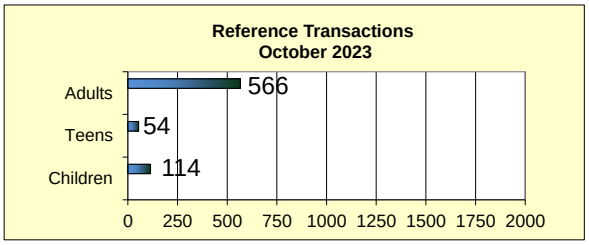
DOVER PUBLIC LIBRARY




*** Electronic Materials include Overdrive & Hoopla starting July 2022**

| Circulation | Oct. '23 | FYTD '24 | Oct. '22 | FYTD '23 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| City of Dover Residents | 11,172 | 42,863 | 10,698 | 44,746 |
| * Electronic Materials | 5,014 | 20,401 | 4,194 | 17,823 |
| Kent County Residents | 10,204 | 39,414 | 7,368 | 31,125 |
| Non-County Residents | 1,420 | 5,569 | 1,358 | 5,286 |
| **New Library Registrations** | | | | |
| City of Dover Residents | 223 | 910 | 264 | 1,073 |
| Kent County Residents | 124 | 647 | 113 | 531 |
| Non-County Residents | 7 | 29 | 4 | 19 |
| **Registered Library Users as of 10/31/2023** | | | **Registered Library Users as of 10/31/2022** | |
| City of Dover Residents | 17,996 | | | 17,315 |
| Kent County Residents | 7,820 | | | 6,560 |
| Non-County Residents | 637 | | | 616 |
| TOTAL | 26,453 | | | 24,491 |
| **Other** | | | | |
| Visitors | 14,554 | 59,804 | 14,339 | 55,353 |
| Meeting Room Attendance | 3,782 | 11,480 | 3,071 | 7,154 |
| Number of Computer Users | 1,956 | 7,314 | 1,586 | 6,574 |
| Number of Wireless Computer Users | 1,609 | 6,432 | 1,521 | 5,965 |
| Inter/Intralibrary - Loaned | 53 | | 32 | |
| Inter/Intralibrary - Borrowed | 74 | | 120 | |
| Holds Sent | 2,712 | | 2,748 | |
| Holds Received | 1,933 | | 1,992 | |
| TOTAL | 4,772 | 20,374 | 4,892 | 20,736 |
| Tech Services/Items Added | 1,647 | | 1,275 | |
| Tech Services/Items Deleted | 572 | | 1,420 | |
| Passport Services/Customers | 194 | 820 | 213 | 791 |
| Passport Services/Revenue | $7,774 | $32,036 | $8,773 | $32,191 |

## Monthly Highlights

►325 attended / viewed 39 programs for adults.
►285 attended / viewed 14 program for teens.
►852 attended / viewed 37 programs for children.
► 0 volunteers.

## Program Spotlight

In Harmony Concert Series: Carlos Erazo




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Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with Carlos Erazo and Ken Schleifer for an afternoon of music from the Andean region of the world. Mr. Erazo, born in Ecuador and steeped in the music of the Andes, is a second-generation musician and feels that music is an infinite world of rhythms, genres, mixtures, influences and styles. He plays play a variety of instruments such as the Quena, Zampoñas, Bombo, Rondador, Charango and more and has shared his music internationally. Ken Schleifer has performed as a drummer/percussionist for many musical organizations around the Delmarva Region and recently retired after 38 years as the elementary instrumental music teacher for the Indian River and Cape Henlopen
School Districts, and now enjoys sharing the joy of making music with his many musical friends.

This program is supported, in part, by a grant from the Delaware Division of the Arts, a state agency, in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts. The Division promotes Delaware arts events at www.DelawareScene.com.