

**Walkerton Branch**

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<b>Early Literacy Programs: Programs for babies, children, and parents that develop pre-reading skills</b>	Story Time	Children build their early literacy skills through reading, talking, singing and playing together. Fifty-two children and caregivers attended this month.
	Baby Time	Babies are introduced to new words and sounds through songs, stories, and rhymes that prepares them to become verbal and inspire a lifetime love for books. Seven babies and parents attended this month.

<b>Community Development: community events, partnered programs with community groups</b>	Annual Walkerton Branch Juried Art Show	The Walkerton Branch and the Brockton Art Committee puts on a juried exhibition each year, which gives local artists the opportunity to show their work and compete for prizes. As well, the public can vote for their favorite work. Fifty-seven people attended the Opening Night and Awards and 120 viewed the show during the two weeks it was open to the public.
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<b>Adult and Senior Programs</b>	Card Making With Bonnie	Patrons made three handmade cards. Seven patrons attend this month's program.
	Volunteer delivery of library material to Brucelea Haven	Each week a volunteer delivers library material to approximately seven residents of Brucelea Haven.

<b>Other Children's and Teens Programs</b>	School class visit to the library	Two grade four and five classes from Saint Teresa of Calcutta School visited the library. They had a tour of the library, received library cards and they all checked out a book. Fifty-one children and their teachers attended.
	STEAM ON! PD Day Activity	Six children made a bird craft out of cloths pegs.
	Beginners Sewing Club	Each week children learn different stitches used in hand sewing. Each week they made a new project to take home with them. Twenty-eight attended this month.

Total Circulation for May	3537 items
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A few of the Walkerton Branch Juried Art Show Winners



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