 days.
- 📖 36 online databases available to our community for research, genealogy, legal forms, auto repair, and much more. These databases had 42,287 searches.
- 📖 The Library has 11 full-time and 12 part-time library employees.
- 📖 The Main Library had over 300,000 and the Branch Library had over 6,200 visits last year.

<b>BOOKS &amp; ITEMS USED</b>	<b>FY14</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>
Checkouts, Main Library	149,194	164,677	181,048
Checkouts, Branch Library	19,196	15,179	11,858
Electronic Books	439	16,852	26,949
<b>Total Checkouts</b>	<b>168,829</b>	<b>196,708</b>	<b>219,855</b>

Interlibrary Loan, Borrowed	1,339	1,446	1,242
Interlibrary Loan, Loaned	1,108	1,211	1,406

<b>CUSTOMERS</b>	<b>FY14</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>
Main Library Customers	37,088	30,762	29,034
Branch Library Customers	1,075	984	756
<b>Total Customers</b>	<b>38,163</b>	<b>31,746</b>	<b>29,790</b>

<b>BOOKS, CDS, DVDs, &amp; MORE!</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>
Total Physical Items in Collection	134,425	128,989

<b>PROGRAMS, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES!</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>
Programs	386	280
<b>Total Attendance</b>	<b>12,692</b>	<b>10,859</b>

**COMPUTER USE**  
 The public computers have been used over 43,232 times.  
 The wireless sessions had over 53,250 uses!

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER (PDC)**

PDC is a place where ideas become reality. It is a maker's space, a business resource center, & an area of dream fulfillment. PDC is a work in progress. More resources will be added as money is available. This section of the library is made possible through the generosity of The Friends of the Library & innovative librarians!

**PARTNERSHIPS**

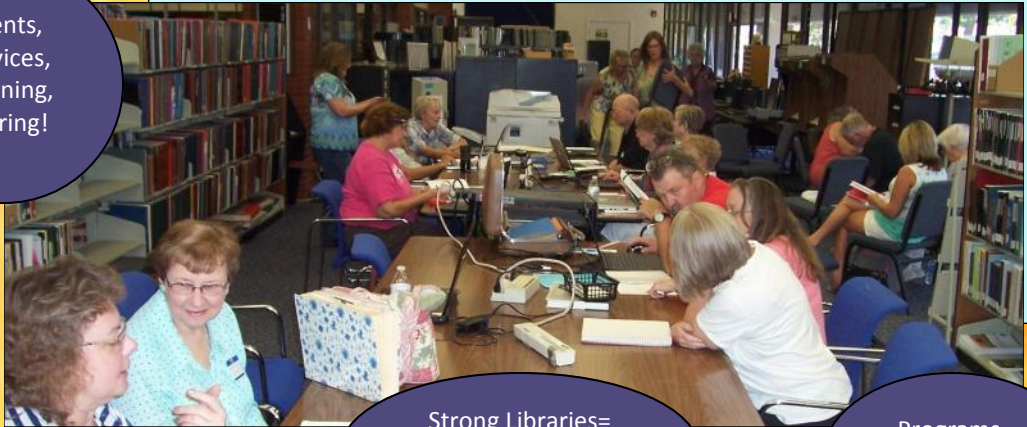
Strong libraries are a key to strong communities. The Lawton Public Library Board of Trustees and the Friends of the Library continue to be vital stakeholders to the library. Healthy funding of the Lawton Public Library is an investment in our community. Be sure to read the monthly newsletter to see what is happening at your library.



# 2016 SNAPSHOT DAY: A TYPICAL DAY IN A LIFE OF LAWTON PUBLIC LIBRARY THROUGH PICTURES!

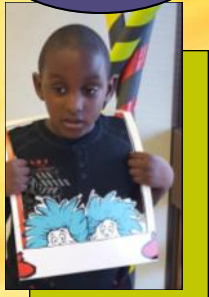
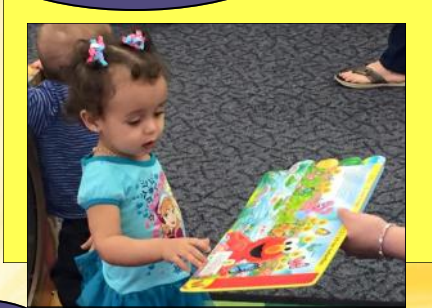


Events,  
Services,  
Learning,  
Sharing!



Strong Libraries=  
Strong Communities

Programs,  
Crafts, Events  
& More!



Family  
Moments



Our  
Communities,  
Our Future

Spaces to  
read, relax,  
meet &  
create!



More than books  
and answers:  
Personal Service!

