

**Mamie Doud Eisenhower Public Library
Director of Library Services
February 2010 Report**

Statistics (full report attached)

- Circulation continues to grow with an 8% year-to-date increase
- Increase in Interlibrary loan for materials loaned to other libraries is back in the double digits (most of the activity is within FLC)
- Reference activity and program attendance are up from February of '09, but still less for year-to-date. This should even out as the year goes on.
- Internet usage continues to climb with an increase of 49% year-to-date

Programs & Services

- "Champion Kid Power" workshops presented with Healthy Learning Paths has good participation. The year's first two programs were on the flu (with kids looking at germs under a black light) and fruits & veggies (kids made healthy snacks). Programs include useful information for parents and materials to bring home to help continue healthy habits.
- "Camp Half-blood" had teens learning Greek, testing their knowledge of the Olympians, and defeating monsters with swords as they joined Percy Jackson and his demigod friends.
- Adult Services offered a series of programs to help lift people's spirits: Laughter yoga, Are you tired of being tired? Beat the blues naturally.
- "Broomfield Night at the Theatre" to see the world premier of the play, *Eventide* was a memorable experience for those who attended.
- The FLC library catalog can now be accessed via mobile devices at m.boulderlibrary.org. Library patrons can also use our Gale reference databases with the AccessMyLibrary iPhone application.

Administrative

- The City met its 2009 budget projections so there is no need for further budget adjustments at this time.
- The library is in the process of implementing the city's automated financial cash receipt system for the circulation desk and space rentals.
- Facilities is completing a re-keying of the library and soon exterior entry and some interior access will be via employee badges
- Library staff participated in a workshop offered by Imagine! on interacting with individuals with special needs who visit and use the library
- The annual spring volunteer recognition this year will be a special Sunday afternoon concert for volunteers and a guest on April 18