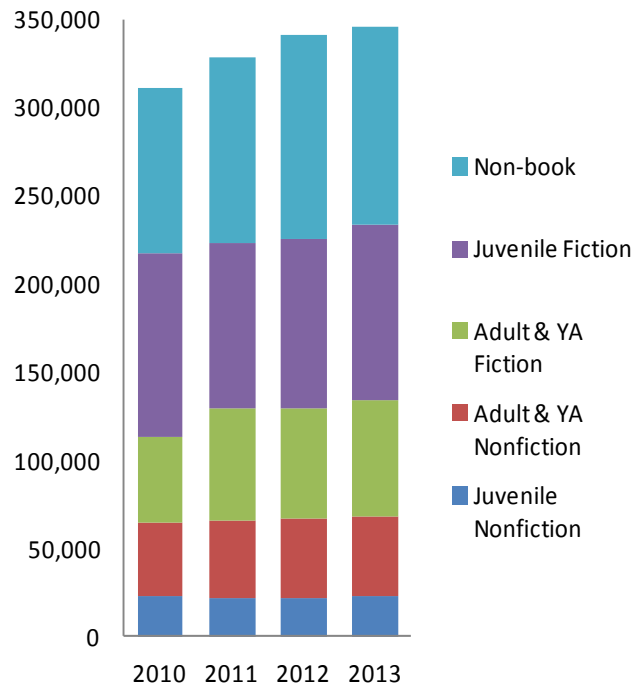


By the Numbers

Upper Dublin Cardholders: 10,672

Library Circulation



LIBRARY STATISTICS

	2011	2012	2013
Days Open	350	352	353
Circulation	327,828	340,705	345,596
Total Visits	195,424	184,288	171,615
Collection Size	116,327	115,006	121,797
Reference Questions	8,916	8,804	9,817
Weekly Computer Sessions	725	574	442
Website Hits	177,154	190,337	195,826
Most 2013 Visits	Wed, May 1	1,079	
Most Items Checked Out in 2013	Mon, July 1	1,904	
Collection Items			
Added in 2013	Withdrawn in 2013		
Books: 10,679	Books: 5,185		
Audio/Visual: 1,840	Audio/Visual: 543		

See the Library's 2010-2013 Strategic Plan:
upperdublinlibrary.org (under About Us)

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Our Mission

The Upper Dublin Public Library enriches the community by inspiring the joy of reading, the discovery of ideas, and the pursuit of information. Driven by the interests of our residents, we provide services in a welcoming, knowledgeable and responsive manner.



The UDPL welcomed several new staff in key positions in 2013. Judy Fraser was promoted to Circulation Manager, Lauren Smyth to Assistant Director and Molly Kane joined the team as UDPL's new Young Adult Librarian. Congrats to them all!



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2013: The Year in Review

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2013 Year in Review

From the Director



If 2012 was a year of renovations, 2013 was one of rejuvenation for the UDPL. The library staff and I had the rare, but exciting, opportunity to update the UDPL's furnishings, artwork, and equipment thanks to the generous support we received from so many of you through the Friends' UDPL—reNEWed! campaign. Every reNEWed

space was designed especially for its intended audience—classic and comfortable furnishings in the reading room; playful and inspiring artwork and toys in the children's area; fun, colorful and mobile seating in our new teen space; and a conference room equipped for presentations and webinars. You're invited to take advantage of all the reNEWed UDPL has to offer! —Cheryl P. Fiory



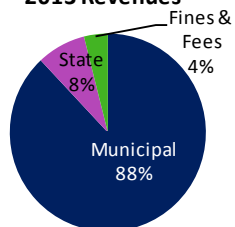
PA One Book, Every Young Child author Suzanne Bloom



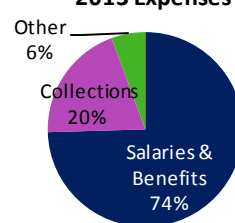
A custom-made arch welcomes children to Kids Place

Finances

2013 Revenues



2013 Expenses



Highlights

- The UDPL hosted several well-attended celebrity author visits during 2013—Garden Expert Mike McGrath on February 18, Governor Ed Rendell on March 20 and former Upper Dublin High School graduate Julie Zauzmer on March 21.



- 2013 saw for the first time over 10,000 downloadable ebooks & audiobooks borrowed by residents (a 16% increase over 2012). In the fall, residents were introduced to Montgomery County's new e-magazine collection, Zinio.

2013 LIBRARY PROGRAMS

	Offered	Attendance
Children	364	11,931
Teen	182	4,554
Adult	138	1,902

Highlights continued

- Thanks to our reNEWed! facility, the UDPL offered new services in the new teen area, including a first time tween-approved book collection and a lab for hosting a monthly Tech Open House.
- The new conference room was made available for use by community groups by appointment.
- Document scanning, much-requested by patrons, was a new service launched in 2013.



Library staff ready to train guests on digital resources at the Open House hosted with the MGCA in October

UDPL Introduces FAMILY PLACE

Family Place represents a new way of thinking about serving our littlest patrons. Children learn language not just through reading books with you, but also through play, using their imaginations and storytelling. In 2013, we introduced a variety of educational toys and activities in our reNEWed children's area and 1-2-3 Play with Me workshops twice annually to inspire this learning. Check it all out with your child today!

