

## Kendal Library Report for 2010

At the end of the year, the Kendal Library had 6179 regular books on its shelves. We lost 50 books in the last year. (Lost means they were missing from the shelves at the end of 2009, and were still missing at the end of 2010. Some are usually found sometime later.) And we discarded 560 books. (These were books that were not being read, and we needed room for new ones (that, hopefully would be read)). We added 335 new books, all donations except for quite a few large print books which we bought. These totals include:

Biography	537
Fiction	1253
Humor	186
For young readers	299
Light fiction	760
Large print	520
Oberlin and Ohio	126
Plays	385
Deweydecimal books	1725
(these consist of history, natural history, science, politics, literary stuff, etc.)	

We also have uncounted Reference books (about 300), uncountable paperbacks (about 2000). We have recent issues of seven newspapers and about a hundred magazines.. Our AV materials include hundreds of audio tapes and CDs and hundreds of videotapes and DVDs. Also, in the library is a computer and a copy machine, and a 19" flat screen magnifying reader, for all to use.

