

Southampton Branch

Municipality: Saugeen Shores

Population of catchment area: 3,678 (2016 census)

Branch Type: Small

- ARUPLO Definition of small: Branches serving up to 5,000 population.

Assignable library space: 2,540 sq. ft.

- ARUPLO guideline: small branch 2,500 - 5,000 sq. ft.

Hours of Operation: 36.5 (winter) / 39.5 (summer) hours per week

- ARUPLO guideline: Small Branches: 20 -25 hours per week.

Staffing: 2.6 FTE

- ARUPLO guideline for staffing a small branch: 1-2.5 FTE

Collections: 10,116 items

- ARUPLO guidelines: small branch 6,000 - 12,000 items.

Public Internet Stations: 5

- ARUPLO guidelines: small branch 3-5 computers.

Seating (including computer seating): 23 seats

- ARUPLO guidelines: small branch: 15-30 seats.

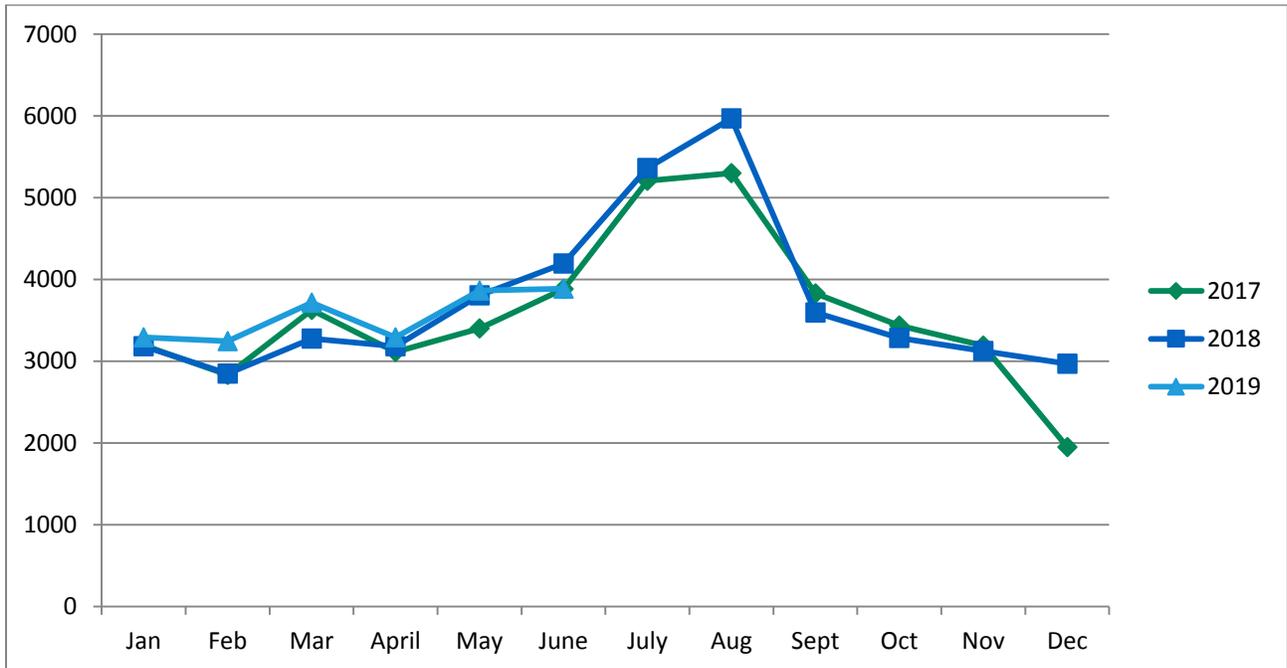
Circulation January - June 2019: 21,301

- 2018: 20,492 transactions

Membership

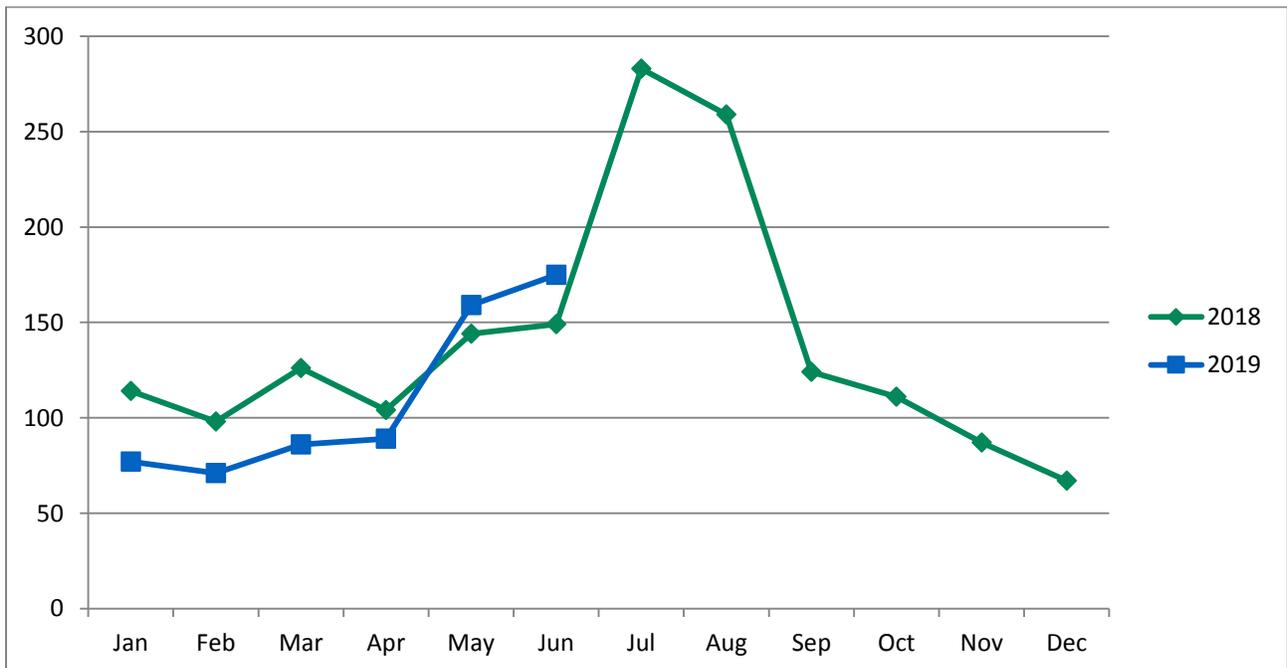
There are **1,911** registered members with active library membership (meaning their card has not expired).

Southampton Circulation 2017-2019 Comparison



Public Internet Use 2018-2019

This chart shows the number of Internet sessions per month on the branch public Internet stations.



Statistics Canada Demographic Data 2016

Saugeen Shores (Town)

Population: 13,715

Private Dwellings: 7,655

Median age of population: 49.5

% of the population aged 0 to 14 yrs: 14.4

% of population aged 15 to 64 yrs: 61.2

% of population aged 65 and over: 27.2

Mother tongue English: 12,410

Mother tongue French: 210

Mother tongue non-official languages: 795

Top non-official languages: German (130); Urdu* (80); Dutch (65); Italian (35); Gujurati* (25)

*Urdu is the official national language of Pakistan.

*Gujurati is an Indo-Aryan language native to the Indian state of Gujarat.