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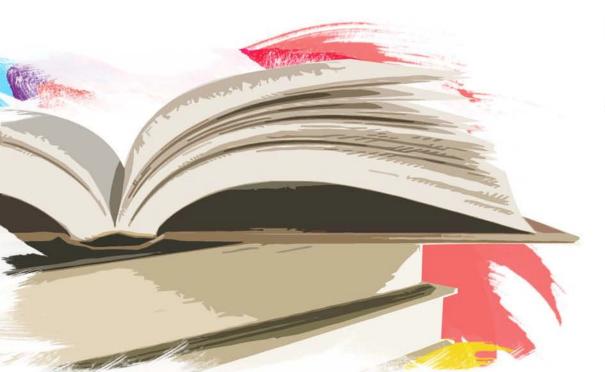
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Introduction



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The purpose to publish the Directory of Public Libraries in Sarawak is to lead users to vital resources for education, commerce, recreation and cultural development by providing information on library resources, staffing and services. This Directory therefore identifies where libraries are, what services and collections they contain, and how and when they may be accessed. By increasing awareness of libraries, this work facilitates their role in defending and promoting democratic participation and freedom of speech, and in ensuring equitable access to information. The Directory also highlights the spread of information and communications technology (ICT) equipment for public access within libraries.

For library professionals the Directory provides comparative information to assist the development and promotion of public libraries as well as promoting co-operation and communication between libraries and their communities, including educational institutions, commerce, industry and health and environmental bodies. It draws attention to library initiatives in adult education and strategies for target audiences, such as people with disabilities, women and young people. For library managers the Directory may help assess how their libraries are performing by showing key performance indicators to enable benchmarking. Finally the illustrations of interiors and exteriors show some examples of public library design.

It is hoped that this publication will help foster networking and cooperation between public libraries and educational institutions, special libraries and other organizations.

This edition provides an introduction to the State, city, town and village libraries across the whole of Sarawak, as well as the mobile libraries that serve communities in over 250 suburban, rural and remote localities. It outlines the functions of public libraries large and small and the resources and services available from your local library and from Pustaka Negeri Sarawak and its regional operation, Pustaka Miri.

This Directory also describes how libraries have developed in Sarawak and how the library system is organized and administered today. It is full of facts and figures that we hope the reader will find both informative and stimulating.

In the Directory section, entries are arranged by the administrative Division in which the libraries are located. In each Divisional entry the main library comes first, followed by the subsidiary libraries in alphabetical order, followed by mobile library information where applicable.

The Directory is based on information provided by the senior staff of the libraries concerned, who also made available photographs of their libraries. The Directory will be updated periodically and new information; corrections and comments are always welcome.

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Glossary, Abbreviations & Symbol

BDA Bintulu Development Authority

DBKU Dewan Bandaraya Kuching Utara

Kuching North City Hall

ICT Information and Communications Technology

KASKA Kementerian Alam Sekitar dan Kesihatan Awam

Ministry of Environment and Public Health, Sarawak (MOEPH)

KKTPK Kementerian Kerajaan Tempatan dan Pembangunan Komuniti

Ministry of Local Government and Community Development

MBKS Majlis Bandaraya Kuching Selatan

Kuching South City Council

PDSI Perpustakaan Desa Siber Ilmu (village library with ICT facilities

and Internet connection). These libraries were established with

Federal funds under the 8th Malaysia Plan.

PNM Perpustakaan Negara Malaysia

National Library of Malaysia

PUSTAKA Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Sarawak State Library established under the Sarawak State

Library Ordinance, 1999

SAINS Sarawak Information Services Sdn Bhd

SP Special Project village libraries established under a national

village library programme funded with the Federal operational

budget.

USP Universal Service Provision (a library project whereby existing

village libraries are upgraded with advanced ICT facilities. The Federal Ministry of Energy, Water and Communications (EWC) and the Malaysia Communication and Multimedia Commission

(MCMC) financed these projects.

Generic library logo that so being used statewide as standard of road signage to denote location of a public library. In this example, the distance of the road signange bearing the logo is 500m from the library.



THE PUBLIC LIBRARIES



How Public Libraries Have Developed In Sarawak

How public libraries have developed in Sarawak by Dr. David J. Jones MA(Oxon), Dip Lib PhD (unsw), AALIA

Rich traditions

The largest State of Malaysia, Sarawak has a colorful history, much of which is still not recorded in print. The written record is relatively scant, and much painstaking work awaits the historian. For indigenous cultures the record was primarily oral and visual, not written. Tales were handed down from one generation to the next. They were told in the longhouse or around the campfire. Tales of heroic exploits, of myths and legends, of superstition. Iban 'folk tales, dances, even epics were half-narrated, half-sung on the longhouse verandahs at night'. (Bullis 1996, 45) In the Malay community legends and romantic tales were told by 'reciters' who were celebrated in their community for their ability to bring their stories alive in the imaginations of their listeners. (Brooke 1913, 157) For Muslims readers and listeners alike shared the special significance of the Koran. Naturally for Muslims there was a long written tradition. (Bullis 1996, 54)

In many ways the oral traditions may have suffered over the years from the appeal of more technological forms of communication and entertainment. Ironically new technology is keeping alive some of the traditions and collective knowledge, through oral history programmes, digital recordings, electronic mail and the Internet. These in turn will form part of the historical resource upon which future historians will rely and which will gradually become available to a wider audience than the most inventive reciters could ever have imagined.

The Brookes and their Books

The first major influx of printed material to Sarawak came in the 1840s with James Brooke, the first Rajah, and the European officers in his employ. Reading was a popular pastime among the colonial officers, and they exchanged books and passed on rather stale issues of the Times when they periodically reported back to Kuching. (Ward 1966, 38)

Missionaries brought reading matter of a different description: Bibles, prayer books and tracts. When she arrived in 1848, Harriette, wife of the Anglican mission priest (and later Bishop) Francis McDougall, came armed with a dictionary to help her converse with at least some of the local population.

James Brooke's first residence boasted a substantial library. (Ho 1998, 11) 'When ships came in', one source relates, 'there were usually some boxes of books for him, and then he would close himself up in his library and read far into the night.' (Payne, 1986: 68) When a more substantial house replaced the bungalow, an even larger room was needed for the library, which by that time covered a wide range of subjects. The Rajah allowed members of the English community in Kuching to borrow from it. Harriette McDougall described the Rajah's library as 'a treasure indeed in the jungle; books on all sorts of subjects, bound in enticing covers, always inviting you to bodily repose and mental activity or amusement, as you might prefer. This library, so dear to us all because we were all allowed to share it.' (McDougall 1882, 17).

We can now only imagine the library and its contents, for it fell victim to arsonists during the 1857 insurrection. Harriette McDougall witnessed its demise from the Mission House on the other side of the Sarawak river. 'It took two days to burn. I watched it from our library over the water, and saw the mass of books glowing dull red like a furnace, long after the flames had consumed the wooden house. It made one's heart ache to see it.' (McDougall 1882, 17)

The Mission House library

Mrs McDougall's vantage point when she witnessed the demise of James Brooke's library was a room in the first Mission House, which had its own library. (McDougall 1882, 30) Now known as the Bishop's House, this is Kuching's oldest surviving building, but much renovated over the years. It also had a print room with an asphalt floor to keep white ants at bay. Here the Bishop set up a printing press in order to print schoolbooks and Dayak translations of the Gospels. (Saint 1992, 130, 146) The translation of religious works into indigenous languages has continued, right down to the present. The first-ever Catholic catechism in the Bidayuh Bukar-Sadong language was published in 1999. (Lim, 1999) Such works are now seen as having the twofold effect of informing those who follow that faith, and of maintaining the relevance of indigenous languages.

French novels and local customs

In 1870 a new residence was built for the Rajah, and was the first part of the present Astana (or palace). It was the first substantial brick building constructed in Kuching. (Ho 1998, 28) It too had a library, with books which the Rajah had purchased, and many items donated by some of his old school and college chums who had heard about the fate of his original collection. (Chater 1994, 21)

Charles Brooke, who became Rajah in 1868, was also very fond of reading. He particularly enjoyed French novels, which he sometimes read aloud to himself or to his French valet. (Payne 1960, 128) During his long reign much more serious work was done on botany, ethnography, anthropology. His officers were encouraged to take an interest in the manners and customs of the peoples of Sarawak, and in wildlife and the natural environment. Notable among them was Charles Hose, Resident of the Third Division, who published a major two-volume work covering every imaginable aspect of Borneo and its peoples. Another Resident, D. J. S. Bailey compiled the first Iban dictionary, whilst C. A. Bampfylde collaborated with Sabine Baring-Gould on a history of Sarawak. Many others contributed articles on local customs, linguistics, wildlife and ecology to journals such as the Sarawak Gazette . (Crisswell 1978, 121-122)

The Sarawak Gazette

The Government Printing Office was established in 1870, and one of its first publications was the Sarawak Gazette, a pet project of Charles Brooke. It is now an essential source of historical information on Sarawak affairs. It contains source material on economic history, coastal trade returns, commodity prices, agricultural information, mineral and oil production statistics, anthropology and archaeology. (Loh 1993)



A Subscription Library

In the days of Rajah James and Rajah Charles there was little awareness of the need for wider availability of printed materials for the general public - in fact literacy among the Sarawak population was not high. In the early 1870s a private subscription library did start up. The Sarawak Library and Reading Room, as it was known, was open only to people able to afford the entrance fee and to be approved as members.

It followed the pattern of private subscription libraries in the English-speaking world in the nineteenth century, generally serving 'gentlemen' with English and American books and magazines, and trying to survive on their subscriptions, on income from hiring out rooms and more often than not on a government subsidy.

Library provision by the government was not then a high priority, although in the early days of the twentieth century the need for books was beginning to be felt keenly in schools and in the literate community. Local book production was modest, although examples survive from as early as the 1870s. The earliest surviving book edited, printed and published in Kuching is Waiting for the tide: or, scraps and scrawls from Sarawak written by W. M. Crocker and others and published in 1875. A Chinese man who had been educated at the Mission School, perhaps helping Bishop McDougall with his press, printed it. This work has now been digitized and can be seen on the Pustaka Negeri Sarawak website.

New books arriving in Sarawak were such an event that they were listed in the Sarawak Gazette. (Payne 1960, 166) Even if the need for library services had been acknowledged, there were certainly huge logistical problems: Sarawak's size - 124,800 square kilometres - and widespread population - with five thousand rural settlements - were distinct handicaps for state-wide library development.

The Sarawak Museum

In other respects Kuching itself was well provided with facilities, at least for its wealthy and expatriate community. By the turn of the twentieth century it had a population of twenty thousand and could boast a golf course, social clubs and racecourses. There were also mosques, temples, churches and schools of different denominations. And during this period there flourished a jewel in the cultural and scientific crown of Sarawak: its Museum, the brainchild of Charles Brooke.

The Sarawak Museum now has superb collections of ethnographic materials, arts and crafts, natural history and exhibitions of Sarawak's history and prehistory. For many years the Museum was the State's foremost institution of higher learning because of the range of research projects which it conducted or supported. Since 1911 it has published the Sarawak Museum Journal, a highly respected international journal of Borneo research.

Today the Museum also plays an important role in protecting Sarawak's heritage, having jurisdiction in the export of antiques and the protection of significant sites such as the Niah Caves and the Satang Island Turtle Sanctuary.

The British Council

A public reading room, initially used mainly by the European population, was a feature of the Museum in the 1920s and 1930s, but like the rest of the Museum, it was neglected during the difficult years of the Depression and suffered further during World War II. The reading room was revived and became known as the Sarawak Library after the War. It was subsequently adopted by the British Council, which breathed new life into its services and collections, and it became familiar to Kuching's keen readers, particularly in the 1950s and 1960s. In those decades educational opportunities for indigenous Sarawakians began to improve, and for the most talented studying at the library was a prelude to higher studies at Commonwealth universities. The British Council extended its services beyond Kuching, opening a library in Sibu and lending boxes of books to schools and specially selected materials to teachers across the State.

Sarawak Government Library (the working library of the Museum)

In the meantime the working library of the Museum, sometimes referred to in the colonial period as the Sarawak Government Library, had also suffered losses during the War, but efforts were made to replace missing volumes and to reorganise it. In 1950 an archives section was established, and its reference collections on Borneo and South-east Asian area were bolstered by ensuring that material printed and published in Sarawak was deposited for preservation under the Printers and Publishers Ordinance, 1950. This would be extended in succeeding decades by the Local Newspapers Ordinance, 1958, the Sarawak Museum (Deposit Library) Ordinance, 1961, and the federal Preservation of Books Act in 1966.

In this way the Museum collection became for many years the de facto state library collection, holding major archival resources from the Brooke era, the Sarawak Gazette and Sarawak Government Gazette, as well as closed files and records of various state and local government bodies, and reference works on Borneo and the region. (Chin et al 1983, 8)

A public library scheme

In 1955 the colonial authorities approved funds to establish libraries throughout Sarawak, though due to the spread of the population and the remoteness of many settlements progress was very slow - even today some remote libraries can only be reached by helicopter, and many are cut of by land or by water during periods of exceptionally high or conversely low rainfall. (Sarawak Annual Report 1955 p 75) The British Council was actively involved in library development, and the private sector was also supportive. In the 1950s and early 1960s Shell presented its 'Shell Longhouse Libraries', small collections of popular works in simplified English, to many villages in Sarawak. In 1962 the Carnegie Corporation of New York donated a collection of 350 works to the Sarawak Central Library, as it was then known. (Sarawak Annual Report 1957, p. 70 and 1960, p 95)

By the end of the colonial period, the Sarawak Central Library contained more than 35,000 volumes in English, Chinese and Malay. There were local libraries in Miri, Sibu and Simanggang (now Sri Aman). The central library also supplied books on bulk loan to 25 other service points. The British Council was also active, lending films, books and mounting exhibitions. (Sarawak Annual Report, 1961, p. 93; Kueh 1998a, p. 4)

Libraries after Federation

With the entry of Sarawak into the Federation of Malaysia in 1963 responsibility for education passed to the Federal Government, and libraries became the responsibility at the State level of the Sarawak Ministry of Local Government (later known as the Ministry of Environment and Tourism and now the Ministry of Environment and Public Health (Kementerian Alam Sekitar dan Kesihatan Awam or KASKA for short)). (Kueh 1994a, 4) Development of library services continued. Kuching Municipal Council began to operate its own library service in Jalan P. Ramlee, next door to the Sarawak State Library (Perpustakaan Negeri Sarawak), which had changed its name from Sarawak Library in 1970. The Kuching Municipal Council library was itself handed over to Kuching North City Hall (Dewan Bandaraya Kuching Utara or DBKU for short) when the municipal authorities were restructured in 1989.

By the late 1980s and early 1990s there was growing recognition that if they were strengthened, public libraries could contribute even more to the educational, economic and social development of the State.

In little more than ten years library membership across the State had more than doubled. Between 1982 and 1992 the number of books lent almost tripled from 800,000 to 2.3 million.

The Parker Report

In 1990 a consultant, Stephen J. Parker, was engaged to study and review the public library framework and development in Sarawak. He reported difficulties in meeting demand for library materials, especially in rural areas, and a lack of resources in Bahasa Malaysia. He noted that only twelve of the 235 non-manual staff working in libraries had professional qualifications. He recommended bigger collections, a new State Library headquarters, major regional libraries and more libraries throughout the State. (Parker 1990)

Expert follow-up

In 1994 a Technical Working Group was formed by the Sarawak Ministry of Environment and Tourism, under which the Sarawak State Library then operated. Its report, prepared by the then Sarawak State Librarian, Johnny Kueh, also highlighted the disparities between urban and rural library provision, and described shortcomings in the information infrastructure. Lack of coordination was a contributory factor, as responsibilities for various library sectors were fragmented. The Federal government was responsible for school libraries; individual institutions for university and college libraries; certain local authorities for some public libraries; State and Federal instrumentalities for their own departmental libraries; and the private sector for private libraries. The Ministry itself was responsible for the State Library, for grants for local library buildings, for bulk loan collections, for basic library training, for postal lending to individuals in remote areas, for mobile library services and for many village library services where the local authorities lacked the resources to establish them. (Kueh, 1994b)

It was true that every district in the State had at least one urban service point, but there were ten districts which still did not have any rural service points at all. Lending was widespread, but more advanced library services, such as reference and research services, were non-existent except in the major centres where the limited numbers of professional staff were concentrated. (Kueh 1994b)

Rural services

In semi-rural areas served by good roads, the State Library had introduced mobile libraries in 1990, with funding assistance from the Federal Government. The first mobile library served Kuching's outlying suburbs, and was soon followed by mobile libraries based in Sarikei, Sri Aman, Sibu, Miri and Samarahan, all operating within a radius of fifty kilometres from their urban library bases. More village libraries had also been set up to respond to the reading needs of rural folk. Village libraries were a collaborative effort between the State Library, local authorities and village library committees. The State Library gave technical advice on the setting up and running of village libraries, lent library materials in bulk at regular intervals, and trained attendants. The local council paid for the maintenance of buildings, furniture, magazines and newspapers, and the attendants' allowances. For its part, the village library committee (usually the village headman, the school principal and some village elders) provided a suitable building free of charge and was responsible for the day to day running of the library.

End of an era

The British Council library, which had provided excellent service to keen students and scholars in Kuching for many years, was scaled down in 1996. This was part of a worldwide British Council move to support thriving local public libraries and to focus its own reference and information services in Kuching on information relating to Great Britain. Some of the former British Council collections were handed to the local authorities in North and South Kuching, with some specialised resources going to the Medical Services Department and the Sarawak Development Institute.

Library Division, Ministry of Environment and Public Health (KASKA)

As well as its Kuching operations in Jalan P. Ramlee and the Civic Centre, in the 1990s the Library Division of KASKA was staffing mobile library services, providing bulk loans to public libraries outside Kuching, and staffing some village libraries. It also reached out to the community in a number of other ways, promoting reading and stimulating library use through a number of well-publicised programmes. These included awards for outstanding village libraries, a Braille Reading Competition (in conjunction with the Sarawak Association for the Blind) and an annual fact-finding competition, with questions set by the Library and answers to be found in works held in libraries.

There were regular seminars, talks and lectures for staff, mathematics quizzes, physics competitions, exhibitions of works by Sarawakian authors, reading and storytelling competitions. All these helped to keep the Library in the public eye.

In 30th September 2011, KASKA was renamed Ministry of Local Government and Community Development.

Information technology developments

The Library began its automation programme in 1995, providing technical staff with access to shared cataloguing data and reference staff with access to international bibliographic databases. Progress was been aided by the inception of Jaring (Jaringan Ilmu or Knowledge Network) in 1994, pioneered by the National Library of Malaysia and the Malaysian Institute of Microelectronic Systems (MIMOS). (Shukor, 1994; Wira Abadi, 1996) The official home page of the Library Division, and its Internet services were launched in December 1997.

Foundations for progress

In numerical terms the progress made in the last two decades of the twentieth century was remarkable. In 1980 there were no mobile libraries - by 1999 there were six. There were eleven village libraries in 1980, compared with 145 in 1999. The twenty public, State and council libraries in 1980 had grown to fifty in 1999. Items borrowed from public libraries increased sevenfold between 1980 and 1998, and library membership had increased likewise. In a short span libraries had come a long way. But the time had come for even the big steps of the 1990s to be transformed into a giant leap. A new century and a new millennium would demand much more access to information.

A giant leap

On the night of 31 December 1999, a huge crowd of citizens and invited guests, and via the electronic media a state-wide audience, were enjoying a spectacular introduction to the New Year on a landscaped site at Petra Jaya, just north of the Sarawak River at Kuching. The dawn of the new millennium was marked by the opening of a state of the art state library and information technology centre, representing a new benchmark in library services for the people of Sarawak. This library, established under the Sarawak State Library Ordinance, 1999, has the official title of Sarawak State Library or its equivalent in Bahasa Malaysia - Pustaka Negeri Sarawak.

The philosophical foundation of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak was eloquently expressed in the words: 'A knowledge and information-based society needs a forum for intellectual exchange among its people, a centre of enlightenment where minds can meet and ideas interact, and access to information, knowledge, technologies and cultures available beyond the superficial boundaries imposed by geography.' This is a holistic vision of the role of the public library in society, which in the case of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak has been honed to the broad but succinct vision: 'To be the reservoir and fountain of information and knowledge to the State'.

Translated into more concrete terms, this meant providing state of the art facilities for easy and real time access to information and knowledge with the objective of creating an excellent resource centre and information hub for the region. The new facility was intended to be inclusive, ensuring that all individuals in the State have ready and easy access to information and knowledge.

Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is thus conceived as a major information resource centre and as the hub of information services for the public and private sectors. It is intended to link with libraries, archives and information centres elsewhere in Sarawak and throughout Malaysia. It also provides a gateway into and from publicly accessible international information centres. Its complex is intended to serve as a community centre of knowledge and cultural enlightenment, where Malaysians in Sarawak can not only access a vast store of information in the form of printed and electronic media, but also gather for educational and cultural exchanges, programmes and to participate in many other regular activities.

Set within a park, which includes the State Mosque and the Minaret Gardens on the western side, Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is a place of learning and reflection. Within its evocative exterior lies a library of the 21st century, a perfect marriage of the 'frozen music' of architecture and the marvels of information technology. Its landscaped surroundings provide a timeless link to nature and the environment of Sarawak. Around the lake cluster areas for public performances, picnics, space for children to play, a scenic drive, walkways and bicycle lanes surrounded by trees, shrubs and flower gardens.

More than six years of detailed planning and careful construction went into this remarkable project. The new 13,000 square metre facilities set in a landscaped park and fronting an artificial lake, were officially opened by the Chief Minister, YAB Pehin Sri Haji Abdul Taib Mahmud. It was fitting that the Chief Minister should perform this ceremony, as he had been a most enthusiastic supporter of the new library project ever since it had first been proposed.

Equally fittingly, it was the former State Secretary, Tan Sri Haji Hamid Bugo who had accepted the new role of Chairman of the Board of Management of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak: as State Secretary he had done much to initiate official action on the new project and took a very close interest in every detail of the planning and design of the new facility.

A third key figure in the project was also there that night: YB Datu Wilson Baya Dandot, the former State Secretary, who first as Director of the State Planning Unit and then as Deputy State Secretary, had been very active during the planning, design and construction stages.

Under the guidance of its Chief Executive Officer, Puan Rashidah Haji Bolhassan and an enthusiastic staff, Pustaka Negeri Sarawak has become a true 'fountain of knowledge'. This phrase has captured the imagination and is still widely applied to this very popular building. Its realisation was of course the result of a massive team effort. It was a landmark, not just in physical terms, but also as a demonstration of library design principles, of cooperation across sectors – federal, state and local authority – and of innovative services and facilities. A detailed account of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is provided in Fountain of knowledge, which was published in 1999.

Further progress

Progress in library development was by no means limited to the State capital. As the new state library progressively became operational, electronic services made possible by the pioneering work of Sarawak Information Services (SAINS), steadily reached into more and more distant parts of the State. New libraries sprang up in villages and small towns, and in several localities brand new buildings were constructed to replace older libraries which we no longer able to cope with public demand. In 2002 a regional branch of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak was established at Pustaka Miri, catering for the information and research needs of the Miri community and the neighbouring districts and towns of northern Sarawak.

Under the 8th Malaysia Plan (2001-2005) federal funding was allocated for the development of village libraries with information and communications technology (ICT) facilities. The Perpustakaan Desa Siber Ilmu programme benefited eleven communities across Sarawak.

Another federal funding programme was the Universal Service Provision (USP) strategy, which from 2003 provided village libraries with upgraded ICT facilities. This programme was led by the federal Ministry of Energy, Water and Communications and the Malaysia Communication and Multimedia Commission. In 2005 the federal budget provided funding for a national village library programme and Sarawak benefited from five of these 'Special Project' (SP) village libraries.

Meanwhile, the standard mobile libraries providing access to printed materials in sparsely-populated and remote areas were supplemented by e-Pustaka, a new kind of mobile library to help meet the growing need for electronic library services. Two vehicles, based in Kuching and Lawas, have made available multimedia services and an Internet connection to a very wide range of users to whom such services were previously inaccessible.

As at the end of 2006, there were 228 permanent public library buildings in Sarawak, of which 52 were state, central, district or town libraries, and the remaining 176 were village libraries across the length and the breadth of the State. Since the beginning of the new millennium the number of public library buildings has therefore grown by 33, or by approximately 17 per cent. In addition many existing library premises have been updated or extended, and a significant number have been replaced by completely new buildings, better able to meet public demand and to provide the necessary space and infrastructure for electronic equipment and access to state-wide networks. In addition mobile library services have been supplemented by the two e-Pustaka vehicles mentioned earlier

Thoughts were also turning to the localities where river access was more viable than minor roads and tracks, and ideas for boat-libraries were being floated. Meanwhile even the remotest areas, accessible only by air during much of the year, will soon be in a position to take advantage of satellite technology to access some of the electronic services which town dwellers and those using many new village libraries now take for granted.

Needless to say, it is not in the nature of the people of Sarawak to rest on their laurels. There is still much to do in the extension and development of library and information services. The task of constructing new libraries and upgrading existing ones will continue unabated. Collections required to inform, educate and entertain the intellect will continue to grow. Library promotion will continue to drum up new business, publicising what is available, reinforcing the loyalty of current library users and enlisting the support of new generations of library 'champions' in the community, in government and the educational institutions.

Meanwhile the library professionals will continue to respond to the challenges of modern librarianship. They will update their skills. They will need to ensure that staff of the right calibre are recruited into the profession and are provided with the right education in the traditional craft and the new skills needed to meet the information needs of the communities which they will be serving.

As they seek to develop and improve their library services, library managers will also be able to benefit from the experiences of others by making contact with colleagues whose libraries are featured in this publication. By examining the statistical information - in particular the key performance indicators - they can go some way towards benchmarking their own libraries against those in other parts of the State.

Libraries of course do not exist in isolation. They are part of their communities, and their communities are part of them. They depend on the support of their communities and in return libraries support the communities which nourish them. Smart and well-patronised public libraries betoken a smart and well-informed community. Libraries are a golden thread running through the development of an advanced nation: as vital as the DNA which makes up every living thing on this planet. In real libraries of bricks and mortar, and in virtual libraries carried in the ether, we mine the data, we identify the information, and enable our users to gain knowledge and share in the wisdom of the world in ways our parents would never have dreamt of. In the next chapter we shall learn a little of how Sarawak's public libraries, these fountains of knowledge, operate today and what they can offer their users.

How Public Libraries Operate And What They Do

How public libraries operate and what they do

People using their local libraries in a village, town or city, are naturally most interested in what the libraries contain, how the library staff can help them and what computer equipment they can use. They are probably unaware of the different authorities, federal, state and local, which have worked together to create state-wide library services for people to use and enjoy. The previous chapter told how the library system came about and in this chapter we shall learn a little more about who currently does what to provide public library and information services across the length and breadth of Sarawak. There are also some facts and figures about Sarawak's public libraries and an outline of the services which they offer.

Federal Government role

At the federal level, funding for a number of public library programmes has been made available to the State Government for many years through the National Library of Malaysia (Perpustakaan Negara Malaysia). One of the National Library's roles, as required by the National Library Act (Amendments) 1987, Part II Section 4(2)(h), is to ensure that a nationwide system of libraries which meet national standards is available to the public. This is achieved in a number of ways, as mentioned in the previous chapter. The 2005 federal budget, for example, funded a national programme under which five Special Project (SP) village libraries were constructed in Sarawak. Ongoing responsibility for these village libraries now lies with Pustaka Negeri Sarawak. Under another federal initiative, as part of the 8th Malaysia Plan, eleven village libraries with advanced information and communication technology (ICT) facilities were established under the Perpustakaan Desa Siber Ilmu (PDSI) programme.

In a separate initiative extending through a number of phases, just over a hundred village libraries benefited from enhanced ICT facilities under a Universal Service Provision (USP) programme financed by the federal Ministry of Energy, Water and Communications and the Malaysia Communication and Multimedia Commission.

Federal funding has also made possible the commissioning of a number of mobile libraries, serving outlying areas with too small or scattered a population to justify a permanent library building. Day to day management of the standard mobile libraries services and e-Pustaka is in the hands of the Sarawak Ministry of Environment and Public Health and Pustaka Negeri Sarawak respectively, with the cooperation of local councils.

State Government initiatives

At the State level involvement with public libraries occurs under several legislative provisions. Pustaka Negeri Sarawak, the state library in Kuching, and its regional branch Pustaka Miri, come within the ambit of the Chief Minister's Department. Pustaka Negeri Sarawak operates under two Ordinances: the Sarawak Information Technology and Resources Council Ordinance, 1999 and the Sarawak State Library Ordinance of the same year. Under this legislation the Chief Executive Officer, reporting to a Board of Management, is responsible for the headquarters at Pustaka Negeri Sarawak in Kuching and for Pustaka Miri.

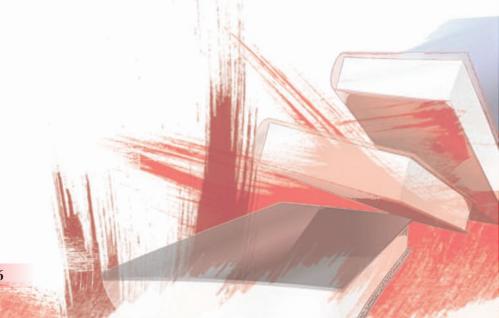
The role of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is to provide timely, accurate, relevant and accessible information in different formats, the essential ingredients for the healthy economic and social development of a State and its citizens. This library is charged with developing and contributing to relevant bibliographic databases, with particular reference to materials published within Sarawak. It is developing as the hub of information services in Sarawak and participates in national and international networks of libraries and information services. In its premises it aims to provide an educational environment, with programmes and exhibitions to increase awareness of the importance and potential of information services and to teach information and research skills.

As well as its in-house and electronic operations, Pustaka Negeri Sarawak also has responsibility for twenty-three Special Project (SP) village libraries established with federal operational funds (2005-2006) and two mobile electronic library vehicles, based in Kuching and Lawas, which provide access to the multimedia and Internet to users in more remote parts of these regions.

In addition to providing direct services to its members, Pustaka Negeri Sarawak also contributes to the development of public libraries across the State. There are responsibilities for preparing standards and guidelines for public library services. Experienced staff provide advice and assistance to colleagues in city, town and village libraries. The sharing of access to electronic and printed library resources is encouraged and facilitated by electronic initiatives, including electronic information available through the Pustaka Negeri Sarawak website. Support is given for promotional and outreach activities, including assistance with information literacy programmes. Specialised training is provided for staff from public libraries run by local authorities.

Staff from Pustaka Negeri Sarawak also act as advocates for projects to upgrade and develop public libraries, which involves making submissions to and negotiating with federal agencies including the National Library of Malaysia (Perpustakaan Negara Malaysia) and the Ministry of Energy, Water and Communications (Kementerian Tenaga, Air dan Komunikasi, KTAK). Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is subsequently involved in ensuring that financial requirements are met for the purposes of reimbursement of project funds by the federal government. The efforts made by Pustaka Negeri Sarawak have borne fruit in the years since its establishment, with a significant number of new and upgraded town and village libraries, as well as other programmes benefiting from federal funding.

Among other core functions of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is the role of 'State Depository'. Under Sarawak law publishers must provide copies of items first published in Sarawak to the Library, facilitating the building of a significant collection relating to Sarawak's heritage. In addition Pustaka Negeri Sarawak has an important role in the preservation of the manuscript and archival heritage of the State. It offers advisory services on archives and records management to Sarawak government departments and instrumentalities. In many instances Pustaka Negeri Sarawak is providing accommodation for significant heritage archives, arranging their organisation and description along international archival principles and ensuring the optimum physical conditions for their preservation.



Also at a State level is the Library Division of the Ministry of Environment and Public Health, Sarawak (Kementerian Alam Sekitar dan Kesihatan Awam or KASKA for short), which is based in a building in Jalan P. Ramlee formerly occupied by a previous incarnation of the State Library. This Division is responsible for a junior reference library with a reading room in Kuching as well as 17 village libraries and seven book mobile libraries provided under the 7th Malaysia Plan. The village libraries are operated in cooperation with local authorities. The mobile services, which provide a range of printed resources, are based at Kuching (serving parts of Kuching, Bau and Serian), Samarahan, Sri Aman, Sarikei, Sibu, Mukah and Miri. The mobile libraries operate in areas of the State where populations are too scattered or too small to justify permanent library buildings.

In addition this Division purchases, processes and provides bulk loans of books to the local authority public, mobile and village libraries within its jurisdiction. It also monitors the operations of these libraries and offers advice on planning and development when required.

Local authorities

At the local government level public libraries are generally managed by the local authority, which may be a district, municipal, rural district or city council. Local authorities operate under several ordinances. There are 43 Divisional and District libraries and 149 public and village libraries operating under Section 131(g) (i) of the Local Authority Ordinance, 1997.

Three authorities operate under separate legislation. DBKU operates a city library and eleven community libraries under the Local Authority Ordinance 1996 and the DBKU (Library) By-Laws, 2002. The Bintulu Development Authority (BDA) operates a main library and three branch libraries. MBKS operates a public reference library. In most cases there is a main or central library, sometimes with district libraries or branches around an urban area, and often with an extensive number of village libraries.

A complete table showing all of the public library operations and their administering authorities is provided in Appendix 1. Contact information for local authorities is given in Appendix 2.

What public libraries do

Although the dominant purpose of public libraries is to provide lending and information services for their local communities, their role is broadening to embrace a social as well as educational function. Libraries are becoming the hubs of their communities. They are places where people are free to come and go, to interact with their fellow citizens, or to join in group discussions or events. Public libraries are for people of all ages, of all backgrounds and of all degrees of academic attainment. There really is something for everyone at the library.

Collections of books, sets of magazines and newspapers, important government reports and other printed materials are the bread and butter of library operations. 'Circulation' – the library jargon for loans of books and other items – is still a very important part of any public library operation. Circulation figures are very healthy

Behind the scenes skilled library staff are selecting items for particular libraries from the mass of material churned out by the world's printing presses, and organising them so that users can find them. Library staff are making sure that as far as possible they are stocking their shelves with the resources from which their users will gain most benefit. They are selecting items in the key languages of education, business, commerce and day to day communication. They may be making some resources highly 'visible' through online catalogues. They are trying to add to their collections items which reflect a diversity of opinions, the state of knowledge of a particular subject at the time or the heritage and character of a place or an age. In the workplace, from a modest village library to a state of the art information centre, the library staff use their skills to bring their customers and their library resources together, to help them find the right book, journal article or electronic resource for their needs, or the right piece of information, or the right approach to take to research a topic.

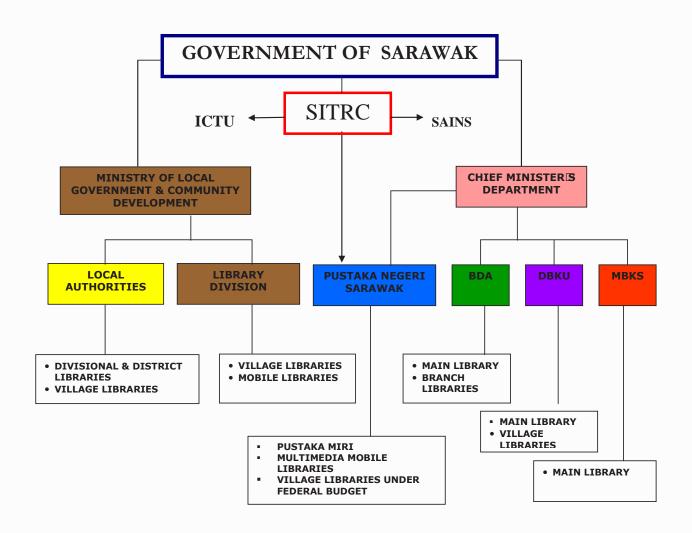
Increasingly information is 'packaged', not in print form, but in an electronic medium – a disk to place in a local machine or a remote data bank to be accessed through a computer. The same helpful guidance is available from library staff, irrespective of formats. Often the full text of an item held elsewhere can be rapidly obtained.

On other occasions items can be borrowed by one library from another – the inter-library loan network at work. No single library can operate in isolation and hope to collect everything which its users might need, so resource sharing is necessary, facilitated by electronic links between libraries.

The following tables illustrate the very heavy demand for access to computers in libraries, shown by the number of bookings and the total of hours during which library clients are using the facilities available. In many cases library staff provide extensive assistance to first-time users, providing formal or informal training in 'information literacy'. Multimedia 'galleries' and children's 'infotheques' bring younger users in particular into contact in an attractive and entertaining way with the information and communications technology which is becoming an increasing part of everyday life and every workplace.

Of course print-based activities are still very important, and storytelling and other activities based on reading such as book clubs, are very popular. As international research has shown, up to date and relevant collections are as important as attractive library buildings and well-trained library staff in promoting the use of libraries by the community.

Statewide Public Library Administrative Chart





Public Libraries In Sarawak

Fast Facts 2010

ORGANIZATION	HR	Collections 2010	Collections Cumulative 2010	Members	Visits	Circulation
Bau District Council	15	5,770	125,863	12,545	73,376	80,828
DBKU	52	45,836	106,514	29,399	41,332	126,706
MBKS	8	189	41,035	-	11,043	-
Lubuk Antu District Council	4	1,116	55,035	4,125	30,801	19,627
Lundu District Council	13	5,971	133,338	21,840	44,735	36,382
Ministry of Environment & Public Health Sarawak, Library Division	40	1,350	62,846	2,884	5,544	34,152
Padawan Municipal Council	44	22,307	328,119	34,264	246,686	266,514
Pustaka Negeri Sarawak (Kuching)	114	2,925	140,509	61,422	246,020	122,004
Samarahan District Council	27	7,610	221,631	12,818	229,725	203,333
Serian District Council	31	3,022	214,465	3,535	64,911	57,760
Simunjan District Council	9	2,607	89,542	10,439	51,079	15,740
Sri Aman District Council	18	1,842	128,390	2,139	79,766	38,137
Betong District Council	14	2,003	82,027	13,645	85,131	51,168
Dalat & Mukah District Council	11	3,114	112,597	20,072	139,766	38,991
Kanowit District Council	13	1,601	142,069	16,012	36,829	27,211
Kapit District Council	17	3,032	188,103	6,282	94,207	52,764
Maradong & Julau District Council	14	6,373	172,979	4,226	69,568	65,689
Matu-Daro District Council	28	4,392	211,888	26,152	127,698	160,249
Saratok District Council	7	2,446	105,705	6,337	41,643	27,518
Sarikei District Council	14	5,381	177,889	11,474	84,043	131,812
Sibu Municipal Council	35	10,574	349,719	57,735	256,906	336,823
Sibu Rural District Council	9	2,585	65,647	3,480	39,382	21,073
Bintulu Development Authority	29	5,016	234,629	37,353	124,890	31,492
Lawas District Council	15	2,170	104,704	7,464	19,800	12,382
Limbang District Council	13	4,725	77,172	9,776	68,509	62,699
Marudi District Council	21	6,619	187,367	12,293	107,914	41,699
Miri City Council	28	16,406	480,540	41,300	358,059	374,345
Pustaka Negeri Sarawak (Miri)	33	2,018	39,664	17,655	59,107	41,176
Subis District Council	9	1,393	17,296	1,948	13,277	10,538
GRAND TOTAL	685	180,393	4,397,282	488,614	2,851,747	2,488,v812

Distribution of Public Libraries In Sarawak





Categories Of Public Libraries In Sarawak

-By Division as at March 2011

KUCHING & SAMARAHAN DIVISION

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
CHIEF MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT	1. Pustaka Negeri Sarawak (Perpustakaan Negeri / State Library) 2. Pustaka Miri (Perpustakaan Wilayah / Regional Branch)*	
THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KUCHING NORTH	1.DBKU*	 Darulhana Patingan Kampung Bako (PDSI)* Kampung Buntal (USP 5)* Kampung Gobil Kampung Pinang Jawa Kampung Salak Kampung Santubong Kampung Senari Kampung Tupong Pusat Sumber Tun Openg Sungai Maong Bandar Baru Samariang (SP 2006-USP 5)* Taman Sepakat Jaya (SP 2006) Masjid Darul Ibadah, Kampung Samariang Lama (SP 2006)*
THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KUCHING SOUTH	1.MBKS	1. Taman D. Everglades, Stutong (SP 2007)
BAU DISTRICT COUNCIL	1.Bau (USP 4)*	 Kampung Apar (USP 5)* Kampung Daun (USP 4)* Kampung Krokong (USP 3)* Kampung Opar (USP 2)* Kampung Sogo (USP4)* Kampung Stass (USP 3)* Kampung Stenggang (USP 3)* Kampung Suduh Singai Kampung Keranji (SP 2005-USP MCMC)*
LUNDU DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Lundu (USP 4)* 2. Sematan (USP 5)*	 Kampung Biawak Kampung Bokah(USP 2)* Kampung Jantan Kampung Pueh (PDSI-USP 5)* Kampung Raso 2 Sebako (USP 3)* Telok Melano (USP 3)*

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
PADAWAN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL	1. Kota Sentosa 2. Padawan	1. Kampung Abang (USP 4)* 2. Kampung Annah Rais 3. Kampung Assum 4. Kampung Bawang (USP 5)* 5. Kampung Bengoh (USP 3)* 6. Kampung Bembok (USP 4)* 7. Kampung Benuk (USP 3)* 8. Kampung Giam Lama (USP 5)* 9. Kampung Mambong (USP 4)* 11. Kampung Matang, Batu 10 (USP 4)* 12. Kampung Matang, Kolong II (USP 4)* 13. Kampung Mundai (USP 3)* 14. Kampung Paroh / Sejijak (USP 4)* 15. Kampung Paya Mebi (USP 4)* 16. Kampung Pelaman Dunuk (USP 5)* 17. Kampung Segedup (USP 5)* 18. Kampung Semadang (USP 5)* 19. Kampung Semadang (USP 5)* 20. Kampung Simpok (USP 4)* 21. Kampung Stabut (USP 5)* 23. Kampung Stabut (USP 5)* 23. Kampung Stapok (USP 4)* 24. Kampung Sungei Riset / Maang 25. Kampung Telaga Air (USP 2)* 26. Pekan Batu Kawa 27. Pekan Beratok (USP 5)* 28. Pekan Siburan (USP 5)* 30. RPR Batu Kawa 31. Teng Bukap (USP 2)* 32. Taman Duranda Mas, Batu 18 (SP 2006) 33. Taman Palma Indah, Matang (SP 2006) 34. Taman Sri Cahaya Tondong (SP 2006) 35. Taman Sri Permai, Batu 10, Landeh (SP 2006)* 36. Taman Sri Muhibbah, Batu 13 (SP 2006)
SERIAN DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Serian (USP MCMC)*	 Balai Ringin (USP 4)* Kampung Baki (USP 4)* Kampung Baru (USP 4)* Kampung Engkeroh (USP 4)* Kampung Koran (USP 4)* Kampung Lebor Kampung Menaul (USP 3)* Kampung Paon Gahat (USP 3)* Kampung Pichin (USP 2)* Kampung Rayang (PDSI-USP MCMC)* Kampung Sungai Menyan (USP 4)* Kampung Taee (USP 2)* Kampung Tebakang (USP MCMC)* Kampung Tebedu (USP MCMC)* Kampung Triboh (USP 4)* Kampung Bunan Gega (SP 2007)

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
SAMARAHAN DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Samarahan (USP MCMC)*	 Kampung Asajaya Hulu (USP 4)* Kampung Asajaya Laut (USP 5)* Kampung Baru (USP 4)* Kampung Entingan (USP 4)* Kampung Empila (USP 2)* Kampung Endap (USP MCMC)* Kampung Jemukan (USP 3)* Kampung Mang (USP MCMC)* Kampung Moyan Laut (USP 3)* Kampung Niup (USP 3)* Kampung Pinang (USP 4)* Kampung Rebak (USP 5)* Kampung Sadong Jaya (USP 4)* Kampung Sambir (USP 4)* Kampung Sampun Kelili (USP 5)* Kampung Sebandi Matang (USP 5)* Kampung Semera (USP 4)* Kampung Tambirat (USP 5)* Kampung Tanjung Apong (USP 3)* Samar Indah (SP 2007) Stakan Jaya (SP 2007)
SIMUNJAN DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Simunjan (USP 5)* 2. Sebuyau (USP 5)*	 Kampung Gedong (USP 4)* Kampung Kesindu (USP 2)* Kampung Lubuk Punggur (USP 2)* Kampung Sebangan (USP 4)*



SRI AMAN & BETONG DIVISION

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
SRI AMAN DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Sri Aman (USP MCMC)*	1. Batu Lintang (USP MCMC)* 2. Lingga (USP 3)* 3. Pantu (USP 4)* 4. Taman Harmoni (SP 2006 - USP 5)*
LUBOK ANTU DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Lubok Antu (USP 3)* 2. Engkelili (USP 3)*	
BETONG DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Betong (USP MCMC)* 2. Pusa (USP 3)* 3. Spaoh (USP 3)*	1.Kampung Beladin PNK 2.Kampung Debak (USP 4)* 3.Kampung Spinang (SP 2006 - USP 5)* 4.Beladin (SP 2006 - USP MCMC)* 5.Meludam (SP 2006)* 6.Kampung Tengah Pusa (SP 2006-USP MCMC)* 7.Layar(SP 2007)
SARATOK DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Saratok (PDSI-USP MCMC)* 2. Kabong (USP 3)* 3. Roban (USP 3)*	1. Kampung Nyabor (USP 3)*



SARIKEI & MUKAH DIVISION

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
MATU DARO DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Matu (USP 5)* 2. Daro (USP 5)* 3. Belawai (USP 5)*	 Kampung Bawang (USP 3)* Kampung Betanak (USP 5)* Kampung Bruit (USP 5)* Kampung Igan (USP 3)* Kampung Jemoreng (USP 5)* Kampung Jerijeh (USP 2)* Kampung Kuala Matu (USP 2)* Kampung Paloh (USP 3)* Kampung Penasu (USP 5)* Kampung Rassau (USP 5)* Kampung Rejang (USP 5)* Kampung Sekaan (USP 5)* Kampung Serdeng (USP 5)* Kampung Serdeng (USP 5)* Kampung Tekajong Kampung Tian (USP 3)* Tanjung Manis (SP 2005-USP5)* Kampung Jemoreng (SP 2007) Kampung Jemoreng (SP 2007)
MUKAH DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Mukah (USP MCMC)* 2. Dalat (USP 3)*	1. Balingian (USP 3)* 2. Oya (USP 3)* 3. Kampung Teh (SP 2007)
SARIKEI DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Sarikei (USP MCMC)*	 Jakar (PDSI/USP MCMC)* Kampung Sungai Pasi (USP 4)* Selalang (PDSI/USP MCMC)* Taman Susur Jambu Indah (SP 2006-USP 5)*
MARADONG & JULAU DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Bintangor (USP 5)* 2. Pakan (USP 5)* 3. Julau (USP 3)*	 Kampung Muara Lebaan (USP5)* Kampung Sepena (USP 5)* KampungTelok Batu Sungai Tulai (USP 5)*



SIBU & KAPIT DIVISION

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
SIBU MUNICIPAL COUNCIL	1. Sibu* 2. Lanang (Grand Height) 3. Sukun	1. Kampung Bahagia Jaya, Teku (SP 2005-USP 4)* 2. Kampung Hilir (SP 2005-USP 4)*
SIBU RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Sibu Jaya*	 Durin (PDSI)* Kampung Bawang Assan (USP 3)* Kampung Rantau Panjang (USP 2)* Selangau
KANOWIT DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Kanowit (USP 5)	 Nanga Dap (USP 5)* Nanga Jagau (USP 2)* Nanga Machan (USP 2)* Nanga Ngemah Nanga Ngungun Nanga Tada (USP 5)* Taman Muhibbah Indah (SP 2006-USP 5)*
KAPIT DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Kapit (USP MCMC)* 2. Belaga 3. Song (USP 4)*	 Nanga Bangkit Nanga Engkuah (USP 2)* Nanga Entawau Nanga Mujong Nanga Temalat (USP 5)* Skim Tunoh (SP 2005) Taman Ixora Indah (SP 2006-USP 5)* Sungai Asap, Belaga (SP 2007)

BINTULU, MIRI & LIMBANG DIVISION

AUTHORITY	TOWN AND DISTRICT LIBRARIES	VILLAGE/COMMUNITY LIBRARIES
BINTULU DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY	1. Pusat BDA (USP MCMC)* 2. Jepak Branch (USP MCMC)* 3. Kidurong Branch (USP MCMC)* 4. Sebauh Branch (USP 4)* 5. Tatau Branch (USP MCMC)*	
MIRI CITY COUNCIL	1. Miri* 2. Lutong (USP 4)* 3. Piasau (USP 5)* 4. Taman Tunku (USP 5)*	

SUBIS DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Batu Niah (USP 5)* 2. Bekenu (USP 5)*	 PD Kampung. Kuala Nyalau (USP 2)* Kampung Tegageng (SP 2007)
MARUDI DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Marudi	 Bario Beluru (PDSI-USP MCMC)* Long Bedian (USP 3)* Long Bemang (USP 3)* Long Jegan (USP 2)* Long Kevok Long Lama (PDSI-USP MCMC)* Long Laput (USP 3)* Long Loyang (USP 3)* Long Miri/Pelutan (USP 3)* Long Panai Long San (USP 2)* Long Terawan (USP 3)* Ulu Teru (USP 3)* Kampung Puyut (SP 2007)
LIMBANG DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Limbang (USP MCMC)*	 Batu Danau (USP 5)* Kampung Gadong Kampung Pahlawan (USP 2)* Kampung Talahak (USP 3)* Long Napir (USP 3)* Nanga Mendamit (USP 5)* Batu Biah (SP 2006-USP 5)* Pabahanan (SP 2007) Kampung Meritam (SP 2007)
LAWAS DISTRICT COUNCIL	1. Lawas 2. Sundar	 Ba'kelalan (USP 3)* Kampung Aru (USP 5)* Kampung Awat-Awat Kuala Lawas (PDSI)* Long Tuma (USP 4)* Puru Sia (USP 2)* Trusan (PDSI)* RPR Lawas (SP 2006-USP 5)*



MOBILE LIBRARIES

	LIBRARIES	DIVISION
1.	E-PUSTAKA (Multimedia services with Internet connection)	LAWAS
2.	E-PUSTAKA (Multimedia services with Internet connection)	SARIKEI
3.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	KUCHING
4.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	SAMARAHAN
5.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	SRI AMAN
6.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	SARIKEI
7.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	SIBU
8.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	MUKAH
9.	MOBILE LIBRARY (Books only)	MIRI





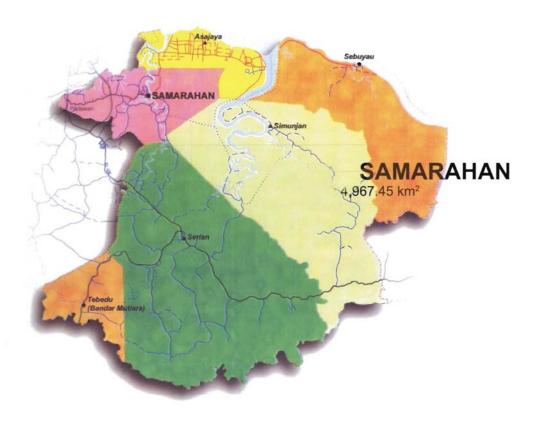
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Kuching & Samarahan

DIVISION





Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Name of library Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Address Jalan Pustaka,

Off Jalan Stadium, 93050, Kuching

Telephone number 082-442000 Fax number 082-449944

E-mail address librarian@sarawaknet.gov.my
Website http://www.pustaka-sarawak.com/
Person-in-charge Acting Chief Executive Officer,

Encik Japri Bujang Masli

Opening hours

Monday - Sunday: 11.00 am - 7.00 pm

Public Holiday: Closed

Library data

Authority Pustaka Negeri Sarawak
Category State/Headquarters
Date established 31 December 1999

Floor area 12,731 m2

Staff 93 (Managerial &

Professional=21, Support Staff=72)

Internet terminals With Internet Terminals



	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1,054	3,332	4,386
Total members as at 31 December 2010	25,594	35,828	61,422
Additions to collection, 2010	162	2,763	2,925
Total collection as at 31 December 2010	11,905	128,604	140,509
Circulation 2010	24,252	56,576	80,828
Library visits 2010	246,020		246,020



Pustaka Miri

Name of library Pustaka Miri

Address Jalan Kipas, Miri City Fan, 98000,

Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-422525 Fax number 085-414444

E-mail address librarian@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website http://www.pustaka-sarawak.com/

Person-in-charge Regional Manager,

Cik Salina Zawawi

Opening hours

Monday-Sunday: 11.00am-7.00pm

Public Holiday: Closed

Library data

Authority Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Category Regional Date established 2002

Floor area 4,927 sq. m.

Staff 30

Internet terminals With Internet Terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	647	598	1,245
Total members as at 31 December 2010	9,484	8,171	17,655
Additions to collection, 2010	568	1,450	2,018
Total collection as at 31 December 2010	10,356	29,308	39,664
Circulation 2010	21,489	19,687	41,176
Library visits 2010	13,502	45,605	59,107



LIBRARY DIVISION, MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Name of library Bahagian Perpustakaan

KASKA

Address Kementerian Kerajaan

Tempatan dan Pembangunan

Komuniti

Bhgn. Perpustakaan Tingkat 2, Baitul Makmur

Medan Raya

Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-440227/378 Fax number 082-440237

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Encik Lloyd Huffman Opening hours 8.00am - 5.00pm (Working days)

Library Data

Authority KKTPK (Library Division)

Category

Date established 1971 Floor area -Staff 63



PERPUSTAKAAN BERGERAK

Name of library Perpustakaan Bergerak Address Kementerian Kerajaan

Tempatan dan Pembangunan

Komuniti,

Bhgn. Perpustakaan, Tingkat 2, Baitul Makmur,

Medan Raya,

Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-440227/378 Fax number 082-440237

E-mail address -

Website http://www.moeswk.gov.my

Person-in-charge Sufiana Bujang

Assistant Library Officer

Opening hours

Library Data

Authority KKTPK (Library Section)

Category Mobile library
Date established PB Kuching -

PB Kuching - 1990 PB Sarikei - 1993 PB Sibu - 1995 PB Sri Aman - 1996

PB Miri - 1997 PB Samarahan - 1998

PB Dalat & Mukah - 2001

Floor area -Staff 18 Internet terminals -

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1,484	36	1,520
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	926	407	1,333
Additions to collection 2010	203	60	263
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,984	2,226	10,210
Circulation 2010	20,272	1,711	21,983



DBKU City Library



Background History

In 1966 the Sarawak State Government suggested that the Kuching Municipal Council setup a public and a reference library in Kuching. The setting up of Public Library was officiated by the President of Kuching Municipal Council , Cr. Song Thian Cheok , P.B.S. on September 15, 1970.

During that time the area was only about ½ acres and although a grant of RM 50,000.00 was received from the state to facilitate the construction of the library, the costs was amounting to RM 190,000.00 including the furniture, the road & the parking spaces.

KUCHING

In 1989 the Public Library was taken over by the Commission of DBKU in stages. It was reopened to the public after the interior was modified and repainting was done. The Public Library was then officially taken by the Commission on 21st May 1989 with a new face lift, and better facilities and services. In 1990 the Library was fully taken over by the Commission.

The objective of the library is to provide access to knowledge, information and works of thoughts through a range or resources and services and is equally available to all members of the community regardless of race, nationality, age, gender, religion, language, economic and employment status and educational attainment. The library also actively supports literacy campaigns as literacy is the key to education and knowledge and to promote the use of libraries and information services.

In 1995 the Public Library becomes the 1st library in Sarawak that implemented Library Automation using Horizon Library Systems. The upgrade involves not only its lending & borrowing services, but also various other services. The system was used for almost 10 years before the library migrated to ANGKASA Management Library System. Here, this library is connected to the other 14 libraries in various towns and Institutions of Higher Learning all over Sarawak virtually.

Like many other organizations, the Library systems are going through a period of unprecedented and ongoing changes as a result of the rapid development of information technology, including social and demographic changes. This presents tremendous opportunities for the library to act out its primary role as information provider. The Library's Staff are well equipped in order to cater to the community's needs. Various trainings related to library & IT is given to its staff in order to deliver superior and exceptional services to its users and the community. As an information navigator users of all ages are facilitated to utilize the information and communications technology provided along with quality services by the Library as the pillar of knowledge for the society.

Because of its strategic location in the middle of the city, DBKU City library is popularly well utilized by its users and becoming a center for acquisition of knowledge and information.

In Year 2005 the library celebrated its 15th anniversary . Various activities were organized in conjunction with the anniversary.

Glorious Achievements

Award:

- 1996 Meritorious Award Ceria puppet Group
- 1997 the 1st Fully Computerized Public Library in Sarawak based Horizon

Library System:

• 1997 - The Best Housekeeping Award within DBKU (5S)



DBKU CITY LIBRARY

Name of library Dewan Bandaraya Kuching

Utara City Library Jalan P. Ramlee,

93400, Kuching

Telephone number 082-248099, 082-244403

Fax number 082-240920

E-mail address library@dbku.gov.my Website www.librarynet.com.my Person-in-charge Sharul Bin Sulaiman

Opening hours

Address

1.30pm-7.00pm, Monday 9.00am-7.00pm Tuesday-Saturday

Sunday 10.00am-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority **DBKU**

Category City/Public library

Date established 1920

Floor area 1,340.5 sq. m.

Staff 36 (S41=1, support staff=35)

Internet terminals With Internet Terminal

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	574	600	1174
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	9,276	14,545	23,821
Additions to collection, 2010	4,691	4,483	9,174
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,466	7,486	15,952
Circulation 2010	40,597	56,202	96,799
Library visits 2010	3,385	4,675	8,060





PK SUNGAI MAONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Sungai Maong Village Library

Address Dewan Masyarakat Sungai Maong,

93150 Kuching, Sarawak.

Telephone number

Fax number -

E-mail address

Website -

Person-in-charge Vacant

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday: 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village/Community library

Date established November, 1999

Floor area 93.85 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	16	10	26
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	446	128	574
Additions to collection, 2010	858	601	1,459
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,062		6,062
Circulation 2010	821	343	1,164
Library visits 2010	1,176	679	1,855



PK KAMPUNG TUPONG BATU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Tupong Batu Village

Library

Address Jalan Merdeka

Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Pu

Opening hours

Puan Halipah bt Murat

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village/Community library

Date established 21.01.1994 Floor area 83.62 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	5	40
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	541	134	675
Additions to collection, 2010	580	534	1,114
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,318		9,318
Circulation 2010	4,781	693	5,474
Library visits 2010	5,240	782	6,022





PK KAMPUNG PINANG JAWA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Pinang Jawa Village

Library

Address Kampung Pinang Jawa

Jalan Matang, Petra Jaya

93050 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Hadijah bt Ismail

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village/Community library

Date established 1976

Floor area 149.15 sq. M

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	49	21	70
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,193	300	1,493
Additions to collection, 2010	599	481	1,080
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,486		10,486
Circulation 2010	1,395	1,338	2,733
Library visits 2010	3,016	1,260	4,276





PK KAMPUNG SALAK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Salak Village Library

Address Kampung Salak Kuching, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge

Puan Safarina bt Abu Bakar

Opening hours
Monday-Friday
Saturday
1.00pm-5.00pm,
9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village/Community Library

Date established 1987

Floor area 73.56 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	19	16	35
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	170	59	229
Additions to collection, 2010	469	237	706
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,357		6,357
Circulation 2010	3,954	872	4,826
Library visits 2010	3,262	497	3,759





PK KAMPUNG BAKO VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kampung Bako Village

(PDSI) Library

Address Kampung Bako

93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-431343

Fax number 082-240920 (DBKU)

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Puan Cahaya bt Mantali

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village library (PDSI)

Date established 15.04.1978 Floor area 53.7 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	41	1	42
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	337	58	395
Additions to collection, 2010	93	125	218
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,250		7,250
Circulation 2010	1,767	619	2,386
Library visits 2010	3,018	83	3,101





PK KAMPUNG GOBIL VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Gobil Village Library

Address Kampung Gobil

Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Putit bt Tahit

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village/Community Library

Date established 1984

Floor area 42.88 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	25	0	25
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	146	22	168
Additions to collection, 2010	205	3,383	3,588
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,142		6,142
Circulation 2010	2,025	245	2,2 70
Library visits 2010	1,655	257	1,912





PK KAMPUNG SENARI VILLAGE LIBRARY

PK Kpg Senari Village Library Name of library

Kampung Senari, Address

93050 Kuching,

Telephone number Fax number

E-mail address

Website Person-in-charge

Puan Salehah bt Jimi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority **DBKU**

Category Village/Community Library

Date established 1984 Floor area 28.6 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	29	2	31
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	139	25	164
Additions to collection, 2010	216	359	575
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,777		6,777
Circulation 2010	2,215	498	2,713
Library visits 2010	1,221	220	1,441





PK KAMPUNG BUNTAL VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Buntal Village

Library

Address Kampung Buntal,

Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Puan Sapiah bt Hasbi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU
Category Village library
Date established 10.07.1978
Floor area 38.35 sq. M

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	14	47
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	286	73	359
Additions to collection, 2010	685	655	1,340
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,929		8,929
Circulation 2010	1,162	704	1,866
Library visits 2010	1,695	442	2,137





PK KAMPUNG SANTUBONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Kpg Santubong Village

Library

Address Kampung Santubong,

Petra Jaya, 93050 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Emelia bt Aban

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU
Category Village library
Date established 01.03.1978
Floor area 78.34 sq. m.
Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	28	5	33
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	229	47	276
Additions to collection, 2010	206	313	519
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,9	987	5,987
Circulation 2010	3,259	529	3,788
Library visits 2010	2,794	271	3,065





PK DARUL HANA PATINGGAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PK Darulhana Patinggan

Village Library

Address Jalan Kampung Patingan

93400 Kuching

Telephone number 082-230863

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Khadijah bt Mohd. Said

Opening hours

Monday- Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm, 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU Category Village lib

Category Village library
Date established 1996

Floor area 63.04 sq.m. Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	39	10	49
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	334	80	414
Additions to collection, 2010	851	605	1,456
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	13,562		13,562
Circulation 2010	966	273	1,239
Library visits 2010	2,248	116	2,364





PUSAT SUMBER TUN OPENG LIBRARY

Name of library Pusat Sumber Tun Openg

Library

Address Jalan Datuk Ajibah Abol,

93400, Kuching,

Sarawak

Telephone number 082-235743

Fax number 082-240920 (DBKU)

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Rabiah bt Ayu

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority DBKU

Category Village library

Date established 1995

Floor area 127.6 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	47	17	64
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	671	160	831
Additions to collection, 2010	132	1,557	1,689
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,0	592	9,692
Circulation 2010	962	486	1,448
Library visits 2010	2,605	735	3,340





RPR BANDAR BARU SEMARIANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Bandar Baru Semariang

Village Library

Address RPR Bandar Baru Semariang,

93050 Kuching,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Hasyafari Johari

Norvanti Binti Rashid

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2





RPR TAMAN SEPAKAT JAYA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Taman Sepakat Jaya

Village Library

Address RPR Taman Sepakat Jaya,

Jalan Bako 93050 Kuching,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Hasyafari Johari Fauziah Binti Bidi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2





MASJID DARUL IBADAH, SEMARIANG LAMA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Masjid Darul Ibadah Village

Library

Address Masjid Darul Ibadah,

Kampung Semariang Lama,

93050 Kuching,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge

Hasyafari Johari

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2005 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2





MBKS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Majlis Bandaraya Kuching Selatan

Public Library

Address MBKS, Jalan Padungan,

93675 Kuching 082-243311 ext 106

Fax number 082-417372

E-mail address - Website -

Telephone number

Person-in-charge (Vacant)

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Majlis Bandaraya Kuching Selatan

(MBKS)

Category District / Reference Library

Date established 30.07.2003 Floor area 966 m2

Staff 6

S27=0, S17=5, B11=0, N11=1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	-	ı	1
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	-	4,400	4,4 00
Additions to collection, 2010	-	189	189
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,538	37,497	41,035
Circulation 2010	-	-	-
Library visits 2010	954	10,089	11,043





TAMAN D EVERGLADES VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman D Everglades Village

Library

Address Taman D Everglades Village

Library, Stutong,

Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Rozidah Binti Ismuni

Norhafiza Binti Zulkipli

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority National Library
Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009 Floor area 1000 m2 Staff S17





BAU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Bau Public Library
Bau District Council

Jalan Ong Guan Cheng

94000 Bau

Telephone number 082-763126 Fax number 082-763545

E-mail address franphillia@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Encik Franky ak Ajem

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.30am-1.00pm,2.00pm-5.00pm Friday 8.30am-11.45am, 1.30pm-5.00pm

Saturday 8.30am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council
Category District/Public Library

Date established 1971 Floor area 340 sq. m.

Staff 5

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	90	41	131
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	4,624	3,552	8,176
Additions to collection 2010	316	766	1,082
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	19,936	20,005	39,941
Circulation 2010	3,594	3,642	7,236
Library visits 2010	6,830	8,062	14,892





KAMPUNG KROKONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Krokong Village

Library

Address Bau District Council

Jalan Ong Guan Cheng

94000 Bau

Telephone number 082-671536

Fax number

E-mail address prisca@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Ani ak Noyak

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established July, 1988 Floor area 170 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	48	23	71
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	492	100	592
Additions to collection 2010	505	1,215	1,720
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,143	4,496	14,639
Circulation 2010	5,745	1,624	7,369
Library visits 2010	5,498	1,017	6,515





KAMPUNG SUDUH/SINGGAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Suduh/Singai Village

Library

Address Bau District Council

Jalan Ong Guan Cheng

94000 Bau

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Gracy ak Aba

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council

Category Village library
Date established April, 1989
Floor area 98 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens		Total
New members 2010	6	2	8
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	301	91	392
Additions to collection 2010	276	92	368
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,527	2,682	10,209
Circulation 2010	1,087	228	1,315
Library visits 2010	1,368	190	1,558



KAMPUNG OPAR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Opar Village Library

Address Kampung Opar

94000 Bau

Telephone number 082-751020

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge

Puan Diley ak Jijok

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.30pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council Category Village Library (USP) Date established February, 1991

Floor area 130 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	44	14	58
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	218	86	304
Additions to collection 2010	267	202	469
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,415	2,952	11,367
Circulation 2010	7,975	2,553	10,528
Library visits 2010	8,251	2,679	10,930





KAMPUNG SOGO VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Sogo Village Library Kpg Sogo 94000 Bau Name of library

Address

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Elis ak Fredick Kenek

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council Category Village library Date established January, 1988 Floor area 98 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens		Total
New members 2010	18	0	18
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	533	112	645
Additions to collection 2010	367	209	576
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,930	4,345	13,275
Circulation 2010	5,413	1,286	6,699
Library visits 2010	5,178	643	5,821





KAMPUNG STASS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Stass Village Library

Address Kpg Stass

94000 Bau

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Commi ak Renggis

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

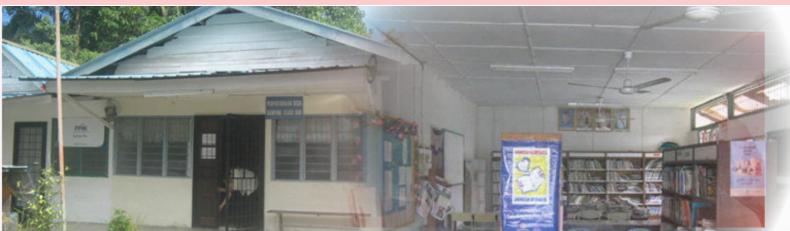
Authority Bau District Council Category Village Library (USP) Date established November, 1993 Floor area 150 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	77	112
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	318	92	410
Additions to collection 2010	285	209	494
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,512	2,047	11,559
Circulation 2010	3,027	999	4,026
Library visits 2010	4,979	541	5,520





KAMPUNG STENGGANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Stenggang Village

Library

Address Kpg Stenggang, 94000, Bau

Telephone number 082-675189

Fax number --E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Kedayah ak Gieb

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council
Category Village Library (USP)
Date established November, 1994

Floor area 140 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens		Total
New members 2010	0	7	7
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	547	109	656
Additions to collection 2010	227	48	275
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,710	1,803	10,513
Circulation 2010	2,034	1,021	3,055
Library visits 2010	3,794	358	4,152





KAMPUNG DAUN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Daun Village Library Address Kpg Daun, 94000, Bau

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Melina Tipud

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.30pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council
Category Village Library (USP)
Date established November, 1993
Floor area 112 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	9	7	16
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	130	138	268
Additions to collection 2010	244	100	344
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,887	1,139	12,026
Circulation 2010	1,559	314	1,873
Library visits 2010	2,748	2,748	5,496





KAMPUNG APAR SINGAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Apar Singai Village

Library

Address Kpg Apar Singai, 94000,

Bau

Telephone number
Fax number
E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge

Puan Nancy Edit Manis

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 5.00pm-9.00pm

Library Data

Authority Bau District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established January, 2005 Floor area 120 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

		Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
	New members 2010	60	35	95
	Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	449	211	660
	Additions to collection 2010	907	408	1,315
	Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,127	5,496	7,623
	Circulation 2010	3,119	1,600	4,719
	Library visits 2010	4,772	1,220	5,992





KAMPUNG KERANJI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Keranji Village

Library (Special Project)

Address Kpg Keranji Singai,

94000 Bau

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address
Website
Person-in-charge

pdkranji@yahoo.com
http://pdkkb.tmspublisher
Khatijah Binti Jumat

Emillia Bt Mohamad Yakup

Opening hours 8.00am-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority National Library
Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2005 Floor area -Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	36	68	104
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	146	296	442
Additions to collection 2010	235	207	442
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	1,380	954	2,334
Circulation 2010	2,478	388	2,866
Library visits 2010	6,176	6,324	12,500





Lundu District Council



Background History

Lundu Public Library, which is managed by Lundu District Council, began operations in 1978. A major milestone was reached in 2006 when the library occupied the ground floor of a RM1 million new building. The new library has a floor area of 360 square metres and a staff of five. As well as a collection of newspapers, magazines and books for loan, in Bahasa Malaysia, English, Chinese and other languages, the library has Internet access for the public. The computers and communications link were provided under the Universal

Service Provision program. Currently open for eight hours per day, five days a week, the library is heavily used, particularly by students. Significant membership growth has been noted since it moved into its new premises. In 2006 there were over 25,000 visitors, borrowing over 28,000 items and making over 600 Internet bookings.

The Lundu District Council is also responsible for libraries in Sematan and a number of villages. The branch library at Sematan was established in 1991 and now occupies a 162 square metre building. It is open for eight hours per day, five days a week and has two staff. Typical of the village libraries is that at Telok Melano, which began operations in 1995 in a building constructed by the Council on land owned by the local community. Today the residents of this and nearby villages can benefit from the solar-powered Internet service. A telephone is also available for community use. There is one staff member and the library is open four hours per day, five days a week. There are village libraries with similar facilities, opening hours and administrative arrangements at Biawak, which opened in 2004, Bokah (1996), Pueh (1994), Sampadi (1994) and Sebako (1996).

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LUNDU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Lundu Public Library

Address Lot 130, Perpustakaan Awam

Majlis Daerah Lundu

94500 Lundu

Telephone number 082-735501

(Lundu District Council)

Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Mahayah bt Hj. Raduan

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 8.00 am - 5.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council
Category Public Library (USP)
Date established 10.10.2003 (New Building)

Floor area 360 m2 Staff 4

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	160	118	278
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	3,112	3,848	6,960
Additions to collection 2010	277	275	552
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	18,245	27,121	45,366
Circulation 2010	2,016	1,492	3,508
Library visits 2010	6,581	4,031	10,612





SEMATAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Sematan Public Library

Lot 282, Address

Sematan Town District

94100 Sematan

Telephone number 082-320104 Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Christy Chong

Opening hours

8.00 am - 5.00 pm

Monday - Friday Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council

Category District Public Library

Date established 01.01.1991 Floor area 9 m x 18 m

Staff

S17=1, N1=1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	85	35	120
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,174	1,249	2,423
Additions to collection 2010	419	228	647
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	12,891	8,039	20,930
Circulation 2010	2,218	895	3,113
Library visits 2010	6,076	1,455	7,531





KAMPUNG TELOK MELANO VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Telok Melano Village

Library

Address Kampung Telok Melano

94100, Sematan

Telephone number 082-735501

(Lundu District Council)

Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Ehfa Rizan bt Bujang

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 1993
Floor area 60 sq. m.
Staff 1 Attendant
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	20	15	35
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	852	492	1,344
Additions to collection 2010	161	329	490
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,067	4,266	12,333
Circulation 2010	410	390	800
Library visits 2010	360	410	770





KAMPUNG RASO II VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Raso II Village Library

Address Kampung Raso II

94500 Lundu

Telephone number 082-735501

(Lundu District Council)

Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Nohies ak Jitam

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council Category Village/Community

Date established

11.03.1994

Floor area

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	9	7	16
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,054	465	1,519
Additions to collection 2010	273	190	463
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,704	1,660	8,364
Circulation 2010	6,919	2,202	9,121
Library visits 2010	4,098	3,653	7,751





KAMPUNG PUEH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Pueh Village Library

Address Kampung Pueh

94100 Sematan

Telephone number 082-712390 Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Pu

Opening hours

Puan Kelina ak Milos

Monday - Friday 1.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council Category Village Library (PDSI)

Date established 27.07.1994
Floor area 65 sq. m.
Staff 1 Attendant
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	11	4	15
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,429	69	2,498
Additions to collection 2010	437	424	861
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,760	1,777	9,537
Circulation 2010	2,188	480	2,668
Library visits 2010	2,013	530	2,543





KAMPUNG BOKAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Bokah Village Library Address Kampung Bokah 94500,

Lundu

Telephone number 082-735501 (Lundu District

Fax number 082-735035 (Lundu District

Council)

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Puan Nohib ak Lakus

Opening hours

Monday - Friday: Saturday - Sunday: 2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council (LDC)

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 16.09.1996 Floor area 65 sq. m. Staff 1(Attendant)

With Internet Terminal Internet terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	13	25	38
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,263	103	2,366
Additions to collection 2010	486	428	914
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,202	2,036	10,238
Circulation 2010	3,908	2,601	6,509
Library visits 2010	4,341	1,890	6,231





KAMPUNG JANTAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Jantan Village Library

Address Kampung Jantan

94500 Lundu

Telephone number 082-735501

(Lundu District Council)

Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address

Website <u>lundudc@sarawak.gov.my</u>

Person-in-charge Roslind Ak Ekil

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council Category Village / Community

Date established 1.2.2009
Floor area 65 sq. m.
Staff 1 Attendant
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	14	15	29
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	152	95	247
Additions to collection 2010	261	21	282
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,276	2,220	9,496
Circulation 2010	2,131	276	2,407
Library visits 2010	1,409	1,108	2,517





KAMPUNG BIAWAK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Biawak Village Library Name of library

Kampung Biawak Address

94500 Lundu

082-735501 Telephone number

(Lundu District Council)

Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address lundudc@sarawak.gov.my

Website

Person-in-charge Puan Hasanah ak Antong

Opening hours

Monday - Friday Saturday-Sunday 1.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council

Category Village Library Date established 28.09.2004 Floor area 48 sq. m. Staff 1Attendant Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	24	9	33
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	543	255	798
Additions to collection 2010	542	311	853
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,860	1,980	6,840
Circulation 2010	1,643	724	2,367
Library visits 2010	864	405	1,269





KAMPUNG SEBAKO VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sebako Village Library

Address Kampung Sebako

94100 Sematan

Telephone number 082-715001 Fax number 082-735035

(Lundu District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Anua ak Lajim

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lundu District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 26.07.1994
Floor area 42 sq. m.
Staff 1 Attendant
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	18	5	23
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,634	1,051	3,685
Additions to collection 2010	466	443	909
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,182	2,052	10,234
Circulation 2010	3,998	1,891	5,889
Library visits 2010	4,281	1,230	5,511





KOTA SENTOSA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Kota Sentosa Public Library

Address Batu 7, Kota Sentosa

Jalan Tapang 93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-626041/042/043

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address
Website -

Person-in-charge Samuel Rao

Opening hours

Monday Closed

Tuesday-Friday: 10.00am-6.00pm Satruday-Sunday: 9.00am-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category District/Public Library

Date established 15.05.2006 Floor area 941 sq. m.

Staff 5

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	37	12	49
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,435	1,357	2,792
Additions to collection 2010	179		179
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	18,141	15,731	33,872
Circulation 2010	2,904	2,403	5,307
Library visits 2010	3,215	1,795	5,010





KOTA PADAWAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Kota Padawan Public Library Address Batu 10, Kota Padawan Jln

Puncak Borneo 93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566 ext 131

Fax number 082-611832

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Pn Susan Lampah

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 9.00am-5.00pm

Satruday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council Category District/Public library

Date established 01.11.2002 Floor area 60 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	475	236	711
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,173	645	1,818
Additions to collection 2010	1,195	1,253	2,448
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,168	10,256	19,424
Circulation 2010	11,991	25,194	37,185
Library visits 2010	20,734	40,191	60,925





KAMPUNG BENUK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Benuk Village Library Name of library Jalan Puncak Borneo Address

93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Jinun Wisen

Opening hours Monday - Friday Saturday-Sunday 12:00 pm - 6.00 pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 17.07.1983 Floor area 82 sq. m. Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	75	20	95
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,489	279	1,768
Additions to collection 2010	251	26	277
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,526	1,563	5,089
Circulation 2010	6,763	1,841	8,604
Library visits 2010	5,762	814	6,576





KAMPUNG MATANG 10th MILE VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Matang 10th Mile Village

Library

Address Batu 10, Jalan Matang

93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-640601 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address wan_1963@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Wan Noraini bt Hj. Junaidi

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12:00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established August, 1982 Floor area 6 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	38	24	62
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,437	1,049	2,486
Additions to collection 2010	152	127	279
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,783	6,365	13,148
Circulation 2010	920	498	1,418
Library visits 2010	1,615	656	2,271





PEKAN SIBURAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pekan Siburan Village Library

Address Jalan Kuching/Serian, 93250,

Kuching

Telephone number
Fax number
E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Cyhthia Grace Andrew Edip

Opening hours

Monday - Friday: 9.00am - 12.00 pm

2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1989 Floor area 72 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	58	46	104
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,415	2,864	4,279
Additions to collection 2010	149	140	289
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,499	5,100	10,599
Circulation 2010	2,499	1,539	4,038
Library visits 2010	2,723	1,794	4,517





KAMPUNG BAWANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Bawang Village Library

Address Batu 16, Jalan Puncak Borneo,

93250, Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Sobem Unyiu

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12:00 pm - 6.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1985 Floor area 42 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	17	1	18
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	176	495	671
Additions to collection 2010	385	685	1,070
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,639	2,079	5,718
Circulation 2010	8,839	2,373	11,212
Library visits 2010	5,509	1,384	6,893





PEKAN BATU KAWA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pekan Batu Kawa Village

Library

Address Jalan Datuk Stephen Yong

93250 Kuching

Telephone number

Fax number -

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Then Li Fah

Opening hours 12.00pm-6.00pm(Mon-Fri)

Closed-(Sat,Fri,Public Holidays)

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library

Date established 1992

Floor area 49 sq. m.

Staff -

Internet terminals Not available

Statistics

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	48	42	90
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	144	106	250
Additions to collection 2010	185	304	489
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,802	7,626	10,428
Circulation 2010	1,811	1,380	3,191
Library visits 2010	1,147	573	1,720





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SEMADANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Semadang Village Library

Address Batu 38, Jalan Penrissen,

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Asiah ak Barik

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 07.11.1998 Floor area 41 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	61	39	100
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	863	353	1,216
Additions to collection 2010	152	152	304
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,489	1,013	4,502
Circulation 2010	10,562	1,657	12,219
Library visits 2010	8,482	2,055	10,537





PEKAN TAPAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pekan Tapah Village Library

Address Jalan Kuching/Serian

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Chin Sui Jin

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1988 Floor area 94 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	17	13	30
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	244	158	402
Additions to collection 2010	323	255	578
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,844	3,755	14,599
Circulation 2010	4,546	5,463	10,009
Library visits 2010	3,072	1,725	4,797





KAMPUNG PAYA MEBI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Paya Mebi Village

Library

Address Jalan Landeh

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-574437

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Surayah bt Bujang

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 11.30am-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 01.03.1989 Floor area 38 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	5	5	10
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	400	115	515
Additions to collection 2010	55	1	56
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,418	2,589	8,007
Circulation 2010	1,608	466	2,074
Library visits 2010	1,537	393	1,930





PEKAN BERATOK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pekan Beratok Village Library

Address Jalan Kuching/Serian

93250 Kuching

082-863035 Telephone number

Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Chang Moi Hua

Opening hours Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library

Date established 1989 Floor area 42 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	12	23	35
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	3,619	784	4,403
Additions to collection 2010	347	160	507
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,407	1,171	4,578
Circulation 2010	6,645	170	6,815
Library visits 2010	9,145	433	9,578





KAMPUNG STAPOK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Stapok Village Library Address Jalan Datuk Stephen Yong

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-658004 Fax number 082-611832

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Chong Siuk Khiun

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.10.1989 Floor area 18 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	51	82
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	560	1,008	1,568
Additions to collection 2010	105	99	204
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,893	3,827	10,720
Circulation 2010	1,514	749	2,263
Library visits 2010	1,734	746	2,480





KAMPUNG ABANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Kpg Abang Village Library
Jalan Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-658300 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Teen ak Nigung

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1989
Floor area 38 sq. m.
Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	4	10
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	586	254	840
Additions to collection 2010	82	62	144
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,046	841	5,887
Circulation 2010	3,898	586	4,484
Library visits 2010	2,247	318	2,565





KAMPUNG ASSUM VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Assum Village Library

Address Kpg Assum

Jalan Puncak Borneo Off Jalan Pangkalan Ampat

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-675604

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Marion Among

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 1997 Floor area 36 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	20	10	30
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	149)	149
Additions to collection 2010	32	50	82
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,903	1,852	5,755
Circulation 2010	54	43	97
Library visits 2010	480	240	720





RPR BATU KAWA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Batu Kawa Village

Library

Address RPR Batu Kawa

Jalan Batu Kawa 93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address

Website -

Person-in-charge Siti Aminah bt. Biniman

Opening hours Monday-Friday

12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library
Date established 22.10.2004
Floor area 62 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	18	3	21
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	386	64	450
Additions to collection 2010	138	46	184
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,811	2,721	6,532
Circulation 2010	1,796	169	1,965
Library visits 2010	2,688	341	3,029





KAMPUNG KOLONG 2 VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Kolong II Village Library

Address Kpg. Kolong II

Jalan Matang Batu 10

93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-643768

Fax number -

E-mail address <u>missiah 61@yahoo.com.my</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Missiah bt Ana

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.30pm-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1993 Floor area 45 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	2	12
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	410	37	447
Additions to collection 2010	266	83	349
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,222	6,082	10,304
Circulation 2010	3,341	208	3,549
Library visits 2010	2,056	131	2,187





KAMPUNG BUMBOK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Bumbok Village Library

Address Jalan Batu Kitang

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-658005 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address tyusue @yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Sukinah ak Taha

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1992 Floor area 54 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	37	1	38
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	889	95	984
Additions to collection 2010	3,370	2,457	5,827
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,430	7,048	16,478
Circulation 2010	3,345	2,156	5,501
Library visits 2010	5,516	1,549	7,065





KAMPUNG SEMABA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Semaba Village Library

Address Jalan Batu Kitang

93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Elizabeth Frielie

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Village Library (USP) Category

Date established 1994 Floor area 27 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	19	0	19
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	538	314	852
Additions to collection 2010	537	64	601
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,129	2,368	7,497
Circulation 2010	7,038	684	7,722
Library visits 2010	4,908	362	5,270





KAMPUNG SEGEDUP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Segedup Village Library

Address Kpg. Segedup

Jalan Batu Kawa 93250 Kuching

Telephone number
Fax number
E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Samuel Rao

(Kota Sentosa Public Library)

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1994
Floor area 23 sq. m.
Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	180	5	185
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	180	5	185
Additions to collection 2010	256	192	448
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,470	1,118	3,588
Circulation 2010	1,176	10	1,186
Library visits 2010	1,794	113	1,907



KAMPUNG ANNAH RAIS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Annah Rais Village

Library

Address Jalan Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-675602 Fax number 082-611832

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Redica Robert Runing

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library
Date established 19.04.1993
Floor area 59 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1	6	7
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	109	85	194
Additions to collection 2010	248	43	291
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,560	1,004	5,564
Circulation 2010	5,824	1,354	7,178
Library visits 2010	3,255	1,801	5,056





KAMPUNG STABUT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Kpg Stabut Village Library
Jalan Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Rosmi ak Sator

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 1997 Floor area 23 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	12	4	16
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	483	399	882
Additions to collection 2010	255	31	286
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,733	1,349	7,082
Circulation 2010	4,056	244	4,300
Library visits 2010	5,623	941	6,564





KAMPUNG PALAMAN DUNUK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Palaman Dunuk Village

Library

Address Jalan Puncak Borneo

Off Jalan Link 93250 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Tiba ak Soob

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 1995 Floor area 46 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	48	0	48
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	98	16	114
Additions to collection 2010	162	39	201
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,293	1,896	7,189
Circulation 2010	8,039	700	8,739
Library visits 2010	6,604	553	7,157





KAMPUNG SEJIJAK/PAROH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sejijak/Paroh Village

Library

Address Jalan Batu Kawa

93050 Kuching

Telephone number 082-658003 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Sarimah bt Tili

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.03.1994 Floor area 72 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	30	5	35
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	682	97	779
Additions to collection 2010	365	360	725
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,000	3,261	9,261
Circulation 2010	4,824	1,668	6,492
Library visits 2010	4,815	654	5,469





KAMPUNG TELAGA AIR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Telaga Air Village

Library

Kpg Telaga Air Address

Jalan Matang 93590 Kuching

082-287019

Telephone number Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address rasna 01@yahoo.com

Website

Rasna bt Mahli, Mariani Person-in-charge

Mohamad

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1.30pm-5.30pm,

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established March, 1994 Floor area 89 sq. m.

Staff 2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	8	8	16
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	617	405	1,022
Additions to collection 2010	176	128	304
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,914	4,594	13,508
Circulation 2010	654	434	1,088
Library visits 2010	672	434	1,106





KAMPUNG MAMBONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Mambong Village

Library

Address Jalan Mambong/Sitag

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Versia Jitek

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 1995 Floor area 74 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	55	6	61
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,229	157	1,386
Additions to collection 2010	231	67	298
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,273	6,420	16,693
Circulation 2010	4,300	9,778	14,078
Library visits 2010	6,240	495	6,735





KAMPUNG SIMPOK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Simpok Village Library

Address Jalan Padawan 94200 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Mary Sylvester Raut

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1992 Floor area 71 sq. m. Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	64	6	70
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	530	77	607
Additions to collection 2010	405	374	779
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	11,877	1,654	13,531
Circulation 2010	9,780	946	10,726
Library visits 2010	6,123	1,047	7,170





BENGOH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Bengoh Village Library
Alan Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-675058 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address joyce9065@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Joyce Jamong

Opening hours Monday-Friday

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.12.1994 Floor area 49 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	26	13	39
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	130	79	209
Additions to collection 2010	629	69	698
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	12,994	1,186	14,180
Circulation 2010	3,150	239	3,389
Library visits 2010	2,082	736	2,818





KAMPUNG MUNDAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Mundai Village Library

Address Jalan Padawan

94200 Kuching

Telephone number 082-615566

(Padawan Municipal Council)

Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address <u>jinijen@gmail.com</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Jenis ak kija

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village Library (USP)
Date established September, 1987

Floor area 76 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	24	10	34
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	446	87	533
Additions to collection 2010	273	163	436
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,200	1,653	8,853
Circulation 2010	5,776	1,204	6,980
Library visits 2010	3,439	3,887	7,326





KAMPUNG SKUDUK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Skuduk Village Library Name of library Batu 24, Jalan Puncak Borneo Address

93250 Kuching

Telephone number 082-329025 Fax number 082-611832

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Nalin Jier

Opening hours Monday-Friday Saturday-Sunday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1997 Floor area 80 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	1	7
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	261	33	294
Additions to collection 2010	193	848	1,041
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,720	4,111	6,831
Circulation 2010	1,454	1,356	2,810
Library visits 2010	2,409	1,367	3,776





TENG BUKAP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Address Teng Bukap Village Library
Address Jalan Padawan, Off Jalan

Kuching/Serian 93250, Kuching

Telephone number 082-793014 Fax number 082-611832

(Padawan Municipal Council)

E-mail address ethellimis@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Limis ak Jingut

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1997 Floor area 79 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	20	25	45
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	553	271	824
Additions to collection 2010	424	472	896
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,919	2,919	7,838
Circulation 2010	2,479	791	3,270
Library visits 2010	1,266	257	1,523





KAMPUNG GIAM LAMA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Giam Lama Village

Library

Address Batu 22, Jln Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Jesniter ak Jawab

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.11.2002 Floor area 60 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	16	3	19
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	199	32	231
Additions to collection 2010	251	142	393
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,705	595	5,300
Circulation 2010	3,415	343	3,758
Library visits 2010	3,277	230	3,507





KAMPUNG KARU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Karu Village Library Address Batu 24, Jln Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Rungin ak Lakat

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library
Date established 11.07.1983
Floor area 12 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	4	14
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	381	105	486
Additions to collection 2010	267	33	300
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,013	2,838	8,851
Circulation 2010	13,734	6,544	20,278
Library visits 2010	7,045	3,448	10,493





KAMPUNG SUNGEI RISET/MAANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sungai Riset/Maang

Village Library

Address Batu 24, Jln Puncak Borneo

93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website Person-in-charge -

Opening hours
Monday-Friday

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Padawan Municipal Council

Category Village library

Date established 2008
Floor area 60 sq. m.
Staff Vacant
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	2	3	5
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2	3	5
Additions to collection 2010	122	61	183
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	122	61	183
Circulation 2010	429	254	683
Library visits 2010	487	46	533



TAMAN SRI PERMAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Sri Permai Village

Library

Address RPR Landeh

93250 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Rozidah Binti Ismuni

Nilam Binti Nor

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006

Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	82	70	152
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	82	70	152
Additions to collection, 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	0	0	0
Circulation 2010	6,370	2,443	8,813
Library visits 2010	5,301	2,077	7,378



TAMAN SRI MUHIBBAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Taman Sri Muhibbah

Village Library

RPR Batu 13 Address

> Jalan Kuching/Serian 93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Halimah Binti Paee

Isnawati Binti Bolhi

Opening hours Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff S17

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	157	152	309
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	157	152	309
Additions to collection, 2010	290	141	431
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	1,207	2,169	3,376
Circulation 2010	12,344	4,674	17,018
Library visits 2010	7,347	3,139	10,486



TAMAN DURANDA MAS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Duranda Mas Village

Library

Address RPR Batu 18, Siburan

93250 Kuching

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Halimah Binti Paee

Nurshilla Mohd Adam

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006

Floor area 1000 sq. m. Staff 2 (S27 & S17) Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	162 262		424
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	162	262	424
Additions to collection, 2010	730		730
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	0	0	0
Circulation 2010	7,476	2,556	10,032
Library visits 2010	9,051	2,864	11,915



TAMAN PALMA INDAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Palma Indah Village

Library

Address RPR Taman Palma Indah,

Jalan Matang 93050 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Khatijah Binti Jumat

Linda Binti Edi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 2 (S27 & S17)
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	121 87		208
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	121	87	208
Additions to collection, 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,154		3,154
Circulation 2010	573	772	1,345
Library visits 2010	1,042	455	1,497



TAMAN SRI CAHAYA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Taman Seri Cahaya

Village Library

Address RPR Tondong, Batu Kawa

93250 Kuching

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Khatijah Binti Jumat

Masrinawaty Mukaili

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006

Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2 (S27-vacant & S17)

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	54	93	147
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	136	165	301
Additions to collection, 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	0	0	0
Circulation 2010	3,620	3,078	6,698
Library visits 2010	3,977	2,223	6,200



Serian District Council Library



Background History

Serian District Council Library can trace its origins to the early 1960s, when a reading room was established by what was then the Upper Sadong District Council. The reading room was on the banks of the Serian River on a site now occupied by the Heng Chong building. In 1969 the library moved into an annexe to the Council office. In 1984 the Library moved to its current location next to the Council office, occupying a new two storey building which cost RM271,000.00. This building was officially opened on 28 March 1985 by the then Minister of Local Government, the late Datuk Edward Jeli.

In 1994 the basement of this building was renovated and the Library now occupies three floors, with a total floor area of 301 square metres. The adult library and adult reference area are on the first floor, together with staff work areas. The public entrance, junior readers', newspaper, periodical and work areas are on the ground floor. In the basement are areas for young readers, junior reference and for computer access provided under Phase 5 of the Universal Service Provision programme.



Over the years the Council has extended its library services to various rural villages. In the 1970s there were only three village libraries, known in those days as reading rooms, at Tebakang, Tebedu and Bunan. In the 1980s three more village libraries opened: at Baki, Balai Ringin and Baru. In the next decade a further ten libraries were established – at Lebor, Pichin, Taee, Rayang, Paon Gahat, Sungai Menyan, Koran, Triboh, Engkeroh and Menaul. Federal funding enabled the construction of the libraries at Menaul and Triboh. Serian District Council Public Library now operates sixteen village libraries.

Tebakang Village Library has operated since December 1979 in a former Council clinic, and is close to schools, the new clinic, the Tebakang Bazaar and the Agriculture Office. It is easily accessible from Kampong Tebakang Melayu and Kampong Tebakang Dayak

Tebedu Village Library has operated in a former Council clinic since 1979, and is close to the Bazaar, the District Office, police station and the school.

Bunan Village Library was established in 1979 and until 1990 was known as Mongkos Village Library. This library also operates in a former clinic. It is strategically located within easy reach of Kampong Bunan Gega, Kampong Bunan Punok, Kampong Muara Ahi, Kampong Terbat Mawang, Kampong Terbat Leban, the Mission at Bunan, Bunan School, government offices and the clinic.

Baki Village Library was established in the 1980s and is still in its original location towards the end of the Old Bazaar. Balai Ringin Village Library has operated in a Council building at Balai Ringin Bazaar, close to the police station, since the 1980s.

Baru Village Library has been in existence since the 1980s and occupies a Council building in the bazaar on the Kuching to Serian Road.

Pichin Village Library is in a Council building on the Serian to Tebedu Road. It was officially opened in October 1990 by the Honourable Dato' Dr Haji Sulaiman bin Haji Daud, SIMP, PNBS, JBS, who was then Malaysian Justice Minister.

Taee Village Library is in a Council building on the Baki to Riih Road, next to the Balai Raya. It was officially opened in October 1990 by the Honourable Datuk Dr George Chan Hong Nam, KMN, PBS, ABS, who was then Special Minister assisting the Chief Minister of Sarawak, and is now the Deputy Chief Minister 1.

Lebor Village Library began operating in january 1990 in an extension to the Community Hall. This is now undergoing renovation, and the Library will relocate when remodelling of another building in the village is complete.

Rayang Village Library was established in a detached house which had been renovated by the community. It was opened by Serian District Council in October 1990.

Paon Gahat Village Library was established in a Council building in the centre of the village in January 1991.

Sungai Menyan Village Library was opened in a Council building on the Sri Aman to Serian Road in January 1991. It is situated next to the Sungai Menyan School.

Koran Village Library is on the Serian to Paon Rimu Road and was opened in January 1991.

Triboh Village Library began operations in July 1995 in an annexe to the community hall. The library was relocated to a private house three years later to allow for building works at the hall. In August 2000, a Federal Government grant of RM50,000.00 was made available through KASKA for the construction of a new village library. In early 2001 the library moved into its new building in Jalan Gedong, right at the heart of the village.

Engkeroh Village Library opened in October 1998 in an annexe to the Community Hall.

Menaul Village Library commenced operations in 1998 in a store belonging to a community member. It relocated briefly to the Menaul Mosque until the completion of its new building in March 2000.

In 2004 Serian District Council was unable to participate in Phase 1 of the Universal Service Provision USP) programme, which brought advanced information and communications technology to many locations. Council was able to benefit from later Phases of this programme, which had been initiated by Kementerian Tenaga, Air dan Komunikasi (the Ministry of Energy, Water and Communications), in association with Pustaka Negeri Sarawak. Under Phase 2 the village libraries at Pichin and Taee were provided with personal computers, Internet access and associated equipment. Under Phase 3 the village libraries benefiting were at Menaul, Bunan and Paon Gahat. Phase 4 involved village libraries at Baru, Balai Ringin, Koran, Engkeroh, Sungai. Menyan and Triboh. With the recent implementation of Phase 5, the main library in Serian and village libraries at Tebakang, Tebedu and Lebor were approved for inclusion. It was necessary to defer Lebor's participation because of the current lack of a permanent building for the library. As can be seen from the following table, the community has been making good use of the facilities provided under the USP.

Computer users at USP-equipped libraries (August-October 2006)

Village Library	Adult	Junior	Young Reader	Total
Pichin	115	76	79	270
Menaul	97	94	587	778
Bunan	14	33	8	55
Paon Gahat	7	23	77	107
Baki	149	136	0	399
Baru	298	153	21	228
Balai Ringin	55	165	59	279
Koran	267	245	166	466
Engkeroh	13	83	312	408
Sungai. Menyan	58	104	169	331
Triboh	119	115	109	343

At Taee the computer was not functioning during this period

Council agreed to implement the Perpustakaan Desa Siber Ilmu (PDSI) project (literally Cyber Science community library) at Rayang Village Library. This project began operations in October 2005 and library opening hours have now been extended to five hours per day. Intensive use has been made of the Internet and the computer-based productivity tools provided under this scheme. Target groups have ranged from primary and secondary school students to adults.



SERIAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Serian Public Library

Address No. 1, Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700, Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian) E-mail address mdserian@po.jaring.my Website www.seriandc.gov.my

Person-in-charge Mohamad Wasli Bin Mohamad Zain

Opening hours 9 hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category District/Public Library

Date established 1965

Floor area 14.5 m x 20.8 m

Staff 12

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	116	27	143
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	224	91	315
Additions to collection 2010	210	95	305
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	28,595	24,024	52,619
Circulation 2010	4,010	3,405	7,415
Library visits 2010	2,708	748	3,456





BAKI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Baki Village Library Name of library

c/o: No. 1, Address

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

082-874154 (MD, Serian)

Telephone number 080-874610 (PA, Serian)

082-874799 (MD, Serian)

Fax number E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Liew Siew Hua Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 15.11.1980 Floor area 68.53 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	15	3	18
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	29	12	41
Additions to collection 2010	122	20	142
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,220	4,452	12,672
Circulation 2010	564	279	843
Library visits 2010	8	898	





KAMPUNG BALAI RINGIN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Balai Ringin Village Library Name of library

Address c/o: No. 1,

> Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian. Sarawak 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

Telephone number

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address anisa_sweatheard@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Srani ak Leben Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

16.03.1987 Date established 9 m x 9.7 m Floor area

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	36	9	45
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	14	13	27
Additions to collection 2010	215	18	233
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,771	4,066	13,837
Circulation 2010	1,926	492	2,418
Library visits 2010	4,.	518	4,518





BARU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Baru Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian) E-mail address sheila0810.78@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Susila ak Mathew Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Village library (USP)

Date established 16.03.1987 Floor area 8.4 m x 11.6 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	26	12	38
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	43	25	68
Additions to collection 2010	227	22	249
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,846	4,042	11,888
Circulation 2010	1,191	808	1,999
Library visits 2010	3,0	067	3,067





KAMPUNG ENGKEROH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Engkeroh Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Shery ak Rinhog Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.10.1998 Floor area 66 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	44	17	61
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	64	23	87
Additions to collection 2010	177	15	192
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,381	1,580	7,961
Circulation 2010	5,304	889	6,193
Library visits 2010	5,4	488	5,488



KAMPUNG KORAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Koran Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

> Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

082-874154 (MD, Serian)

Telephone number

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Connie ak Bibian Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 02.01.1991 Floor area 66 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	3	13
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	3	8	11
Additions to collection 2010	165	14	179
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,467	2,050	10,517
Circulation 2010	2,208	468	2,676
Library visits 2010	3,931		3,931



KAMPUNG LEBOR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Lebor Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

> Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

082-874154 (MD, Serian)

Telephone number

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Doris ak Junta 3 hours 30 minutes Opening hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council

Category Village library Date established 02.05.1990Floor area 66 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	0	6
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	99	140	239
Additions to collection 2010	188	15	203
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,289	2,595	9,884
Circulation 2010	3,821	242	4,063
Library visits 2010	5,.	581	5,581





KAMPUNG MENAUL VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Menaul Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian) E-mail address nuraili2_arisa@yahoo.com.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Ratini bt Ahmad Darus
Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Village library (USP)

Date established 08.02.1999
Floor area 5.4m x 10.6 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	103	169	272
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	229	350	579
Additions to collection 2010	169	15	184
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,090	1,768	7,858
Circulation 2010	2,160	63	2,223
Library visits 2010	2,143		2,143





KAMPUNG PAON GAHAT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Paon Gahat Village

Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Martha ak Lan-nyi Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 02.01.1991 Floor area 69 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	8	7	15
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	100	61	161
Additions to collection 2010	175	14	189
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,736	1,763	9,499
Circulation 2010	637	20	657
Library visits 2010	3,8	378	3,878





KAMPUNG PICHIN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Pichin Village Library Name of library

c/o: No. 1, Address

> Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian) E-mail address soppy_anne@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Sofia Stanny ak Clement

3 hours 30 minutes Opening hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 02.05.1990Floor area 77 sq. m.

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	27	0	27
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	204	218	422
Additions to collection 2010	199	16	215
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,140	3,549	11,689
Circulation 2010	3,573	461	4,034
Library visits 2010	3,4	497	3,497





KAMPUNG RAYANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Rayang Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address -Website -

Telephone number

Person-in-charge Poula ak George

Opening hours 7 hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (PDSI)

Date established 17.10.1990 Floor area 7.5m x 22.5m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	23	1	24
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	98	56	154
Additions to collection 2010	161	15	176
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,953	4,717	10,670
Circulation 2010	2,908	424	3,332
Library visits 2010	4,641		4,641





SUNGAI MENYAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Sg Menyan Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak 082-874154 (MD, Serian) 082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Siti Zaharah Binti Abdullah

Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Telephone number

Authority Serian District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 02.01.1991 Floor area 66 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	17	52
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	64	13	77
Additions to collection 2010	167	18	185
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,582	3,635	10,217
Circulation 2010	2,083	991	3,074
Library visits 2010	4,296		4,296





KAMPUNG TAEE VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Taee Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address <u>may_perpustakaan@yahoo.com.my</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Maylee ak Juliu Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 02.05.1990 Floor area 6.4m x 11.5 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	25	11	36
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	164	170	334
Additions to collection 2010	127	16	143
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,072	2,816	10,888
Circulation 2010	3,035	1,324	4,359
Library visits 2010	5	,818	5,818





KAMPUNG TEBAKANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Tebakang Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Norhayati bt Rasdi

Opening hours 7 hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 01.12.1979 Floor area 8 m x 8.4 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	88	0	88
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	702	511	1,213
Additions to collection 2010	111	15	126
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,083	3,756	11,839
Circulation 2010	2,249	517	2,766
Library visits 2010	3,0	568	3,668





TEBEDU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Tebedu Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung,

94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Julia ak Raymond

Opening hours 7 hours

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 01.12.1979 Floor area 5 m x 8.4 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	36	37	73
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	26	3	29
Additions to collection 2010	101	17	118
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,800	3,881	12,681
Circulation 2010	3,424	594	4,018
Library visits 2010	4,173		4,173





KAMPUNG TRIBOH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Triboh Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number 082-874154 (MD, Serian)

082-874610 (PA, Serian)

Fax number 082-874799 (MD, Serian) E-mail address idadd6082@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Ida ak Miriga
Opening hours 3 hours 30 minutes

Library Data

Authority Serian District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.07.1995 Floor area 55 sq. m.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	4	37
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	75	18	93
Additions to collection 2010	168	15	183
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,668	2,078	9,746
Circulation 2010	6,080	1,610	7,690
Library visits 2010	5,858		5,858





BUNAN GEGA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Bunan Gega Village Library

Address c/o: No. 1,

Jalan Bunga Tanjung, 94700 Serian, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Mohd Zamri Mohd Ali

Agatha Sinin

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 2 (S17 & N1)
Internet terminals Not available



SAMARAHAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Samarahan Public Library
Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number 082-661151 Fax number 082-671342

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Salamah Ahmad, Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Saturday

Monday - Thursday 9.00am - 5.00pm Friday 8.30am - 12.00pm &

2.15pm-5.00pm 9.00am-4.00pm

Sunday Close

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category District library

Date established

Floor area - 3,000 sq ft

Staff 3

S17=1, PAR=2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	89	145	234
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,771	2,393	4,164
Additions to collection 2010	743	735	1,478
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	18,022	13,594	31,616
Circulation 2010	23,643	21,432	45,075
Library visits 2010	21,654	23,321	44,975





ASAJAYA LAUT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Asajaya Laut Village Library Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge

Puan Norisah Mohamad

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council Village/Community library

Date established 1995

Floor area 20x30 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	38	31	69
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	261	231	492
Additions to collection 2010	242	171	413
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,876	4,310	11,186
Circulation 2010	6,321	3,176	9,497
Library visits 2010	5,641	2,673	8,314





ASAJAYA HULU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Asajaya Hulu Village (USP)

Library

Samarahan District Council Address

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge

Cik Salus Sija

Opening hours

Monday - Friday Saturday-Sunday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1986

Floor area 24x36 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	38	31	69
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	243	241	484
Additions to collection 2010	185	166	351
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,492	3,480	10,972
Circulation 2010	7,425	3,652	11,077
Library visits 2010	6,035	3,675	9,710





KAMPUNG SEBANDI MATANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sebandi Matang Village

Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Lena Kadir

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1986

Floor area 24 x 36 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	29	62
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	261	125	386
Additions to collection 2010	133	100	233
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,610	3,450	10,060
Circulation 2010	5,083	3,036	8,119
Library visits 2010	5,342	1,753	7,095





KAMPUNG BARU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Baru Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge

Puan Endon bt Bujang Razali

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council Village library (USP)

Date established 1986

Floor area -

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	36	67
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	296	124	420
Additions to collection 2010	231	105	336
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,625	4,150	11,775
Circulation 2010	5,228	3,323	8,551
Library visits 2010	4,986	1,985	6,971





KAMPUNG SAMBIR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sambir Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Latifah Abit

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1986

Floor area 24 x 36 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	26	18	44
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	186	127	313
Additions to collection 2010	124	98	222
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,844	3,722	10,566
Circulation 2010	6,285	4,406	10,691
Library visits 2010	5,631	2,531	8,162





KAMPUNG MANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Mang Village Library Samarahan District Council Name of library Address

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Dyg Masnah Bt Awg Ahim

Opening hours

Monday - Friday Saturday-Sunday 8.00am -5.00pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1986 Floor area Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	42	40	82
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	253	215	468
Additions to collection 2010	125	87	212
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,780	2,467	8,247
Circulation 2010	3,952	1,104	5,056
Library visits 2010	6,865	4,531	11,396





KAMPUNG REBAK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Rebak Village Library Samarahan District Council Address

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Cik Masrina Malihi

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 12.00pm -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library 1987

Date established

Floor area

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	28	20	48
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	263	217	480
Additions to collection 2010	121	108	229
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,524	3,483	10,007
Circulation 2010	6,343	1,936	8,279
Library visits 2010	6,192	3,753	9,945





KAMPUNG PINANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Pinang Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Suria bt Mohammad

Opening hours Monday - Friday 1.00pm -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1988

Floor area 24 x 36 sq ft

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	43	272	315
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	253	182	435
Additions to collection 2010	143	101	244
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,847	3,512	11,359
Circulation 2010	7,806	1,699	9,505
Library visits 2010	5,321	3,763	9,084





KAMPUNG ENDAP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Kpg Endap Village Library
Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Hamsiah Abang

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 8.00am -5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1988

Floor area

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	66	45	111
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	263	241	504
Additions to collection 2010	263	191	454
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,790	4,389	11,179
Circulation 2010	4,152	2,280	6,432
Library visits 2010	7,092	4,975	12,067





KAMPUNG NIUP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Kpg Niup Village Library Name of library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Dayang Rajuna bt Awg

Hazmi

Opening hours

1200pm-5.00pm

Monday- Friday Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1992

Floor area

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	27	21	48
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	285	241	526
Additions to collection 2010	218	192	410
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,028	3,551	10,579
Circulation 2010	6,680	2,175	8,855
Library visits 2010	8,867	3,861	12,728





KAMPUNG ENTINGAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Entingan Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Mas ak Bujang

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 199

Floor area

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	42	21	63
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	221	173	394
Additions to collection 2010	201	123	324
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,587	3,357	10,944
Circulation 2010	4,129	2,577	6,706
Library visits 2010	3,124	964	4,088





KAMPUNG REMBUS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Rembus Village Library Samarahan District Council Address

94300 Kota Samarahan

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Linda ak Pinky

Opening hours

Monday-Friday Saturday-Sunday 1200pm-5.00pm

Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1991

Floor area

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	23	54
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	252	115	367
Additions to collection 2010	222	129	351
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,281	2,954	9,235
Circulation 2010	5,075	1,237	6,312
Library visits 2010	4,964	1,243	6,207





KAMPUNG TAMBIRAT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Tambirat Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300, Kota Samarahan

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Suria bt Abdillah

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1993

Floor area 24 x 36 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	45	52	97
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	252	171	423
Additions to collection 2010	171	103	274
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,380	3,413	9,793
Circulation 2010	7,962	5,585	13,547
Library visits 2010	9,965	2,432	12,397





KAMPUNG SAMPUN KELILI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sampun Kelili Village

Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge

Puan Maga ak Labok

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council Village/Community library

Date established 1992

Floor area 24 x 36 sq. Ft Staff 1(Attendant) Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	23	54
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	187	96	283
Additions to collection 2010	115	87	202
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,859	2,581	7,440
Circulation 2010	3,688	1,242	4,930
Library visits 2010	3,713	765	4,478





KAMPUNG TANJONG APONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Tanjung Apong Village

Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Subhah bt Ahmad

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1998

Floor area -

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	30	28	58
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	254	154	408
Additions to collection 2010	116	96	212
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,874	2,444	7,318
Circulation 2010	4,594	1,509	6,103
Library visits 2010	6,598	2,251	8,849





KAMPUNG MOYAN LAUT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Moyan Laut Village

Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Yam bt Paie

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 2000

Floor area 20 x 30 sq. ft

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	46	39	85
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	275	251	526
Additions to collection 2010	208	199	407
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,663	3,500	10,163
Circulation 2010	6,799	1,730	8,529
Library visits 2010	9,896	7,564	17,460





KAMPUNG JEMUKAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Jemukan Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Camillia bt Ismawi

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library

Date established 2000

Floor area 24 x 40 sq. Ft

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	37	38	75
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	242	196	438
Additions to collection 2010	307	114	421
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,011	2,535	6,546
Circulation 2010	5,502	2,539	8,041
Library visits 2010	7,123	3,598	10,721





KAMPUNG SEMERA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Semera Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Saadiah Awet

Opening hours Monday-Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Village library (USP)

Category
Date established

Floor area

1 Attendant Staff Internet terminals Not Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	21	20	41
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	175	164	339
Additions to collection 2010	125	108	233
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,255	3,366	9,621
Circulation 2010	3,340	2,275	5,615
Library visits 2010	6,101	1,416	7,517





KAMPUNG SADONG JAYA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sadong Jaya Village

Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Liza bt Jamaluddin

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 1200pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1996

Floor area 28 x 40 sq. Ft Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	41	27	68
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	251	210	461
Additions to collection 2010	299	104	403
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,579	3,147	8,726
Circulation 2010	5,240	2,468	7,708
Library visits 2010	5,674	2,586	8,260





KAMPUNG EMPILA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Empila Village Library

Address Samarahan District Council

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Sanit bt Onet

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 1200pm-5.00pm Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Samarahan District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 200

Floor area

Staff 1 Attendant Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	29	60
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	276	231	507
Additions to collection 2010	103	98	201
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,984	1,315	4,299
Circulation 2010	3,677	1,028	4,705
Library visits 2010	6,321	2,980	9,301





SAMAR INDAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Samar Indah Village Library

Address Taman Samar Indah

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Mohd Zamri Mohd Ali

Nazariah Nong Chik

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 1200pm-5.00pm Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area

Staff 1 S17 Internet terminals -

STAKAN JAYA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Stakan Jaya Village Library

Address Stakan Jaya

94300, Kota Samarahan,

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Rozidah Binti Ismuni

Ong Soon Mui

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 1200pm-5.00pm Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village library (SP)

Date established 2009

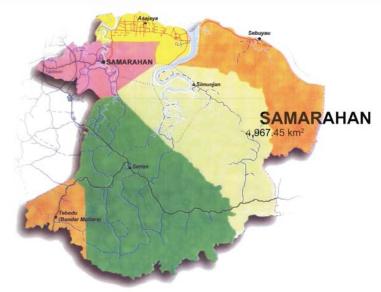
Floor area

Staff 1 S17 Internet terminals -



Simunjan District Council





Background History

The public library in Simunjan began in 1980 with a small facility which opened to the public for three hours per day. It occupied various premises until the construction of its own building in 1998, offering a larger collection and expanded accommodation for library users.

The District Council is also responsible for the branch library at Sebuyau and village libraries at Gedong, Kesindu, Lubuk Punggur and Sebangan. All four village libraries have Internet access for the public provided under the Universal Service Provision programme.

SIMUNJAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Simunjan Public Library
Majlis Daerah Simunjan

Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 082-803736 Fax number 082-803785

E-mail address rajemas1@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Rejemah bt Sofee, Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-1.00pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm, Friday 8.00am-11.45am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council Category District Library (USP)

Date established 1984 Floor area 390m2 Staff 3

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	20	53
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,843	572	2,415
Additions to collection 2010	891	532	1,423
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	28,084		28,084
Circulation 2010	763	787	1,550
Library visits 2010	5,669	1,529	7,198





SEBUYAU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Sebuyau Public Library Address Majlis Daerah Simunjan

Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 083-467466 Fax number 083-467172

E-mail address <u>Kakpah64@yahoo.com.my</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Haspah bt Morni,

Junior Clerical Assistant, N1

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.30pm Friday 8.00am-11.00am, 2.00pm-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council Category District library (USP)

Date established 1982 Floor area 78m2 Staff 2

N1=1, Temporary Staff=1

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	41	19	60
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,695	1,384	4,079
Additions to collection 2010	191	208	399
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	22,281		22,281
Circulation 2010	2,649	289	2,938
Library visits 2010	10,033	1,592	11,625





KESINDU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kesindu Village Library

Address Majlis Daerah Simunjan Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli

New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 082-804015

Fax number 082-803785 (Simunjan District

Council)

E-mail address cfo6o42@hotmail.com

steri84@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Mdm Steri ak Layang

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 9.00am-12.00pm

2.30pm-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1 Jun 1997 Floor area 111.48m2

Staff 1 (temporary staff)

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	4 2		6
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	123	106	229
Additions to collection 2010	153	30	183
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,867		8,867
Circulation 2010	1,159	482	1,641
Library visits 2010	2,395	839	3,234





GEDONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Gedong Village Library Address Majlis Daerah Simunjan

Majlis Daerah Simunjan Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 082-782003

Fax number 082-803785 (Simunjan District

Council)

E-mail address exco571@yahoo.com.my

pdgedong_98@yahoo.com.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Siti Mahwa bt Ibrahim

(Temporary Staff)

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 9.00am-12.00pm

2.30pm-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1989 Floor area 107m2

Staff 1 (temporary staff)

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	3	38
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,535	499	2,034
Additions to collection 2010	143	26	169
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	12,114		12,114
Circulation 2010	2,065	182	2,247
Library visits 2010	930	5,267	6,197





SEBANGAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Sebangan Village Library
Majlis Daerah Simunjan

Majlis Daerah Simunjan Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 082-658700

Fax number 082-803785 (Simunjan District

Council)

E-mail address Harniey74@yahoo.com.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Mahani bt Bosari

(Temporary Staff)

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 9.00am-12.00pm

2.30pm-5.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 22 Oct 1990 Floor area 84 sq meter

Staff 1 (temporary staff)

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	21	10	31
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,074	262	1,336
Additions to collection 2010	193	38	231
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	11,127		11,127
Circulation 2010	1,040	387	1,427
Library visits 2010	5,636	3,111	8,747





KAMPUNG LUBUK PUNGGUR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Lubuk Punggur Village Library

Address Majlis Daerah Simunjan

Lot 805, Gunung Ngeli New Service Centre 94800, Simunjan

Telephone number 082-804016

Fax number 082-803785 (Simunjan District Council)

E-mail address <u>perpustakaandesa_1p@hotmail.com.my</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Suzimah bt Sharbini

(Temporary Staff)

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Simunjan Distrcit Council Category Village library (USP) Date established 2 January 1997

Floor area 42m2

Staff 1 (temporary staff)

Internet terminals Available

As at 31 Dec 2010	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	0	6
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	238	108	346
Additions to collection 2010	175	27	202
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,069		7,069
Circulation 2010	5,456	481	5,937
Library visits 2010	12,923	1,155	14,078





Sri Aman & Betong

DIVISION





Sri Aman District Council

Background History

The public library in Sri Aman was established in the 1960s by Batang Lupar District Council, the predecessor of Sri Aman District Council. Its first modest building was replaced with a new facility in Jalan Paya in 1980, which in turn was superseded by the present three-storey library in Jalan Council. Opened in 1998, this building houses Council meeting space on the top floor, with the library on the ground and first floors. The latest library is well equipped with information technology facilities, installed in 2002 with federal funding and the assistance of Pustaka Negeri Sarawak.

SRI AMAN

The Sri Aman District Council is also responsible for village libraries at Batu Lintang, Lingga and Pantu. The Batu Lintang, Undop Village Library commenced operations in 1988 in a local school. It has since relocated to renovated premises on the campus and is about to benefit from the provision of Internet access under Phase 5 of the USP programme.

The Lingga Village Library was established in 2004 and was equipped with computers with Internet access under Phase 3 of the USP programme in 2005. The village library at Pantu, which opened in 1999, is equipped with computers with Internet access provided under Phase 4 of the USP programme.



SRI AMAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Sri Aman Public Library

Address Lot 205 STLD

Jalan Council 95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number 083-322697

Sri Aman District Council

Fax number 083-320829

Sri Aman District Council

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Opening hours

Tuesday-Thursday: 9.30am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-8.00pm Friday: 9.30am-11.40am, 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday 9.30am-12.30pm

Library Data

Authority Sri Aman District Council

Category District Library

Date established 1960-an Floor area 972 sq meter

Staff 10

S17=3, N1=1,Temporary

Staff=6

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	455	177	632
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	455	177	632
Additions to collection 2010	859		859
Total collection as at 31 Oct 2010	69,912		69,912
Circulation 2010	16,785	4,678	21,463
Library visits 2010	38,823	16,843	55,666





BATU LINTANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Batu Lintang Village Library

Address Kuarters Lama

> SK Batu Lintang, 95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number

013-2867374 (Tuai Rumah)

Fax number

083-320829,

(Sri Aman District Council)

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Opening hours

Monday-Thursday:

Puan Rani ak Labik

1.00pm-4.30pm Friday: 9.00am-1.00pm

Library Data

Authority Sri Aman District Council

Category Village library Date established November, 1988 Floor area 30 sq meter

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	41	54	95
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	73	78	151
Additions to collection 2010	100		100
Total collection as at 31 Oct 2010	9,299		9,299
Circulation 2010	2,768	425	3,193
Library visits 2010	6,003	3,313	9,316





PANTU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Address

Pantu Village Library Bangunan Lama Pejabat Daerah Kecil Pantu

95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number

Fax number 083-320829,

(Sri Aman District Council)

E-mail address

Website Person-in-charge

Opening hours

Puan Pauline Ilat

Monday-Friday: 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Sri Aman District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 07.06.1999 Floor area 35 sq meter

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	101	132
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	31	101	132
Additions to collection 2010	139		139
Total collection as at 31 Oct 2010	9,099		9,099
Circulation 2010	2,611	501	3,112
Library visits 2010	2,974	731	3,705





LINGGA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Lingga Village Library

Address Lot 228, Pekan Lingga

95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number 083-567100 Fax number 083-320829,

(Sri Aman District Council)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Cik Siti Huzimah bt Adon

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Sri Aman District Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.09.2004 Floor area 42 sq meter

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	22	53	75
Total members as at 31 Oct 2010	41	87	128
Additions to collection 2010	448		448
Total collection as at 31 Oct 2010	5,937		5,937
Circulation 2010	2,892	920	3,812
Library visits 2010	1,959	1,132	3,091





SRI AMAN MOBILE LIBRARY

Name of library Sri Aman Mobile Library

Address Lot 205 STLD

Jalan Council 95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number 083-322697

Sri Aman District Council

Fax number 083-320829

Sri Aman District Council

E-mail address sthung@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website

Person-in-charge Sii Tong Hung

Library Assistant

Opening hours 5 days per week

Library Data

Authority KKTPK
Category Mobile library

Date established

Floor area

Staff

R3=1, N1=1

Internet terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	447	19	466
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	592	241	833
Additions to collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	30,831		30,831
Circulation 2010	2,993	752	3,745
Library visits 2010	1,710	1,184	2,894



TAMAN HARMONI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Harmoni Village

Library

Address RPR Sri Aman II,

95000 Sri Aman

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Zainun Maliki

Dyg Hafidah Awg Hamdan

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 2 (S27 & S17)
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	60	95
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	134	129	263
Additions to collection, 2010	296		296
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,312		3,312
Circulation 2010	1,235	1,577	2,812
Library visits 2010	3,149	1,945	5,094



ENGKILILI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Engkild Public Library

Address Lubok Antu District Council,

95800 Engkilili

Telephone number 083-563173

(Lubok Antu District Council)

Fax number 083-563144

(Lubok Antu District Council)

E-mail address tohwl@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Toh Wan Leng

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours 35 hours and 30 minutes a

week

Library Data

Authority Lubok Antu District Council

Category Public Library (USP)

Date established 1984

Floor area

Ground floor 178.2 sq. m First floor 205.2 sq. M

Staff 4

S17=1, S11=1, N1=2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	89	40	129
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,214	1,193	2,407
Additions to collection 2010	281	382	663
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	19,063	12,315	31,378
Circulation 2010	7,995	5,125	13,120
Library visits 2010	9,448	16,045	25,493





LUBOK ANTU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Lubok Antu Public Library

Address Lubok Antu District Council 95800

Lubok Antu

Telephone number 083-584977 Fax number 083-564107

E-mail address <u>mollyr 1518@yahoo.com</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Molly Ak Ruk

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 8.00am-1.00 pm,

2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday 8.00am-11.45am,2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lubok Antu District Council

Category Public Library (USP)

Date established 1986

Floor area First floor: 250 sq. M

Staff 2

S17=1, N1=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	16	26	42
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	630	1,088	1,718
Additions to collection 2010	210	243	453
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,811	15,846	23,657
Circulation 2010	3,645	2,862	6,507
Library visits 2010	3,435	1,873	5,308





BETONG PUBLIC LIBRARY

Betong Public Library Name of library Majlis Daerah Betong Address

Bangunan Kubu Rentap 95700

Betong

Telephone number 083-472791/083-472031

Fax number 083-472192

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Roslina Blumpong

Opening hours Monday-Friday 9.00am -1.00pm, 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Betong District Council Category District/Public library

Date established 01.04.2001

Floor area 10.97m x 18.29 m

Staff

Not available Internet terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	90	106	196
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	4,303	2,476	6,779
Additions to collection 2010	238	271	509
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	19,125	10,117	29,242
Circulation 2010	25,429	14,279	39,708
Library visits 2010	37,833	19,364	57,197





SPAOH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Spaoh Public Library Address Majlis Daerah Betong

Bangunan Kubu Rentap

95700 Betong

Telephone number 083-473207 Fax number 083-472192

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge En. Ahmad Osini b Bujang Ali

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 9.00am-13.00pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Betong District Council Category District library (USP)

Date established 01.08.1994

Floor area Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	32	17	49
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,006	678	2,684
Additions to collection 2010	232	219	451
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,750	4,919	13,669
Circulation 2010	2,087	1,623	3,710
Library visits 2010	8,014	2,842	10,856





DEBAK PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Debak Public Library
Majlis Daerah Betong

Bangunan Kubu Rentap

95700 Betong

Telephone number 083-464028 Fax number 083-472192

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Puan Roslina Blumpong

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 9.00am-1.00pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Betong District Council Category Public library (USP)

Date established 03.08.1994

Floor area - Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	25	5	30
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,038	637	1,675
Additions to collection 2010	235	160	395
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,860	6,083	14,943
Circulation 2010	1,819	923	2,742
Library visits 2010	2,539	924	3,463





PUSA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Pusa Public Library Address Majlis Daerah Betong

Bangunan Kubu Rentap

95700 Betong

Telephone number 083-567200 Fax number 083-472192

E-mail address -Website -Person-in-charge -

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 9.00am-1.00pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Betong District Council
Category District/Public library (USP)

01.03.2000

Date established

Floor area

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	58	4	62
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,029	952	1,981
Additions to collection 2010	127	153	280
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,651	2,826	7,477
Circulation 2010	1,974	1,091	3,065
Library visits 2010	7,109	3,250	10,359



PNK BELADIN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library PNK Beladin Village Library

Address Majlis Daerah Betong

Bangunan Kubu Rentap

95700 Betong

Telephone number 083-472791/472031 (MDB)

Fax number 083-472192 (MDB) Person-in-charge Norzela Bt. Tahir

Opening hours

Monday Closed

Tuesday - Friday 10.00am-12.00pm,

2.00pm-4.00pm

Saturday - Sunday 9.00am-1.00pm

Library Data

Authority Betong District Council
Category Village/Community library

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	65	13	78
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	446	80	526
Additions to collection 2010	163	21	184
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,543	2,805	8,348
Circulation 2010	1,435	508	1,943
Library visits 2010	2,348	908	3,256





KAMPUNG SPINANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Spinang Village

Library

Address Kampung Spinang Village

Library

95700 Betong

Telephone number -

Fax number -

E-mail address pdspinang@hotmail.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Saadiah Binti Maliki Hamisam Binti Alias

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 08.00am-01.00pm,

02.00am-05.00pm

Friday 08.00am-11.45am,

02.15pm-05.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established Januari 2008
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 1 S17 /1 N1
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	16	49	65
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	287	534	821
Additions to collection, 2010	-	-	-
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Circulation 2010	4,342	4,357	8,699
Library visits 2010	7,546	9,067	16,613



BELADIN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Beladin Village Library

Address Beladin Village Library

94950 Pusa, Bahagian Betong,

Sarawak

Telephone number -

Fax number -

E-mail address is_3289@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Saadiah Binti Maliki

Ismail Bin Arshad

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 08.00am-01.00pm,

02.00pm-05.00pm

Friday 08.00am-11.45am,

02.15pm-05.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established Januari 2008 Floor area 1000 sq. m. Staff 1 S17 /1 N1 Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	97	48	145
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	266	675	941
Additions to collection, 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	-	ı	-
Circulation 2010	9,216	9,976	19,192
Library visits 2010	7,956	15,923	23,879



KAMPUNG HULU MELUDAM VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Hulu Meludam

Village Library

Address Kampung Hulu Meludam

94950 Pusa, Bahagian Betong,

Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Saadiah Binti Maliki

Hellis Binti Alias

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 08.00am-01.00pm,

02.00pm-05.00pm

Friday 08.00am-11.45am,

02.15pm-05.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established Januari 2008 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 1 S27 / 1 S17 / 1 N1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	51	102	153
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	660	865	1525
Additions to collection, 2010	-	-	-
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Circulation 2010	6,197	18,512	24,709
Library visits 2010	18,593	25,322	43,915



KAMPUNG TENGAH PUSA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Tengah Pusa

Village Library

Address Kampung Tengah Pusa

Village Library 95700 Betong

Person-in-charge Zainun Binti Maliki Was Asilah Binti Ibrahim

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2005 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2

Internet terminals Not available



RGC LAYAR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RGC Layar Village Library

Address RGC Layar Village Library

95700 Betong

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Zainun Binti Maliki

Noor Hashimah Ali Hussain

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2005 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2

Internet terminals Not available



Saratok District Council

Background History

Saratok Public Library began operations in early 1960, when it was known as Kalaka Public Library. From 1970 to 1984 the library was housed in the Saratok District Council building. In June 1984 a new library building opened to the public, but by the 1990s demand had increased to such an extent that a larger and better equipped building was required. So in 1998 the current Saratok Public Library was constructed, a fully air-conditioned building with a reading area twice the size of its predecessor. Here library users, now numbering more than 2000, have access to a collection of over 46,000 items. Personal computers with network access

BETONG BETONG were an instant success when they were installed in December 2005 and there are now eight Internet terminals.

Library users are assisted by eight staff who typically handle over 35,000 loan transactions, take hundreds of Internet bookings and provide reference and information services for 43,000 visitors each year. Children and teenagers are keen users of the Library, representing about half the registered members and accounting for well over half the visits and Internet bookings each year. The Saratok District Council is also responsible for branch libraries at Kabong and Roban, and a village library at Nyabor.

Saratok Public Library honours its frequent users. Mr Limping anak Junit, a Saratok resident and school teacher by profession, is one of the Library's most assiduous readers, borrowing around a hundred items each year, with a preference for fiction and history. He also makes good use of the reference collection when he visits the Library. Wendy Ong Hui Sang, a Form 3 student, borrows around sixty books in a typical year, keeping up with the latest Harry Potter novel when it comes out and making frequent use of the Library's reference collection and computers. Her examination results make her a good advertisement for regular library use.

The public library at Kabong, at the mouth of the Kerian River, began operations in 1994. It has a single staff member and a library membership of over two thousand. There are over 23,000 items in the collection, about a quarter of which are intended for junior members of the library. The library is equipped with two personal computers for the public, with Internet access.

Roban Public Library opened in 1991 in the local authority administration building. It has a single staff member and a library membership of about 600, with about equal numbers of adults and young people. The collection numbers some 15,000 items, about a quarter of which form the junior collection. Network access was provided in 2005 and in June 2006 two personal computers were provided for public access to the Internet. Nyabor Village Library opened in 1999. With one staff member, it has about 500 registered library members, with access to a collection of just under 4,000 items.

SARATOK PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Saratok Public Library

Address P.O. Box 73

Jalan Datuk Abg. Abu Talip

95407 Saratok

Telephone number 083-436422

(Saratok District Council)

Fax number 083-436511

(Saratok District Council)

E-mail address library_sdc @yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Noorazie bt Jahari

Opening hours

Sunday & Monday Close

Tuesday - Thursday 11.00am - 7.00pm, Friday 12.00pm-7.00pm Saturday 8.00am-4.00pm

Library Data

Authority Saratok District Council Category Village library (PDSI)

Date established 1960 -an Floor area 347.6 m2

Staff 8 (S17=1, N1=2, R1=1 &

Kontrak=4)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	44	60	104
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,267	1,505	2,772
Additions to collection 2010	649	501	1,150
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	16,158	37,002	53,160
Circulation 2010	1,169	1,771	2,940
Library visits 2010	9,821	8,567	18,388





KABONG PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Kabong Public Library

Address P.O. Box 73

Jalan Datuk Abg. Abu Talip

95407 Saratok

Telephone number 083-431163 Fax number 083-436511

(Saratok District Council)

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge

Masitah @ Saitah bt Sabki

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 8.00am - 1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday 8.00am-11.45am & 2.15pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Saratok District Council Public library (USP) Category

Date established 01.04.1992 90 m2 Floor area Staff

N1=1, Contract=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	49	8	57
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,213	961	2,174
Additions to collection 2010	259	273	532
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,588	18,604	27,192
Circulation 2010	3,990	5,621	9,611
Library visits 2010	689	642	1,331





ROBAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Roban Public Library

Address P.O. Box 73

Jalan Datuk Abg. Abu Talip

95407 Saratok

Telephone number 083-427497 Fax number 083-436511

(Saratok District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Lui Lee Geok

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 8.00am - 1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday 8.00am-11.45am &

2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Saratok District Council Category Public library (USP)

Date established 1991
Floor area 90 m2
Staff 1 (N1=1)
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	8	19	27
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	392	373	765
Additions to collection 2010	237	247	484
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,702	12,516	18,218
Circulation 2010	3,035	5,091	8,126
Library visits 2010	7,995	4,047	12,042





KAMPUNG NYABOR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Nyabor Village Library

Address P.O. Box 73

Jalan Datuk Abg. Abu Talip

95407 Saratok

Telephone number 084-394704 Fax number 083-436511,

(Saratok District Council)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Rosminah bt Jarenie

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 1.00pm - 5.00pm Friday 8.00am-12.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Saratok District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 21.06.1999
Floor area 71.46 m2
Staff 1 (R1=1)
Internet terminals Available

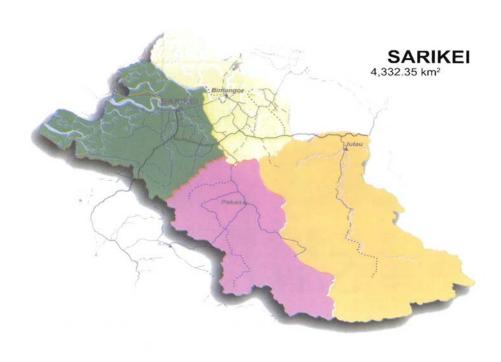
	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	29	11	40
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	394	232	626
Additions to collection 2010	126	154	280
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,810	3,325	7,135
Circulation 2010	2,873	3,968	6,841
Library visits 2010	5,330	4,552	9,882

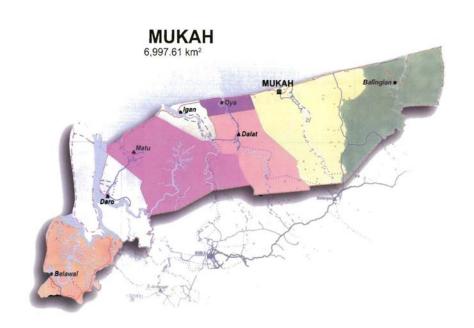




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MATU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Matu Public Library

Majlis Daerah Matu & Daro, Address

96250 Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-832233, 082-832498

Fax number 084-832343

E-mail address mdmdmatu@tm.net.my

Website http://www.matudarodc.gov.my

Person-in-charge Gani @ Abdul Rahman Suot,

Library Assistant

Opening hours Monday-Thursday 8.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm &

6.00pm-9.00pm,

Friday 8.00am-11.30am &

2.15pm-5.00pm & 6.00pm-9.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District Council

Category District/Public Library

Date established 01.06.1980 60 feet x 150 feet Floor area

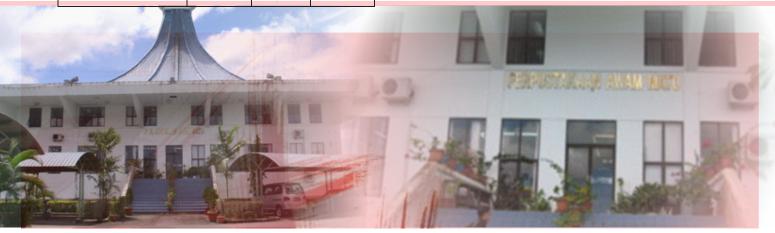
Staff

S17=1, N1=1 Attendant=2

Internet terminals Available

	Teens	(Adult)	I otal
New members 2010	5	13	18
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	498	512	1,010
Additions to collection 2010	195	177	372
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	14,514	8,964	23,478
Circulation 2010	8,055	3,635	11,960
Library visits 2010	6,655	5,184	11,839





IGAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Igan Public Library Address Kampung Igan

96300 Igan

Telephone number 084-824201

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge

Hjh. Norsiah bt Hj. Sanyut

Opening hours Monday-Thursday

8.00am-1.00pm 2.00pm-5.00pm 8.00am-11.30am

Friday 8.00am-11.30am 2.15pm-5.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Public library (USP)

Date established 21.07.1979

Floor area 36 feet x 60 feet =

2,160 sq. Feet

Staff 2

S11=1, Attendant=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	17	5	22
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	361	182	543
Additions to collection 2010	147	129	276
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,989	7,239	17,228
Circulation 2010	6,336	2,894	9,230
Library visits 2010	10,464	489	10,953





DARO PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Daro Public Library

Address Majlis Daerah Matu dan Daro,

96200, Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number

084-823227

Fax number
E-mail address

Website -

Person-in-charge Jahar b. Bakar

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-1.00pm,2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday

8.00am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm.

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District Council

Category Public / District Library

Date established February, 1980 Floor area February 36 feet x 48 feet =

1,728 sq. Feet

Staff 2

S11=1, N3=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	4	2	6
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	309	233	542
Additions to collection 2010	189	187	376
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	13,682	10,641	24,323
Circulation 2010	4,335	2,854	7,189
Library visits 2010	10,526	728	11,254





BELAWAI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Belawai Public Library Address Kampung Belawai

Belawai, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-815291 Fax number -

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Zainab bt Rasit, Library Assistant, S11

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.00am-1.00pm,2.00pm-6.00pm

Friday 8.00am-11.30am,

2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District Council

Category Public / District Library

Date established 01.08.1980

Floor area 60 feet x 60 feet =

3,600 sq. Feet

Staff 2

S11=1, Temporary Staff=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	5	13	18
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	498	512	1,010
Additions to collection 2010	162	84	246
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	13,099	7,671	20,770
Circulation 2010	6,974	579	7,553
Library visits 2010	13,116	4,371	17,487





KAMPUNG SEKAAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Sekaan Village

Library

Address Kampung Sekaan Besar

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Maimunah bt Hazmi

Opening hours Monday-Friday

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library
Date established 26.06.1996
Floor area 36 feet x 48 feet =

1,728 sq. feet

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	35	32	67
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	686	263	949
Additions to collection 2010	137	124	261
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,294	6,972	10,266
Circulation 2010	3,334	3,594	6,928
Library visits 2010	2,372	1,944	4,316





KAMPUNG BAWANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Bawang Village

Library, Matu

Address Kampung Bawang

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Hjh Noraini bt Hj Jennis

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 26.06.1996

Floor area 24 feet x 36 feet =

864 sq. Feet

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	11	2	13
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	111	163	274
Additions to collection 2010	99	113	212
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,285	1,184	7,469
Circulation 2010	13,279	2,255	15,534
Library visits 2010	7,815	671	8,486





KAMPUNG PERGAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Pergau Village

Library

Address Kampung Pergau

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Jauyah bt Rati

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 03.05.1997

Floor area 24 feet x 24 feet =

576 sq. Feet

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	86	34	120
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	566	442	1,008
Additions to collection 2010	67	82	149
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,818	3,412	7,230
Circulation 2010	12,044	4,891	16,935
Library visits 2010	8,892	5,492	14,384





KAMPUNG TIAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Tian Village

Library

Address Kampung Tian

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number -

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 04.09.1995

Floor area 24 feet x 36 feet =

864 sq. Feet

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	223	13	236
Additions to			
collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,446	1,332	8,778
Circulation 2010	0	0	0
Library visits 2010	743	739	1,482





KAMPUNG BETANAK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Betanak Village

Library

Kampung Betanak Address

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Zubaidah bt Hj Semuni

Opening hours Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library Date established 28.04.1997 Floor area 24 feet x 24 feet =

576 sq. feet

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	8	15
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	52	44	96
Additions to collection 2010	57	34	91
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,077	3,011	7,088
Circulation 2010	4,183	2,194	6,377
Library visits 2010	743	739	1,482





KAMPUNG BRUIT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Bruit Village

Library

Address Kampung Bruit

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Suaila bt Matali

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library
Date established 18.06.1997
Floor area 36 feet x 36 feet =

1,296 sq. feet

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	23	4	27
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	610	44	654
Additions to			
collection 2010	35	6	41
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	5,333	1,999	7,332
Circulation 2010	5,439	1,049	6,488
Library visits 2010	603	501	1,104





KAMPUNG KUALA MATU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Kuala Matu Village

Library

Address Kampung Kuala Matu

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Muhibbah bt Dahni

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 26.06.1996

Floor area 24 feet x 36 feet =

864 sq. feet

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	64	66	130
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	470	86	556
Additions to collection 2010	77	9	86
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,731	1,093	4,824
Circulation 2010	3,116	2,607	5,723
Library visits 2010	3,140	2,382	5,522



KAMPUNG RAJANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Rajang Village

Library

Address Kampung Rajang

Belawai, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Radiah bt Saraiee

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library
Date established 11.07.1994

Floor area 36 feet x 30 feet =

1,080 sq. Feet

Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	46	7	53
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	642	363	1,005
Additions to			
collection 2010	107	69	176
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	8,813	3,203	12,016
Circulation 2010	9,829	1,982	11,811
Library visits 2010	11,247	1,903	13,150
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KAMPUNG TEKAJONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Tekajong Village

Library

Address Kampung Tekajong

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Hamima bt Madalain

Opening hours Monday-Friday

2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library Date established 03.05.1997 Floor area

24 feet x 34 feet =

576 sq. Feet

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	3	0	3
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	374	47	421
Additions to			
collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	1,707	5,452	7,159
Circulation 2010	674	531	1,205
Library visits 2010	728	642	1,370





KAMPUNG JERIJEH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Jerijeh Village

Library

Address Kampung Jerijeh, Belawai,

Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Zaimah bt Arbi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 13.05.1991

Floor area 34 feet x 36 feet =

846 sq. Feet

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	34	12	46
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	487	335	822
Additions to			
collection 2010	141	195	336
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	6,955	997	7,952
Circulation 2010	4,448	1,235	5,683
Library visits 2010	6,055	1,629	7,684





KAMPUNG PALOH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Paloh, Village

Library

Address Kampung Paloh

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Rokiah bt Muhim

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 12.07.1993

Floor area 36 feet x 48 feet = 1,728 sq. ft.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	3	0	3
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	830	348	1,178
Additions to			
collection 2010	268	219	487
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	12,429	5,846	18,275
Circulation 2010	3,908	1,122	5,030
Library visits 2010	487	340	827





KAMPUNG JEMORENG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Jemoreng Village

Library

Address Kampung Jemoreng

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Rahah bt Mahsen

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library
Date established 05.09.1995
Floor area 36 feet x 48 feet =

1,728 sq. feet

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	24	9	33
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	253	78	331
Additions to collection 2010	170	43	213
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,796	1,432	9,228
Circulation 2010	7,698	2,114	9,812
Library visits 2010	4,359	2,591	6,950





KAMPUNG SEMOP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Semop Village

Library

Address Kampung Semop

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number

Fax number E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Seroha bt Assim

Opening hours Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library Date established April, 1993 Floor area

20 feet x 30 feet =

600 sq. Feet

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Available Internet terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	24	9	33
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	239	303	542
Additions to			
collection 2010	130	27	157
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	7,956	2,554	10,510
Circulation 2010	8,305	5,280	13,585
Library visits 2010	865	724	1,589





KAMPUNG SERDENG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Serdeng Village

Library

Address Kampung Serdeng

Daro, Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Rosiah bt Demi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 12.07.1993

Floor area 36 feet x 48 feet =

1,728 sq. Feet

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	0	7
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	57	34	91
Additions to			
collection 2010	119	136	255
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	7,010	1,760	8,770
Circulation 2010	4,922	1,136	6,058
Library visits 2010	3,486	531	4,017





KAMPUNG PENASU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Penasu Village

Library

Address Kampung Penasu, Daro,

Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Siti Zubaidah bt Udin

Opening hours Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library

Date established

36 feet x 30 feet =Floor area

1,080 sq. ft.

Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	44	12	56
Additions to			
collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	209	169	378
Circulation 2010	0	0	0
Library visits 2010	0	0	0





RASSAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Rassau Village Library

Address Batang Igan

Igan, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Shelia ak Bayak

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Matu and Daro District

Council

Category Village library

Date established

Floor area 36 feet x 30 feet = 1,080 sq.

ft.

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	40	34	74
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	477	331	808
Additions to			
collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	1,008	1,476	2,484
Circulation 2010	5,823	4,563	10,386
Library visits 2010	920	484	1,404





TANJUNG MANIS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Tanjung Manis Village Library

Address Q.1, Perumahan PUSAKA

Perumahan Tanjung Manis Bandar Baru Tanjung Manis 96150, Belawai, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-613061

Fax number -

E-mail address <u>syuktm@yahoo.com.my</u>
Website <u>http://syuktm.webs.com</u>
Person-in-charge Aimi Hamizah bt Adenan

Shokeri Bin Sidek

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 8.00am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 08.09.2005

Floor area 36 feet x 60 feet = 2,160 sq.

Feet

Staff 1

S17=1,

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	16	29	45
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	481	338	819
Additions to collection 2010	280	378	658
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,231	3,255	5,486
Circulation 2010	2,201	831	3,032
Library visits 2010	2,304	1,576	3,880





JEMORENG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Jemoreng Village Library

Address Kampung Jemoreng

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number
Fax number

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge

Zulzuraida Binti Usop

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 8.00am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area 1,000sq. Feet

Staff 1

S17=1

Internet terminals Available





PANGTRAY VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pangtray Village Library Address Kampung Pangtray

Matu, Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge

Noramala Binti Gapar

Opening hours Monday-Friday

8.00am-12.30pm,

2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data
Authority

PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area 1,000sq. Feet

Staff

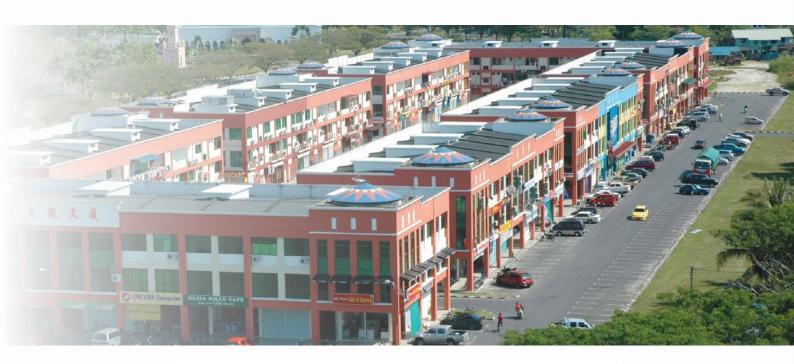
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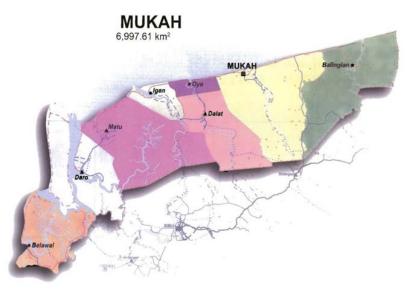
Internet terminals Available





Dalat and Mukah





Background History

Mukah Public Library began operations in the Dalat and Mukah District Council office building in Jalan Kubu II in 1971. Three years later a library building was constructed in the old Mukah town centre, but in 1986 this building made way for a major redevelopment and occupied short-term premises until the completion of the current library building in 2002. The Library is managed by the Dalat and Mukah District Council. About 33,000 people visit the Library each year and have access to a collection of about 55,000 items. It is particularly popular with young students, one of whom has read a staggering 576 books in one year.

Dalat and Mukah District Council also operates a branch library at Dalat and village libraries at Balingian and Oya.

MUKAH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Mukah Public Library

Address C/O Dalat & Mukah District

Council,

Jalan Kubu II, P.O. Box 68, 96400,

Mukah

Telephone number 084-873728, 084-871621

Fax number 084-871041

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Geoffrey Mut, Library Assistant,

S22

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm,2.00pm-5.00pm,

7.30pm-8.30pm

Friday 9.30am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

7.30pm-8.30pm

Saturday 2.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Dalat & Mukah District Council

Category District/Public Library

Date established 01.10. 1971 Floor area 1,156 Sq. m.

Staff 5 (S22=1, S17 = 3, N1= 1)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	465	117	582
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	4,030	987	5,017
Additions to collection 2010	702	410	1,112
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	30,903	32,459	63,362
Circulation 2010	11,555	4,566	16,121
Library visits 2010	40,328	8,380	48,708





DALAT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Dalat Public Library

Address C/O Dalat & Mukah District

Council,

Cawangan Dalat, 96300, Dalat.

Telephone number 084-863109 Fax number 084-864336

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Juhan Bin Ilul

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm Friday 9.30am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Dalat & Mukah District Council Category District/Public library (USP)

Date established February, 1980 Floor area 1,728 sq. Feet Staff 2(S17=1, N1=1)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	433	39	472
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,788	367	2,155
Additions to collection 2010	151	159	310
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	21,203	13,263	34,466
Circulation 2010	9,796	3,597	13,393
Library visits 2010	16,988	7,277	24,265





OYA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Oya Village Library

Address C/O Dalat & Mukah District

Council,

Cawangan Dalat, 96300, Dalat

Telephone number 084-865980 Fax number 084-864336

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Jephari Taib Bin Sarih

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm Friday 9.30am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Dalat & Mukah District Council Category District/Public library (USP)

Date established 25.06.1997 Floor area 1,344 Sq. Feet

Staff 2 (S17=1, Temporary Staff=1)

Internet terminals Available





BALINGIAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Bala Address C/O

Balingian Village Library C/O Dalat & Mukah District

Council,

Cawangan Balingian, 96350,

Balingian

Telephone number Fax number

086-480010 086-484128

E-mail address --Website --

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Mark Hilary Laisek

Person-in-charge Opening hours Monday-Thursday

9.30am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm 9.30am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

Friday Saturday-Sunday

Closed

Library Data

Authority Dalat & Mukah District Council

Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 01.11.1993 Floor area 1,800 Sq. Feet

Staff 2(S17=1, Temporary Staff=1)

Internet terminals Available





DALAT & MUKAH MOBILE LIBRARY

Dalat & Mukah Mobile Library Name of library C/O Dalat & Mukah District Address

Council, Jalan Kubu II

P.O. Box 68

96400 Mukah

084-873728 samb 24 Telephone number

Fax number 084-871041

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Normah Binti Mahali

9.00am-12.00pm,

Opening hours Monday-Friday Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority KKTPK Category Mobile library Date established May, 2001

Floor area

Staff 3

> S17=1, N1=1, R3=1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	428	12	440
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,305	559	2,864
Additions to collection 2010	87	48	135
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,898	4,871	14,769
Circulation 2010	8,986	491	9,477
Library visits 2010	8,986	491	9,477





TEH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Teh Village Library Address Kampung Teh

Mukah

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Helmi Janting

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm Friday 9.30am-11.30am, 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area 1,000 Sq. Feet

Staff S17 Internet terminals -



Sarikei District Council



Background History

Sarikei Public Library began operations in the 1960s when it was housed in a wooden building in Jalan Getah. It consisted of a small reading room supervised by an attendant, with a few newspaper titles and no magazines at all. Books were provided by the then Sarawak State Library on bulk loan. There were no local funds available for the purchase of library books and the collection was very limited.

SARIKEI

4,332.35 km²

SARIKEI

with a floor area of 200

In October 1972, a new single storey building with a floor area of 200 square metres was built for the library in Lorong Layang-Layang near the Council offices. The new Sarikei District Council Library was declared open by the then Minister of Local Government, Encik Sim Kheng Hong and had a staff of two and a book stock of 6,902 items. In 1985 this building was extended, but demand was such that a further extension was needed in 1989. By 2002 the book stock had grown to 113,232 items. Not only was it popular with its users, but it was recognised for its superior service in the 2000 and 2002 awards of the Ministry of Environment and Public Health. Sustained high demand led the Council to construct a new library at Jalan Kapur, Sarikei, which opened in 2003.

The new library, which is managed by Sarikei District Council, has a floor area of approximately 2,000 sq metres and cost RM3.2 million to construct and equip. It is a striking two storey building surrounding a landscaped courtyard. The entrance wing contains an exhibition hall and a foyer which leads into the double-storey library proper. Here there is a spacious reading area, the lending section, the reference collection and staff offices. There is a children's section which includes an activity room. Other facilities include a hypermedia room, a multi purpose and discussion rooms, a Sarikeiana Collections Room and a senior citizens' corner. The entrance corridor is ramped to facilitate access for people with a disability.

One of the first District Council libraries to computerise using its own funding, the library uses the Angkasa Library Management System developed by Sarawak Information Systems (SAINS). This comprehensive system includes Online Public Access Catalogues (OPAC s), cataloguing, acquisition, membership and circulation modules, and has advanced features for clients, including online reservations.

The Sarikei Public Library was judged 'Best Library 2004' in the District Council category by the Ministry of Environment and Public Health, Sarawak (KASKA).

The District Council, with guidance from the Sarawak State Library, has also established libraries in rural areas. In 1981, the Council set up its first village library in Belawai in a converted clinic, with a part-time attendant to supervise the reading room. Three years later a new two storey building of about 90 square metres was constructed on this site, with the ground floor used by the library and the first floor as staff and visitor accommodation.

Jerijeh Village Library was established in 1991 and was temporarily housed under the mosque. In 1995, Council resolved to upgrade library services and provided a budget of RM70,000 for a permanent building, which was duly completed in the following year. A part-time attendant was appointed to supervise the library.

Paloh Village Library began operations in 1993 in a former school building, but in 1996 RM100,000 was allocated for a new building. The new library, under the care of a part-time attendant, opened to the public in 1998.

Rejang Village Library opened on 11 July 1994 in a former clinic owned by the Sarawak Woodchip Company and was jointly administered by the then Sarawak State Library, the District Council and the Company. Under this unique arrangement the Company made the building available and paid the power bills. The District Council provided newspapers, magazines, books and stationery and maintained the library building. The Sarawak State Library paid the salary of a part-time attendant and supplied bulk loans of books. Twice, in 1997 and in 1999, this library has won the award for Best Village Library.

The two-storey Jakar Library, constructed at a cost of about RM200,000, opened in 1993. The library, supervised by a part-time attendant, is on the ground floor, with staff quarters on the first floor. The building was fully air-conditioned in 2003. In 2006 this was one of the village libraries provided with upgraded network facilities and it was equipped with 6 Internet terminals provided by Pustaka Negeri Sarawak.

In May 2002, four of the village libraries - Belawai, Jerijeh, Paloh and Rejang - were transferred to the control of the Matu/Daro District Council as a result of a rearrangement of Divisional boundaries

The Sarikei District Council area is also served by a mobile library service. Launched in 1993 and operated by the Ministry of Environment and Public Health in collaboration with the Council, it provides library services to 39 primary schools in the Sarikei Division as well as operating in the Sibu and Betong Divisions.

Selalang Library, situated just next to the Mandor Aris school and the Selalang Market, was constructed at a cost of RM168,000 and opened to the public in 2004. It includes a separate air-conditioned room with four Internet computers for the public. The library is managed by a part-time attendant.

Sungai Pasi Village Library was built at a cost of RM137,000 and opened to the public in 2005. It too is managed by a part-time attendant.

SARIKEI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Sarikei Public Library Sarikei Public Library Address

Jalan Kapur 96100 Sarikei

Telephone number 084-657840, 084-653618 Fax number 084-658623, 084-653702 E-mail address sarikeilib@sarikei.gov.my

Website

Person-in-Charge Kartini bt. Hj. Kiprawi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 10.00am-12.00pm

2.30pm-9.00pm

Saturday & Sunday 9.00am-1.30pm

Library Data

Authority Sarikei District Council

Category District library Date established 01 August 2003 Floor area 2,000 m2

Staff 18

S22: 1 S17: 8 S11: 1 Temporary Staff: 8

Internet terminals 29 units

Staff: 14 Public: 12

OPAC: 3

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	517	216	733
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	4,890	2,405	7,295
Additions to collection 2010	3,576		3,576
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	142,411		142,411
Circulation 2010	68,051	27,173	95,224
Library visits 2010	22,596	15,064	37,660





SELALANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Selalang Village Library

Address Selalang, Sarikei Telephone number 084-661439

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Marina bt. Abd. Hamid

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 09:00am-11:30am, 2.00pm-5:30pm

Saturday 09.00am-12:00pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sarikei District Council Category Village Library (PDSI)

Date established 17 May 2004 Floor area 45 x 85 m

Staff 1 Internet terminals 4 units

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	32	6	38
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	172	40	212
Additions to collection 2010	157		157
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,783		5,783
Circulation 2010	4,176	322	4,498
Library visits 2010	4,771	1,923	6,694





JAKAR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Jakar Village Library

Jakar, Sarikei Address 084 - 671217 Telephone number

Fax number E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Pn. Kong Siew Sia

Opening hours Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm Saturday 2.00pm-5.00pm Closed

Sunday

Library Data

Authority Sarikei District Council Category Village Library (PDSI) Date established 1 November 1993

Floor area 45 x 85 m

Staff 1 Internet terminals 5 units

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	44	21	65
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	735	436	1,171
Additions to collection 2010	724		724
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	23,345		23,345
Circulation 2010	9,249	2,380	11,629
Library visits 2010	13,382	6,763	20,145





SUNGAI PASI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Sungai Pasi Village Library

Address Sg. Pasi, Sarikei. Telephone number 084-698002

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Pn. Jessis Viv Ak Linang

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-5.30pm Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sarikei District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 4 July 2005 Floor area 45 x 85 m

Staff 1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	1	8
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	87	16	103
Additions to collection 2010	346		346
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,840		2,840
Circulation 2010	741	217	958
Library visits 2010	377	3	380





SARIKEI MOBILE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Jalan Kapur, 96100, Sarikei
Telephone number
084-657840, 084-653618

(Sarikei District Council)

Fax number 084-658623

(Sarikei District Council)

E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Zawiyah bt. Said Opening hours 38 service point

Library Data

Authority KKTPK
Category Mobile library
Date established 15 May 1993

Floor area - Staff 2

R3=1, S17 (temporary=1)

Internet terminals -

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	275	40	315
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,799	297	2,096
Additions to collection 2010	194		194
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	36,104		36,104
Circulation 2010	12,558	1,224	13,782
Library visits 2010	-	-	-





E - PUSTAKA SARIKEI

Name of library e-Pustaka Sarikei

Address Perpustakaan Awam Sarikei

Jalan Kapur, 96100, Sarikei

Telephone number 084-657840, 084-653618

(Sarikei District Council)

Fax number 084-658623

(Sarikei District Council)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge En. Jonathan Bill Ak Andoh

Opening hours 8.00am-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Category Mobile library
Date established 5 May 2008

Floor area - Staff 1

Internet terminals 10 units

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	-	1	ı
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010		-	-
Additions to collection 2010	0	0	0
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	496		496
Circulation 2010	-	-	-
Library visits 2010	3,993		3,993





TAMAN SUSUR JAMBU INDAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Susur Jambu Indah

Village Library

Address RPR Taman Susur Jambu

96100 Sarikei

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Aimi Hamizah bt. Adenan

Fatimah Binti Mustapa

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 2

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	44	45	89
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	331	266	597
Additions to collection, 2010	384		384
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,014		3,014
Circulation 2010	3,098	2,623	5,721
Library visits 2010	14,609	4,555	19,164



Maradong & Julau District Council



Background History

The first Bintangor Public Library opened in 1974 in a new single storey building with a floor area of 400 square metres. There were two staff and a collection of about three thousand items. To meet growing demand, a new two-storey building was constructed for the library at a cost of RM1.4 million. It opened to the public in 1997, and now has a collection of over 75,000 items and attracts over 44,000 visits a year. The level of visits and loans is remarkable for a library with a membership of just over 1350 people.

The public library at Julau started life in 1997 in a wooden building and relocated to new premises in 1995. This too is a busy library, with over 45, 000 visits per year. Heavy use is made of the Internet terminals which were provided under the Universal Service Provision program. The Pakan Public Library commenced operations in 1985 and relocated to more spacious premises in the same building in 2006.

Village libraries managed by Maradong and Julau District Council are located at Sungai Tulai (established in 1988 as one of the initiatives of Reading Year), Muara Lebaan (1992), Sepena (1995) and Telak Batu (1995). Most of the village libraries are located close to schools and count students among their most active users.



BINTANGOR PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Bintangor Public Library
Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-693415

Fax number 084-693973 (MDMJ)

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Chiong Wan Ting

Library Assistant, S22

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00 pm - 8.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District

Council

Category District/Public library

Date established 1974 Floor area 903 M2 Staff 5

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	74	55	129
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,273	1,057	2,330
Additions to collection 2010	1,224	666	1,890
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	41,952	34,386	76,338
Circulation 2010	31,960	13,916	45,876
Library visits 2010	26,659	19,002	45,661





JULAU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Julau Public Library

Address Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-734796 Fax number 084-734151

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Encik Nicholas ak. Nyadang

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00 pm - 8.00 pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District

Council

Category Public library (USP)

Date established 1977 Floor area 158 m2 Staff 3

Staff 3

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	22	5	27
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	471	280	751
Additions to collection 2010	155	226	381
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	18,669	12,475	31,144
Circulation 2010	3,370	1,280	4,650
Library visits 2010	10,001	5,333	15,334





PAKAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Pakar Public Library
Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-717242 Fax number 084-717242

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Cik Dayang Rafeah bt Awang Kelami

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday 8.00am-1145am & 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District Council

Category Public library

Date established 1985 Floor area 86m2 Staff 1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	21	2	23
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	332	131	463
Additions to collection 2010	210	666	876
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	13,246	7,393	20,639
Circulation 2010	1,416	173	1,589
Library visits 2010	592	425	1,017





SUNGAI TULAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Sg Tulai Village Library Address Majlis Daerah Maradong

Majlis Daerah Maradong & Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-699430 Fax number 084-693973

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Ting Sing Ding

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 3.00pm-7.25pm

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District

Council

Category Village library

Date established 1988 Floor area 144m2

Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	5	8	13
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	114	130	244
Additions to collection 2010	424	900	1,324
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	11,311	5,224	16,535
Circulation 2010	2,350	1,668	4,018
Library visits 2010	2,435	629	3,064





KAMPUNG MUARA LEBAAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Muara Lebaan Village

Library

Address Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 019-4597743

Fax number 084-693973 (MDMJ)

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Seaonah bt Suimi

Opening hours

Monday- Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday- Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Jualu District

Council

Category Village library

Date established 1994 Floor area 49m2

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	0	6
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	59	63	122
Additions to collection 2010	298	286	584
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,182	1,280	9,462
Circulation 2010	2,608	880	3,488
Library visits 2010	1,161	207	1,368





KAMPUNG SEPENA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Sepena Village Library Address Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 019-8440307

Fax number 084-693973 (MDMJ)

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Cik Anita bt Bakar

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District

Council

Category Village library

Date established 1995 Floor area 12.25m2

Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	15	2	17
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	180	87	267
Additions to collection 2010	353	412	765
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,405	1,297	9,702
Circulation 2010	2,257	998	3,255
Library visits 2010	1,678	357	2,035





KAMPUNG TELOK BATU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Telok Batu Village

Library

Address Majlis Daerah Maradong

& Julau, Jalan Mahkamah

Peti Surat 4

96507 Bintangor, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-803438

Fax number 084-693973 (MDMJ)

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Josephine ak Lampong

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Maradong and Julau District

Council

Category Village library

Date established 1995 Floor area 16m2

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	4	11
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	38	11	49
Additions to collection 2010	282	271	553
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,434	725	9,159
Circulation 2010	2,153	660	2,813
Library visits 2010	945	144	1,089





Sibu & Kapit

DIVISION





Sibu Municipal Council

SIBU



Background History

The Sibu Public Library can trace its origins to the Methodist
Mission Library which was run by volunteers in the early 1950s.

After the Council assumed responsibility for library services, the public library occupied a number of sites until the construction of the present library building in 1986 at a cost of RM2.4 million. It was at the time regarded as the most attractive library building in Sarawak and won a design award two years later. It won the best library award of the Library Division of the Ministry of Environment and Public Health in 2004.

The Municipal Council also operates branch libraries at Grand Height, Lanang and Sukun. There are also village libraries at Hilir and Bahagia Jaya Teku, both of which were Special Project libraries established under the national village library programme funded in the 2005 federal budget. The village libraries also have Internet access provided under the Universal Service Provision programme.

SIBU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Sibu Public Library Address Sibu Municipal Council

Jalan Keranji

96000 Sibu, Sarawak.

Telephone number 084-314225 Fax number 084-320240

E-mail address

Website http://www.smc.gov.my
Person-in-charge Habsah bt Hj. Johor

Senior Assistant Library Officer, S32

Opening hours

Monday 2.00pm-9.00pm Tuesday-Thursday 9.00am-12.00pm &

2.00pm-9.00pm

Friday 9.00am-11.30am & 2.30pm-9.00pm

Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm &

3.00pm-6.00pm 9.00am-3.00pm

Library Data

Sunday

Authority Sibu Municipal Council Category District / Public Library

Date established 1959

Floor area 2,229.672 m2

Staff 24

S32=1, S27=1, S22=3

S17=11, N11=3, N1=1, R1=4

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	679	1,166	1,845
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	19,608	31,918	51,526
Additions to collection 2010	7,651	1,752	9,403
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	296,0	196	296,096
Circulation 2010	217,046	70,499	287,545
Library visits 2010	115,425	56,932	172,357





SIBU PUBLIC LIBRARY, LANANG BRANCH (GRAND HEIGHT)

Name of library Sibu Public Library,

Lanang Branch (Grand Height)

Address Jalan Mantis, Upper Lanang

Taman Su Kuok

96000 Sibu

 Telephone number
 084-366125

 Fax number
 084-320240

E-mail address
Website -

Person-in-charge Habsah bt Hj Johor

Opening hours

Monday Closed

Tuesday-Friday 2.00pm-9.00pm

9.00am-12.00pm

August, 2002

Saturday-Sunday 2.00pm-6.00pm

Library Data

Authority Sibu Municipal Council Category Public / Branch library

Date established

Floor area

Staff 2 (Contract staff)
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	-	-	-
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Additions to collection 2010	-	-	-
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,523		9,523
Circulation 2010	-	-	-
Library visits 2010	14,497	17,407	31,904





SIBU MOBILE LIBRARY

Name of library Sibu Mobile Library Address Sibu Municipal Council

Jalan Keranji

96000 Sibu, Sarawak...

Telephone number 084-314225 Fax number 084-320240

E-mail address

Website http://www.smc.gov.my
Person-in-charge Habsah bt Hj. Johor

Senior Assistant Library Officer, S32

Opening hours

Monday 8.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Tuesday-Thursday 8.00am-11.45am &

1.00 pm-5.20 pm

Friday 8.00am-11.45am &

2.15pm-5.00pm 5.30pm-8.00pm

Library Data

Authority KKTPK Category Mobile library

Date established

Floor area

Staff 3 (R1=1, R3=1, S17=1)

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1,280	25	1,305
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,939	454	3,393
Additions to collection 2010	505		505
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	28,850		28,850
Circulation 2010	30,442	590	31,032
Library visits 2010	2,958	454	3,412





KAMPUNG HILIR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Hilir Village Library

Address Dewan Persatuan

<mark>Me</mark>layu/Melanau Bersatu, Kpg Hilir,

96000, Sibu

Telephone number 084-345870 Fax number 084-320240

E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Jennifer ak Jemat

Asha @ Sapura bt Bujang,

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm &

2.00pm-4.30pm

9.00am-11.30am & 2.00pm-4.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village library (SP)

Date established

01.03.2006

Floor area

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	60	102	162
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	739	706	1,445
Additions to collection 2010	192	94	286
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,185		5,185
Circulation 2010	7,432	3,755	11,187
Library visits 2010	3,976	2,268	6,244





TEKU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Teku Village Library

Address Dewan Masyarakat Teku

Penempatan Semula Kpg

Bahagia Jaya, 96000 Sibu

Telephone number 084-345273

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Jennifer ak Jemat

Haini Bt. Sapiie

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm &

2.00pm-4.30pm

Friday 9.00am-11.30am &

2.00pm-4.30pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village library (USP)

Date established 15.03.2006

Floor area

Staff 1 (Temporary Staff)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	34	98	132
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	582	789	1,371
Additions to collection 2010	192	94	286
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,386	3,131	5,517
Circulation 2010	4,186	2,873	7,059
Library visits 2010	2,168	2,080	4,248





SUKUN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Address Sukun Public Library Lorong 4, Jalan Sukun

96000 Sibu

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge

Habsah bt Hj. Johor

Opening hours
Monday:

Closed

Tuesday-Friday 2

2.00pm-9.00pm

Saturday-Sunday

9.00am-12.00pm & 2.00pm-6.00pm

Library Data

Authority Category Sibu Municipal Council Public / Branch Library

Date established

15.01.2008

Floor area

Staff 2

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	-	-	-
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Additions to collection 2010	-	-	-
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,548		4,548
Circulation 2010	-	-	-
Library visits 2010	22,046	16,695	38,741





Sibu Rural District Council



Background History

The library needs of people living in the rural areas around Sibu is met by the Sibu Rural District Council's library service. There is a main library at Sibu Jaya, with smaller libraries at Durin and in the villages of Bawang Assan and Rantau Pajang. With a small but keen staff of nine, these libraries are all heavily used, especially by school students. Loan statistics show remarkably devoted readers young and old, and there is very extensive use of the Internet terminals which are provided at all sites.

Many special activities are organised by the library service each year, ranging from colouring and photographic competitions to creating banners for the local festival.

SIBU

SIBU JAYA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Address Sibu Jaya Public Library Sibu Rural District Council,

Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan,

P. O. Box 1318 96008, Sibu

Telephone number 084-336077, 084-236329 (Lib)

Fax number E-mail address 084-324694/084-236339 (Lib) pusibujaya@yahoo.com.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Ulau Imang,

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 10.00am-12.00pm,

2.00pm-7.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sibu Rural District Council

Category District Library
Date established 27.10.2000
Floor area 5,400 sq. ft.

Staff 6

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	15	34	49
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	863	894	1,757
Additions to collection 2010	571		571
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	20,772		20,772
Circulation 2010	4,238	3,423	7,661
Library visits 2010	8,450	8,355	16,805





DURIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Durin Public Library

Address Sibu Rural District Council,

Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan,

P. O. Box 1318 96008, Sibu

Telephone number 084-336077, 084-736233 (Lib)

Fax number 084-324694/084-236339 (Lib)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Cheng Chiou Yueh

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00pm - 7.00pm,

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sibu Rural District Council Category District library (PDSI)

Date established 1987
Floor area 1,444 sq. ft.
Staff 1(N1=1)
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	8	17	25
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	551	391	942
Additions to collection 2010	834		834
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	25,320		25,320
Circulation 2010	5,107	3,213	8,320
Library visits 2010	4,481	5,356	9,837





BAWANG ASSAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Bawang Assan Village Library

Address Sibu Rural District Council,

Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan,

P. O. Box 1318 96008, Sibu

Telephone number 084-336077, 084-394308 (Lib)

Fax number 084-324694/084-236339 (Lib)

E-mail address -

Website -Person-in-charge Pu

Opening hours

Puan Jenny ak Pulo

Opening nours

Monday - Friday 2.00pm - 6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sibu Rural District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1998 Floor area 820 sq. ft.

Staff 1 (Temporary Attendant)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	7	14
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	246	174	420
Additions to collection 2010	584		584
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,615		10,615
Circulation 2010	1,522	614	2,136
Library visits 2010	3,641	2,702	6,343





RANTAU PANJANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Rantau Panjang Village

Library

Address Sibu Rural District Council

Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan

P. O. Box 1318 96008, Sibu

Telephone number 084-336077, 084-376021 (Lib)

Fax number 084-324694/084-236339 (Lib)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Cik Olivia ak Dana

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 2.00pm - 6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Sibu Rural District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 03.07.2000 Floor area 820 sq. ft.

Staff 1 (Temporary Attendant)

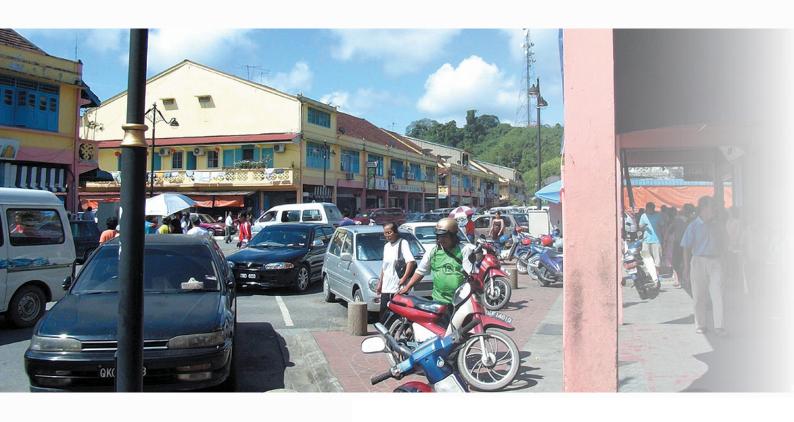
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	15	14	29
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	241	120	361
Additions to collection 2010	214		214
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,558		8,558
Circulation 2010	1,889	1,061	2,950
Library visits 2010	4,071	2,326	6,397





Kanowit District Council



Background History

Kanowit District Council operates the public library in the town of Kanowit, which lies at the junction of the Kanowit and Rejang Rivers. The population of the region is spread over a wide area and several village libraries have been established to meet local needs. These are located at Nanga Dap, Nanga Jagau, Nanga Machan, Nanga Ngemah, Nanga Ngungun and Nanga Tada. These village library collections typically number about seven to eight thousand items, with each library having a membership of around one thousand people. Children and young adults make up the greater proportion of members and borrowers.

SIBU 8,278,29 km²

KANOWIT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Kanowit Public Library Address Kanowit District Council

> Jalan Kubu P.O. Box 1

96700 Kanowit, Sarawak

Telephone number 084-752354
Fax number 084-752695
E-mail address kdcic@tm.net.my

Website www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my

Person-in-charge

Opening hours Monday-Friday

2.00pm - 8.30pm

Abet bin Bujang

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council Category District/Public Library

Date established 1973 Floor area 540 sq. m

Staff 6 (S22=1, S17=2, N1=1R1=1,

R1(CONT)=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	53	64	117
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	5,233	4,308	9,541
Additions to collection 2010	208	244	452
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	46,250	38,198	84,448
Circulation 2010	4,044	2,008	6,052
Library visits 2010	9,134	6,958	16,092





NANGA JAGAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Jagau Village Library

Address Nanga Jagau

96700 Kanowit

 Telephone number
 084-738246

 Fax number
 084-752695

E-mail address kdcic@tm.net.my

Website www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my

Person-in-charge May ak Niambang

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 1.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.04.1989
Floor area 540 sq. Feet 1 (N1=1)
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	17	12	29
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	751	363	1,114
Additions to collection 2010	183	21	204
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,428	1,471	9,899
Circulation 2010	2,974	652	3,626
Library visits 2010	3,715	895	4,610





NANGA NGUNGUN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Ngungun Village

Library

Address Nanga Ngungun

96700 Kanowit

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Adline ak Nira

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 3.00pm - 5.00pm,

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council

Category Village library
Date established 20.11.1989
Floor area 432 sq. ft.
Staff 1 (N1=1)
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	27	60
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	733	308	1,041
Additions to collection 2010	184	21	205
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,496	1,536	9,032
Circulation 2010	4,002	1,187	5,189
Library visits 2010	3,625	1,088	4,713



NANGA NGEMAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Ngemah Village Library

Address Nanga Ngemah

96700 Kanowit

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address kdcic@tm.net.my

Website www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my

Person-in-charge Wong Suk Hua

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 1.30pm - 4.30pm,

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council

Category Village library
Date established 15.01.1991
Floor area 684 sq. ft.
Staff 1 (N1=1)
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	13	10	
			23
Total members as at	432	352	
31 Dec 2010			784
Additions to	157	21	
collection 2010			178
Total collection as	9,314	1,223	10,537
at 31 Dec 2010			
Circulation 2010	829	157	986
Library visits 2010	824	202	1,026



NANGA DAP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Dap Village Library

Address Nanga Dap

96700 Kanowit

Telephone number 084-752695

Fax number -

E-mail address <u>kdcic@tm.net.my</u>

Website <u>www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my</u>

Person-in-charge Jaquinne ak Japok

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 8.00am-12.00pm

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1991 Floor area 216 sq. ft. Staff 1 (N1=1) Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members	11	20	
2008			31
Total members as	942	252	
at 31 Dec 2010			1,194
Additions to	172	21	
collection 2010			193
Total collection as	8,895	1,279	10,174
at 31 Dec 2010			
Circulation 2010	945	304	1,249
Library visits 2010	817	276	1,093





NANGA TADA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Tada Village Library

Address Nanga Tada

96700 Kanowit

Telephone number - Fax number -

E-mail address kdcic@tm.net.my

Website www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my

Person-in-charge Pauline ak Baran

Opening hours

Monday - Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm,

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kanowit District Council
Category Village library (USP)
Date established September, 1991

Floor area 432 sq. Ft Staff 1 (N1=1) Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members	18	8	26
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	768	399	1,167
Additions to collection 2010	157	21	178
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,203	1,185	8,388
Circulation 2010	2,673	445	3,118
Library visits 2010	2,534	609	3,143



NANGA MACHAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Machan Village Library

Address Nanga Machan

96700 Kanowit

Telephone 084-738246

Fax number -

E-mail address kdcic@tm.net.my

Website <u>www.kanowitdc.sarawak.gov.my</u>

Person-in-charge Magdeline ak Entili

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-7.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library

Authority Kanowit District Council
Category Village library (USP)
Date established September, 1991
Floor area 1,080 sq. ft.
Staff 1 (N1=1)
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2008	5	12	17
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	880	291	1,171
Additions to collection 2010	171	20	191
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,161	1,430	9,591
Circulation 2010	5,589	1,402	6,991
Library visits 2008	2,751	3,401	6,152





TAMAN MUHIBBAH INDAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Muhibbah Indah

Village Library

Address Taman Muhibbah Indah

Village Library 96700 Kanowit

Sarawak

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Jennifer ak Jemat

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 2 (S17 & N1)
Internet terminals Not available



KAPIT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Kapit Public Library Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-796829 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address channh@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Catherine Le

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 9.00am-12.00pm &

3.30pm-8.30pm

Friday Closed

Saturday 8.30am-1.00pm Sunday 9.00am-4.00pm

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council
Category District/Public Library

Date established 1966

Floor area 1,939 sq. M

Staff 5

S22=1, S17=2,

Temporary Staff=2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	229	279	508
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,711	860	2,571
Additions to collection 2010)48	1,048
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	67,374		67,374
Circulation 2010	11,305	9,111	20,416
Library visits 2010	28,310	23,181	51,491





BELAGA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Belaga Public Library
Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-461334 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address
Website -

Person-in-charge Opening hours

Mariam Awang Jinal

Monday - Thursday 9.00am-1.00pm & 3.30pm-8.30pm

Friday-Saturday Closed

Sunday 9.00am-3.00pm

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council
Category District/Public library

Date established 1980 Floor area 2,800 sq. ft.

Staff 2

S17=1, Temporary Staff=1

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	8	16	24
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,227	242	1,469
Additions to collection 2010	885		885
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	33,374		33,374
Circulation 2010	2,977	573	3,550
Library visits 2010	4,373	2,536	6,909



SONG PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Song Public Library Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-777071 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Opening hours

Kang Leh Ting

Monday - Thursday 9.00am-12.00pm &

3.30pm-8.30pm

Friday-Saturday Closed

Sunday 9.00am-3.00pm

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council Category Public library (USP)

Date established 1977 Floor area 855 sq. ft.

Staff 3

S17=1, Temporary Staff=2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	36	51	87
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	394	375	769
Additions to collection 2010	1,203		1,203
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	35,029		35,029
Circulation 2010	2,126	1,045	3,171
Library visits 2010	3,389	4,309	7,698





NANGA ANTAWAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Antawau Village Library

Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-796829 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Madu ak Jampi

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 2.00pm-6.00pm,

Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1994

Floor area 1,200 sq. Ft Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	25	5	30
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	234	63	297
Additions to collection 2010	171		171
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	13,597		13,597
Circulation 2010	8,662	1,279	9,941
Library visits 2010	10,334	1,183	11,517





NANGA MUJONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Mujong Village Library

Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-796829 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Lamban ak Emau

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 2.00pm-6.00pm,

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1994 Floor area 300 sq. ft.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & General Teens (Adult)		Total
	9	6	15
New members 2010			
Total members as at	75	41	116
31 Dec 2010			
Additions to		•	
collection 2010	172	172	
Total collection as at	9,87	9,871	
31 Dec 2010			
Circulation 2010	4,575	590	5,165
Library visits 2010	5,745	643	6,388





NANGA TEMALAT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Temalat Village Library

Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-796829 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address
Website -

Person-in-charge Dorena ak Dardom

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 2.00pm-6.00pm,

Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council

Category Village Library

Date established 1994
Floor area 288 sq. ft.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & General Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	36	7	43
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	620	190	810
Additions to collection 2010	636		636
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,739		10,739
Circulation 2010	7,572	940	8,512
Library visits 2010	6,968	1,177	8,145





NANGA BANGKIT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Bangkit Village Library

Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-796829 Fax number 84-796323

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Sena ak Jawi

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 2.00pm-6.00pm,

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council

Category Village library

Date established 1996 Floor area 432 sq. ft.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & General Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	16	6	22
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	35	21	56
Additions to collection 2010	120		120
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,627		6,627
Circulation 2010	1,077	245	1,322
Library visits 2010	615	266	881





NANGA ENGKUAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Engkuah Village Library

Address Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 84-777742 84-796323 Fax number

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge

Monday - Saturday

Angela ak Entaba Opening hours

2.00pm-6.00pm

Closed Sunday

Library Data

Authority Kapit District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 2003

Floor area 1,500 sq. ft. Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Available Internet terminals

	Juvenile & General Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	10	3	13
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	105	89	194
Additions to collection 2010	0	0	
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	8,031		8,031
Circulation 2010	396	291	687
Library visits 2010	556	622	1,178





TAMAN IXORA INDAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Taman Ixora Indah Village

Library

Address Perpustakaan Desa Taman

Ixora Indah

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number -Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Elwyn Jalak anak Empin

Mohd Azeedy Bin Salih

Opening hours -

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2006

Floor area 1,000 sq. ft.

Staff 2 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available (n.a)





SKIM TUNOH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library
Address

Skim Tunoh Village Library
c/o Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 084-777742 Fax number 084-796323

E-mail address
Website -

Person-in-charge Elwyn Jalak Empin David Lambong Selan

Opening hours -

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2005
Floor area 1,500 sq. ft.
Staff Vacant

Internet terminals Not available (n.a)



SUNGAI ASAP VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Sungai Asap Village Library Address c/o Kapit District Council

96800 Kapit Sarawak

Telephone number 084-777742 Fax number 084-796323

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Elwyn Jalak ak Empin

Petrocelli anak Whitsuntide

Opening hours -

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area 1,500 sq. ft.

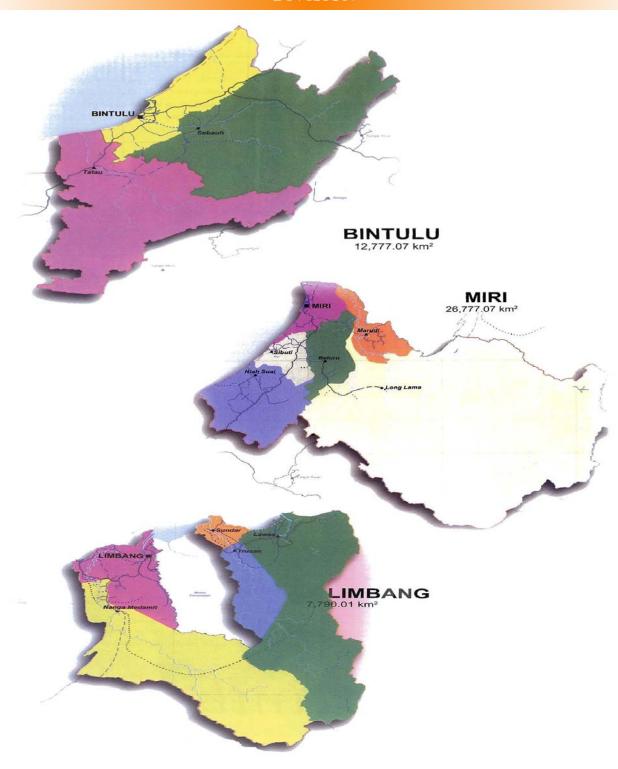
Staff

Internet terminals Not available (n.a)



Bintulu & Miri

DIVISION



Bintulu Development Authority Public Library



Background History

The Bintulu Development Authority (BDA) Public Library has its origins in a small reading room established at Kampung Sinong by the former Bintulu District Council. More sophisticated library services began in 1971 with the move to a wooden building in Jalan Green and a change of name to Bintulu Public Library. In those days Bintulu was a small town with a population of about 5000, so the total library collection was a modest 3000 items.

The discovery of major reserves of oil and gas in the region and the need to manage the rapid

development of the town led to the establishment of the Bintulu Development Authority (BDA) in 1978. Two years later the BDA absorbed the Bintulu District Council, and with it took over responsibility for the Public Library. The local population increased markedly as Bintulu developed and the demand for library services rose to such an extent that new, larger premises were occupied in 1988. By the turn of the century this building too had been outgrown and a new library was built at Jalan Polycarp Sim Cheng Mung. This building offers much more extensive facilities for users and has an ultimate capacity of 300,000 items.

To meet the needs of the growing population in surrounding areas, branch libraries were established in the 1980s and 1990s. Sebauh Branch Library opened in 1981, replacing a small service point which had been in operation for two years. In 1988 a branch library began at Tatau. At Kidurong a branch library was installed on the first floor of a shophouse in 1991, relocating to a new and more suitable building in 1998

BINTULU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Bintulu Public Library

Address Lembaga Kemajuan Bintulu,

Jalan Datuk Polycarp Sim Cheng Mung, Jalan Tun Ahmad Zaidi Adruce, Peti Surat 55, 97007,

Bintulu

Telephone number 086-331812, 086-332537

Fax number 086-339826

E-mail address bdalib@bda.gov.my www.bda.gov.my

Person-in-charge Angelina Karen Ak Wilfred,

Pengurus (Lib), Gred S41

Opening hours

Monday - Thursday 9.30am-12.30 pm,2.30pm-8.00pm Friday 9.30am-11.30am, 2.45pm- 8.00pm

Saturday 9.30am- 12.30pm, 2.30pm-8.00pm

Sunday 9.00 am - 12.30 pm

Library Data

Authority Bintulu Development Authority

(BDA)

Category District library
Date established 11 April 1980
Floor area 40,392 sq feet

Staff 20: S41=1, S27=1, S22=1. S17=9,

N11= 6 (Temporary), N1=1, R1=1

(Temporary)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	463	259	722
Total members as at 31 October 2010	13,276	13,041	26,317
Additions to collection, 2010	1,647	1,625	3,272
Total collection as at 31 October 2010	73,588	67,223	140,881
Circulation 2010	9,655	10,583	20,238
Library visits 2010	39,235	22,611	61,846



BDA PUBLIC LIBRARY, KIDURONG BRANCH

Name of library BDA Public Library,

Kidurong Branch

Address BDA Public Library,

Cawangan Kidurong, Jalan Abang Apong, 97000, Bintulu.

Telephone number 086-254154

Fax number

E-mail address bdalib@bda.gov.my
Website www.bda.gov.my
Person-in-charge Puan Manjan Ak Chali,
Library Assistant,Gred S 17

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 3.00pm - 8.00pm,

Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority BDA

Category District/Village library

Date established 1989

Floor area 6,344 sq feet Staff 2 (S17) Internet terminals Available

Statistics

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	218	31	249
Total members as at 31 October 2010	3,383	1,779	5,162
Additions to collection, 2010	329	188	517
Total collection as at 31 October 2010	17,790	11,304	29,094
Circulation 2010	2,573	943	3,516
Library visits 2010	3,482	12,698	16,180



Name of library

BDA Public Library,

Tatau Branch

BDA PUBLIC LIBRARY, TATAU BRANCH

BDA Public Library, Address

Cawangan Tatau,

97200, Tatau, Bintulu

086-584654 Telephone number Fax number 086-584375

E-mail address bdalib@bda.gov.my Website www.bda.gov.my Encik Ahmad Bin Ali Person-in-charge

Library Assistant, Gred S17

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.30pm-7.30pm Saturday 1.00pm-6.00pm Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority **BDA**

Category District/Village library

Date established 1988

Floor area 7,486 sq feet

3 (S17=2, Temporary Staff =1) Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	292	21	313
Total members as at 31 October 2010	1,984	896	2,880
Additions to collection 2010	315	122	437
Total collection as at 31 October 2010	13,975	12,457	26,432
Circulation 2010	1,986	823	2,809
Library visits 2010	2,004	16,220	18,224



BDA PUBLIC LIBRARY, SEBAUH BRANCH

Address BDA Public Library,

Cawangan Sebauh,

97100, Sebauh, Bintulu

086-442109 Telephone number Fax number 086-422045

E-mail address bdalib@bda.gov.my Website www.bda.gov.my

Person-in-charge Encik Muzidi Bin Ameran

Library Assistant, Gred S17

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-7.30pm, 1.00pm-6.00pm Saturday

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority BDA

Category District/Village library (USP)

Date established

Floor area 1,952 sq feet Staff 2 (S17=2) Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	109	29	138
Total members as at 31 October 2010	1,772	570	2,342
Additions to collection, 2010	301	122	423
Total collection as at 31 October 2010	19,840	11,652	31,492
Circulation 2010	445	146	591
Library visits 2010	1,156	9,735	10,891



BDA PUBLIC LIBRARY, JEPAK BRANCH

Name of library BDA Public Library,

Jepak Branch

Address BDA Public Library,

Cawangan Jepak 97000 Bintulu

Telephone number 086-201621

Fax number -

E-mail address
Website

bdalib@bda.gov.my
www.bda.gov.my

Person-in-charge Pn Zainab Bte Abdul Aziz Khan

Library Assistant, Gred S 17

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm-7.30pm, Saturday 1.00pm-6.00pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority BDA

Category District/Village library (USP)

Date established 1988

Floor area 1,952 sq feet

Staff 3 (S17=1, N11=1, N1=1

Temporary)

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	114	17	131
Total members as at 31 October 2010	558	94	652
Additions to collection, 2010	228	139	367
Total collection as at 31 October 2010	4,611	2,189	6,800
Circulation 2010	3,576	762	4,338
Library visits 2010	1,691	16,058	17,749



Miri Public Library



MIRI

Background History

Miri Public Library has grown from very modest beginnings to become an outstanding community resource. When it was established in 1958 at the Community Hall, it had only one staff member and a few hundred books. It proved very popular, however, and in 1968 a new library was built at Setia Raja Road to cater for the rapidly growing demand. The new library opened with three staff and a collection of almost thirteen thousand items. Its membership was then 1,369, and in one year they borrowed an astonishing 38,140 items.

In mid-1989 the Library relocated to the Dewan Suarah, a more sophisticated and fully air-conditioned building. The improved accommodation breathed new life into the library service. Staff were able to raise the profile of the library, and public awareness and appreciation grew commensurately. Being in a more modern building also facilitated the introduction of more advanced library technology, culminating, in 2005, in the implementation of the integrated library management system, ANGKASA. Over the years Miri Public Library has won awards for the high number of loans issued, and has often topped the library league table for membership and budget allocation. Four years running, from 2000 to 2003, it won the 'Best Municipal Library in Sarawak' award.

Today the Library is as popular as ever, especially among children and students. In a special initiative for younger members, Miri Public Library established a Children's Club in April 2000. Its initial membership of 300 has today grown to 2,438 children, who enjoy a variety of activities at the Library. Committee members of the Club, including Library staff, kindergarten and primary school teachers, organise activities throughout the year, including a Children's Festival to celebrate Children's Day each September.

A branch library was established at Piasau Jaya estate in 1981 with two staff and an initial collection of 2,000 items. In its first year it had 423 registered members, issued 8,478 items and recorded 12,169 visitors. This library is very popular with students of nearby schools.

The branch library at Lutong was established in 1988 with two library assistants and a cleaner, 2,006 members and 1,711 items in its collection. In 1989, its first full year of operation, it issued over six thousand loans. Its building was donated by the resources company, Petronas, and the local authority funded its conversion into a library. The library was provided with advanced ICT facilities under the fourth Universal Service Provision programme and offers free Internet access to Library members as well as to students of nearby schools.

A branch library was opened in 2005 on a two acre site at the Taman Tunku Housing Estate, about 15 km from the centre of Miri. The estate's population is more than 10,000 and it has a shopping centre and three schools. Within a year of opening the library had enrolled 1,541 members and had issued almost 80,000 loans. Its popularity is growing steadily among the school students and residents of the area.





MIRI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Miri Public Library Address Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Jalan Raja

98000 Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-415395

085-430020 085-424984

Fax number 085-430057

E-mail address mccpubliclibrary@miricouncil.gov.my

Website http://www.miricouncil.gov.my

Person-in-charge Teo Wee Leng

Opening hours

Tuesday-Friday 9.00am-8.00pm Saturday 8.00am-8.00pm Sunday 9.00am-3.00pm

Monday Closed

Library Data

Authority Majlis Bandaraya Miri Category District/Public Library

1958

Date established

Floor area

Staff 14

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	589	1,096	1,685
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	14,489	13,307	27,796
Additions to collection, 2010	11,362		11,362
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	328,479		328,479
Circulation 2010	139,669	74,506	214,175
Library visits 2010	133,229	111,158	244,387





MIRI PUBLIC LIBRARY, PIASAU BRANCH

Miri Public Library Name of library

Piasau Branch

Majlis Bandaraya Miri Address

Jalan Raja

98000 Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-650564 Fax number 085-430057

E-mail address

Website Person-in-charge

Teo Wee Leng

Opening hours

Monday Closed

Tuesday-Saturday 10.00am-5.00pm Sunday: 12.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Majlis Bandaraya Miri Category District/Public Library 1980

Date established

Floor area

Staff 3

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	197	133	330
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	3,203	1,886	5,089
Additions to collection, 2010	1,2	1,284	
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	63,271		63,271
Circulation 2010	39,000	15,682	54,682
Library visits 2010	27,318	14,857	42,175





MIRI PUBLIC LIBRARY, LUTONG BRANCH

Name of library Miri Public Library,

Lutong Branch

Address Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Jalan Raja

98000 Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-654400 Fax number 085-430057

E-mail address

Website

Person-in-charge Teo Wee Leng

Opening hours

Monday-Saturday 10.00am-5.00pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Category District/Public Library (USP)

Date established 1988 Floor area -Staff 2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile General & Teens (Adult)		Total
New members 2010	109	141	250
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,853	1,355	3,208
Additions to collection, 2010	1,	1,578	
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	50,342		50,342
Circulation 2010	17,844	6,319	24,163
Library visits 2010	13,449	11,260	24,709





MIRI PUBLIC LIBRARY, TAMAN TUNKU BRANCH

Name of library Miri Public Library,

Taman Tunku Branch Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Jalan Raja

98000 Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-616194 Fax number 085-430057

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Teo Wee Leng

Opening hours Closed

Monday: 10.00am-5.00pm Tuesday-Saturday: 12.00pm-5.0 pm

Sunday:

Address

Library Data

Authority Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Category District/Public Library (USP)

Date established 10.05.2008

Floor area

Staff 3

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	170	151	321
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,683	1,195	2,878
Additions to collection, 2010	2,051		2,051
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	22,250		22,250
Circulation 2010	36,686	13,281	49,967
Library visits 2010	34,003	10,456	44,459





MIRI MOBILE LIBRARY

Name of library Miri Mobile Library,

Taman Tunku Branch

Address Majlis Bandaraya Miri

Jalan Raja

98000 Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-616194 Fax number 085-430057

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Teo Wee Leng

Opening hours

Monday: Friday: 8.00am-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority KKTPK Category Mobile Library

Date established

1997

Floor area

Staff 2 Service Points 27

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1,641	44	1,685
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,043	286	2,329
Additions to collection, 2010	131		131
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	16,198		16,198
Circulation 2010	29,436	1,922	31,358
Library visits 2010	2,043	286	2,329



BEKENU PUBLIC LIBRARY

Bekenu Public Library Name of library Address

Majlis Daerah Subis

98150 Bekenu Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-719943 Fax number 085-719527

E-mail address

Website www.moeswk.gov.my/subis

Person-in-charge Serina bt Salleh,

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours 36 hour per week

Library Data

Authority Subis District Council Category District/Public library

Date established 1987 Floor area 112.5 m2

Staff 3

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	41	66	107
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	459	568	1,027
Additions to collection 2010	103	163	266
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,064	3,485	10,549
Circulation 2010	1,864	2,076	3,940
Library visits 2010	5,084	2,450	7,534





BATU NIAH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Batu Niah Public Library

Address Majlis Daerah Subis

98150 Bekenu Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-736754 Fax number 085-719527

E-mail address -

Website www.moeswk.gov.my/subis

Person-in-charge Pn.Serina Salleh Opening hours 36 hour per week

Library Data

Authority Subis District Council

Category Public library

Date established 2001 Floor area 359.78m2

Staff 4

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile	General	Total
	& Teens	(Adult)	
New members 2010	34	77	111
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	273	530	803
Additions to collection 2010	104	190	294
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	9,399	3,479	12,878
Circulation 2010	1,974	2,158	4,132
Library visits 2010	1,826	2,395	4,221





KAMPUNG KUALA NYALAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Kuala Nyalau Village

Library

Address Majlis Daerah Subis

98150 Bekenu Miri, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-98001

Fax number -E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Rafidah Sahar Opening hours 20 hour per week

Library Data

Authority Subis District Council Village library (USP)

Date established 1991 Floor area 92.72m2

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	20	30
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	76	42	118
Additions to collection 2010	570	263	833
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	833		833
Circulation 2010	1,447	1,019	2,466
Library visits 2010	1,129	393	1,522





TEGAGENG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Tegageng Village Library

Address C/o Majlis Daerah Subis

98150 Bekenu

Telephone number Fax number E-mail address Website -

Person-in-charge Afiee Arfiee Bin Ali

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am-12.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009
Floor area 1000 sq. m.
Staff 2 (S17 & N1)
Internet terminals Not available



MARUDI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Marudi Public Library Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram 085-755444

Telephone number 085-755444
Fax number 085-755366
E-mail address marudidc@tm.net.my

Website www.marudidc.sarawak.gov.my

Person-in-charge Pn. Ulau Imang

Opening hours

Friday

Monday-Thursday 10.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-6.00pm 10.00am-11.45am & 2.15pm-6.00pm

Saturday-Sunday: Closed

Library Data

Authority Majlis Daerah Marudi

Category Public Library
Date established 30.11.2007

Floor area 30 meter x 18 meter

Staff

S17=2, N1=3,

Temporary Attendant=2

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	150	198	348
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	2,980	3,591	6,571
Additions to			
collection 2010	780	990	1,770
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	45,1	20	45,120
Circulation 2010	3,128	3,765	6,893
Library visits 2010	9,272	7,912	17,184





LONG LAMA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Lama Village Library Address Marudi District Council

> P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-771062 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address <u>yannarum@yahoo.com</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Encik Supian bin Hisyamuddin

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 10.00am - 12.30pm, 2.00pm-5.00pm

Friday 10.00am-11.45am &

2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (PDSI)

Date established 12.03.1992

Floor area [40 feet x 40 feet] x 2

Staff 1 = N1Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	25	17	42
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	548	594	1,142
Additions to collection 2010	305	244	549
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	25,6		25,652
Circulation 2010	911	572	1,483
Library visits 2010	5,543	4,940	10,483





BELURU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library

Address

Beluru Village Library

Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-743085 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address Mzz/winn@yahoo.com

Website -

Person-in-charge Aminah Binti Daraman

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 10.00am - 12.30pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

10.00am-11.45am &

2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (PDSI)

Date established 2002

Floor area 40 feet X 40 feet Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	33	81	114
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	229	416	645
Additions to			
collection 2010	225	251	476
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	7,96	58	7,968
Circulation 2010	1,232	1,451	2,683
Library visits 2010	2,654	5,340	7,994





BARIO VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Bario Village Library Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address <u>marudidc@tm.net.my</u>

Website -

Person-in-charge Daby Peterus

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council

Category Village Library

Date established 1981

Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	31	7	38
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	300	167	467
Additions to			
collection 2010	90	336	426
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	17,2	98	17,298
Circulation 2010	760	360	1,120
Library visits 2010	2,856	1,144	4,000





LONG BEDIAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Bedian Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Bulan Wan Ngau

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council

Category Village Library
Date established 09.12.1989
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	23	9	32
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	300	125	425
Additions to			
collection 2010	88	229	317
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	11,9	28	11,928
Circulation 2010	1,957	801	2,758
Library visits 2010	3,981	1,066	5,047





LONG KEVOK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Kevok Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Mariam Panai

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council

Category Village Library
Date established 05.12.1992
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	104	151	255
Additions to			
collection 2010	20	279	299
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	9,03	31	9,031
Circulation 2010	244	177	421
Library visits 2010	4,529	4,109	8,638





LONG LAPUT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Laput Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-779219 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Puan Jennifer Anyie

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 03.12.1992
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	238	178	416
Additions to			
collection 2010	21	278	299
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	8,09)2	8,092
Circulation 2010	11	9	20
Library visits 2010	885	233	1,118





LONG PANAI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Panai Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374 98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Urai Anyi

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council

Category Village Library
Date established 28.08.1995
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	15	14	29
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	107	58	165
Additions to			
collection 2010	20	346	366
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	9,68	31	9,681
Circulation 2010	6,999	827	7,826
Library visits 2010	4,787	3,746	8,533





LONG JEGAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Jegan Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

 $98058~\mathrm{Baram}$

Telephone number 017-2630004 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Puan Anna Marie Barat

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 02.10.1997
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
N. 1 2010	4.4	0	4.4
New members 2010	11	0	11
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	247	78	325
Additions to collection 2010	20	292	312
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,5	23	10,523
Circulation 2010	2,667	380	3,047
Library visits 2010	6,308	599	6,907





LONG TERAWAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Terawan Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

 $98058\; Baram$

Telephone number 085-792500 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan

Opening hours

Puan Grace Anak Nandie

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 09.10.1997
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	7	1	8
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	73	27	100
Additions to collection 2010	20	282	302
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,667		10,667
Circulation 2010	1,159	257	1,416
Library visits 2010	1,206	4,000	5,206





LONG LOYANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Loyang Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Cik Lydia Uding Lima

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 14.07.1999
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff
Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	6	1	7
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	112	66	178
Additions to			
collection 2010	21	320	341
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	8,10	00	8,100
Circulation 2010	323	162	485
Library visits 2010	2,869	1,645	4,514





LONG SAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long San Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

Telephone number 017-2630003 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Puan Kathleen Ega

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 15.07.1999
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	90	12	102
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	267	227	494
Additions to collection 2010	22	270	292
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	6,34	1 7	6,347
Circulation 2010	2,737	602	3,339
Library visits 2010	6,497	1,340	7,837



LONG BEMANG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Bemang Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

 $98058\; Baram$

Telephone number 085-755444 Fax number 085-755366

E-mail address Jul5778@yahoo.com.my

Website

Person-in-charge Evelyn Unyang Ding

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Village Library (USP)

Date established 13.10.2000
Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet
Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	4	4	8
Total members as at	4	4	0
31 Dec 2010	249	76	325
Additions to collection 2010	22	252	274
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	7,138		7,138
Circulation 2010	1,211	249	1,460
Library visits 2010	1,339	284	1,623



ULU TERU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Ulu Teru Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

085-779423 Telephone number Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Cik Shuly ak Barendak

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 2002

Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	4	1.6
	12	4	16
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	453	76	529
Additions to collection 2010	20	261	281
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	5,041		5,041
Circulation 2010	5,278	345	5,623
Library visits 2010	10,629	1,026	11,655





LONG PELUTAN/MIRI VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Pelutan/Miri Village

Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

98058 Baram

Telephone number 085-779422 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Puan Grace Ungan Lah

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Marudi District Council Category Village Library (USP)

Date established 2004

Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	41	10	51
Total members as at			
31 Dec 2010	171	85	256
Additions to			
collection 2010	294	21	315
Total collection as at			
31 Dec 2010	4,78	31	4,781
Circulation 2010	2,257	868	3,125
Library visits 2010	3,285	3,890	7,175
31 Dec 2010 Circulation 2010	2,257	868	3,125





PUYUT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Puyut Village Library

Address Marudi District Council

P.O. Box 374

 $98058\; Baram$

Telephone number 085-779422 Fax number 085-755336

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Jelia ak Entika

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009

Floor area 40 feet x 40 feet Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available





Limbang District Council



Background History

The first library in Limbang opened in 1974 on the first floor of the Limbang District Council building with one full-time and one part-time staff. The library opened six hours per day, six days a week, and small though it was, within a year it had a membership of over one thousand. It became increasingly busy and in 1979 additional staff were appointed.

In 1996 Council operations were relocated to make way for the construction of Limbang Plaza. Council occupied temporary quarters in Jalan Kubu, with the library on the ground floor. In 1998 Council, and with it the Library, moved to the fourth floor of newly-completed Limbang Plaza. Here the Library occupies a floor area of over 400 square metres – more than twenty times the size of the first library – and opening hours have been extended. It is a strategic location for a library, as it is not only accessible to large numbers of the general public, but is within easy reach of the civil servants and others who work in the building. A popular facility, by the end of 2006 its membership had grown to over 20,000.

The Limbang District Council is also responsible for six libraries in rural areas: Batu Danau, Gadong, Long Napir, Mendamit, Pahlawan and Talanak. Three of these village libraries were part of the Universal Service Provision programme and have Internet access for the public.

LIMBANG

LIMBANG PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Limbang Public Library Address 4th Floor, Limbang Plaza

98700 Limbang, Sarawak

Telephone number 085-214830 Fax number 085-212577

E-mail address lmdc@limbangdc.gov.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Norazalina Abdul Hamid

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Monday - Saturday 9.00am - 5.30 pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council Category District/Public Library

Date established 01.10.1974 Floor area 408.17 sq. m

Staff

S22=1, S17=1, S11=2, PAR N1=1, SO=2

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	181	241	422
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	2,805	2,983	5,788
Additions to collection 2010	1,602	639	2,241
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	37,988	15,907	53,895
Circulation 2010	13,607	15,685	29,292
Library visits 2010	28,913	21,367	50,280





BATU DANAU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Batu Danau Village Library Name of library Address

KM36, Kampung Batu Danau

98700 Limbang

Telephone number 085-214830

(Limbang District Council)

Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address

Website Person-in-charge

Rohana ak Silan

Opening hours

Tuesday - Friday 1.00pm - 5.00pm Saturday 8.00am-12.00pm

Sunday-Monday Closed

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council

Category Village/Community library (USP)

Date established 21.08.1996 298 sq. M Floor area

1 = N1 Temporary Staff Staff

Available Internet terminals

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	63	66	129
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	543	276	819
Additions to collection 2010	403	25	428
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	1,344	562	1,906
Circulation 2010	5,355	2,740	8,095
Library visits 2010	2,421	991	3,412





NANGA MEDAMIT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Nanga Medamit Village Address KM60, Jalan Medamit

98700 Limbang

Telephone number

Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Unga ak Jepai

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.10.1997 Floor area 60 feet x 4- feet

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	21	0	21
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	706	21	727
Additions to collection 2010	399	28	427
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,233	548	3,781
Circulation 2010	5,706	1,600	7,306
Library visits 2010	2,692	186	2,878





LONG NAPIR VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Napir Village Library

Address Long Napir, Ulu Limbang

98700 Limbang

Telephone number

Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address

Website -

Person-in-charge Regina Stain

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council

Category Village library (USP)
Date established 15.08.1997

Date established 15.08.1997
Floor area 60 feet x 40 feet

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	22	6	28
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	150	86	236
Additions to collection 2010	330	28	358
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,284	540	3,824
Circulation 2010	180	190	370
Library visits 2010	488	143	631





KAMPUNG GADONG VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Gadong Village Library

Address Kampung Gadong

98700, Limbang

Telephone number

Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Opening hours Dayang Damit bt Drahman

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council

Category Village Library
Date established 02.05.1998
Floor area 60 feet x 40 feet

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	28	8	36
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,047	439	1,486
Additions to collection 2010	423	9	432
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,371	668	4,039
Circulation 2010	4,916	818	5,734
Library visits 2010	3,661	1,111	4,772





KAMPUNG PAHLAWAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Pahlawan Village Library

Address KM28, Jalan Pandaruan

Kampung Pahlawan 98700, Limbang

Telephone number 085-206000 Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address --Website --

Person-in-charge Normanisa bt Abdullah

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 01.08.2001 Floor area 103.68 sq. M

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	68	5	73
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	533	62	595
Additions to collection 2010	422	9	431
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,551	1,030	5,581
Circulation 2010	10,032	560	10,592
Library visits 2010	3,756	1,274	5,030





KAMPUNG TALAHAK VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Talahak Village Library

Address Kampung Talahak

98700 Limbang

Telephone number 085-779369 Fax number 085-212577

(Limbang District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Azrin b Perak

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 1.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Limbang District Council
Category Village library (USP)
Date established February, 2003
Floor area 60 feet x 40 feet

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	12	1	13
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	68	57	125
Additions to collection 2010	380	28	408
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,594	552	4,146
Circulation 2010	785	525	1,310
Library visits 2010	1,334	172	1,506





RPR BATU BIAH VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Batu Biah Village Library

Limbang

Address RPR Batu Biah

98700 Limbang

Telephone number

Fax number

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge

Abdul Ghani Matjisin

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 10.00am - 12.00pm

2.00 pm -5.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)
Date established February, 2003
Floor area 60 feet x 40 feet

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff



KAMPUNG MERITAM VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kampung Meritam Village

Library

Address Kampung Meritam

98700 Limbang

Telephone number

Fax number

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge

Fauziahji Binti Mahmud

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 10.00am - 12.00pm

2.00 pm - 5.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)

Date established 2009 Floor area 1,000 sq. ft

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff



PABAHANAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Pabahanan Village Library

Address Taman Pabahanan 98700 Limbang

Telephone number Fax number

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge

charge Anthonio ak James

Opening hours
Manday Friday

Monday-Friday 10.00am - 12.00pm 2.00 pm - 5.00pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village Library (SP)
Date established February, 2003
Floor area 1,000 sq. ft

Staff 1 = N1 Temporary Staff



LAWAS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library Lawas Public Library

Address Lawas District Council, 98850

Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address noritas1@sarawaknet.gov.my

Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Norita bt Hj Satong,

Library Assistant, S17

Opening hours

Tuesday-Friday 8.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday 11.00am-4.30pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category District/Public Library

Date established 1987 Floor area 92 sq. m.

Staff 3

S17=1, S11=1, N11=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	64	29	93
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	374	968	1,342
Additions to collection 2010	97	333	430
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	10,871	30,062	40,933
Circulation 2010	349	1,290	1,639
Library visits 2010	1,360	3,733	5,093





SUNDAR PUBLIC LIBRARY

Name of library
Address
Sundar Public Library
Lawas District Council,

98850 Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Wedawati bt Amat

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 9.00am-12.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm

Saturday 8.00am-12.00pm

Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council

Category Public library

Date established 1992
Floor area 97 sq. m.
Staff 1 (N11=1)
Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	40	21	61
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	1,121	958	2,079
Additions to collection 2010	72	235	307
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,349	14,199	17,548
Circulation 2010	4,013	2,591	6,604
Library visits 2010	4,204	926	5,130





TRUSAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Trusan Village Library Address Lawas District Council,

98850, Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge En Tassim Dollah Cik Violet Liaw

Opening hours

Monday-Thursday 8.00am-1.00pm &

2.00pm-5.00pm 8.00am-11.45am &

Friday 8.00am-11.45am 2.15pm-5.00pm

Saturday & Sunday Closed

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category Village library (PDSI)

Date established 1996 Floor area 151 sq. m.

Staff 2

N11=1, Temporary Staff=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	54	42	96
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	724	665	1,389
Additions to collection 2010	72	235	307
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,314	10,183	14,497
Circulation 2010	294	426	720
Library visits 2010	1,018	1,034	2,052





KAMPUNG KUALA LAWAS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Kuala Lawas Village

Library

Address Lawas District Council,

98850 Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address
Website

Person-in-charge Cik Kastinie bt Matserudin,

Puan Nordiana bt Zaini

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 8.00am-1.00pm & 2.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category Village library (PDSI)

Date established 2000 Floor area 90 sq. m.

Staff 2

N11=1, Temporary Staff=1

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	1	2	3
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	292	180	472
Additions to collection 2010	93	114	207
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	2,941	2,282	5,223
Circulation 2010	0	0	0
Library visits 2010	0	0	0





LONG TUMA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Long Tuma Village Library

Address Lawas District Council,

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 085-623001 Fax number 085-285485

Lawas District Council

E-mail address -Website -

Person-in-charge Puan Jane Mirat Udan

Opening hours

Monday-Friday: 11.00am-4.30pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 2000 Floor area 90 sq. m.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	381	98	479
Additions to collection 2010	109	111	220
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,245	3,615	6,860
Circulation 2010	280	140	420
Library visits 2010	2,688	616	3,304





KAMPUNG ARU VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Aru Village Library

Address Lawas District Council,

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address - Website -

Person-in-charge Cik Hurer bt Apong

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 8.30am-10.30am &

2.00pm-4.30pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council

Category Villag library

Date established 1998 Floor area 90 sq. m.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	10	2	12
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	267	354	621
Additions to collection 2010	103	85	188
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	3,143	4,532	7,675
Circulation 2010	1,432	1,331	2,763
Library visits 2010	1,754	1,327	3,081



KAMPUNG AWAT-AWAT VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Awat-Awat Village

Library

Address Lawas District Council,

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 085-283314 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Cik Nor Faezah bt Hj. Ali

Akbar

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.00pm-5.00pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council

Category Village Library
Date established 01.10.1999
Floor area 90 sq. m.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff Internet terminals Not available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	2	2
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	191	125	316
Additions to collection 2010	103	63	166
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,499	2,721	7,220
Circulation 2010	56	46	102
Library visits 2010	302	57	359





KAMPUNG PURUSIA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Kpg Purusia Village Library

Address Lawas District Council

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 017-2630002 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address Website

Person-in-charge Puan Remina Asut

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 11.00am-4.30pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1996 Floor area 90 sq. m.

1 Temporary Staff Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	245	174	419
Additions to collection 2010	68	58	126
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	178	178	356
Circulation 2010	0	0	0
Library visits 2010	0	0	0



BA'KELALAN VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library Ba'kelalan Village Library

Address Lawas District Council

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 085-791006 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address -

Website

Person-in-charge Puan Winnie Branabas

Opening hours

Monday-Friday 12.30pm-4.30pm

Library Data

Authority Lawas District Council Category Village library (USP)

Date established 1996 Floor area 90 sq. m.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	0	0	0
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	167	180	347
Additions to collection 2010	109	110	219
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	4,902	4,713	9,615
Circulation 2010	48	86	134
Library visits 2010	620	161	781



RPR LAWAS VILLAGE LIBRARY

Name of library RPR Lawas Village Library

Address c/o Lawas District Council

98550 Lawas

 Telephone number
 085-791006

 Fax number
 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Ida Nadia Binti Matdris

Opening hours Monday-Friday

riday 12.30pm-4.30pm

Library Data

Authority PNM

Category Village library (SP)

Date established 2006 Floor area 1000 sq. m.

Staff 1 Temporary Staff



E-PUSTAKA LAWAS

Name of library e-Pustaka Lawas

Address Lawas District Council

98550 Lawas

Telephone number 085-791006 Fax number 085-285485

(Lawas District Council)

E-mail address -

Website -

Person-in-charge Mastinah Hassin Opening hours 8.00am-5.00pm

Monday-Friday

Library Data

Authority Pustaka Negeri Sarawak

Category Mobile library

Date established 1996

Floor area

Staff 1 Temporary Staff

Internet terminals Available

	Juvenile & Teens	General (Adult)	Total
New members 2010	-	-	-
Total members as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Additions to collection 2010	-	-	-
Total collection as at 31 Dec 2010	-	-	-
Circulation 2010	-	-	-
Library visits 2010	3,9	93	3,993



Responsible Authorities

Bau District Council

94000 Bau Sarawak

Tel: 082 763128 Fax: 082 763545

Betong District Council

Bangunan Kubu Rentap 95700 Betong Sarawak

Tel: 6083-472948 Fax: 6083-472192

Bintulu Development Authority

BDA, Peti Surat 55 97007 Bintulu Sarawak

Tel No: 086-332011 Fax No: 086-336066

Dalat & Mukah District Council

Jalan Kubu, Peti Surat 68 96400 Mukah Sarawak

Tel: 6084-871622 Fax: 6084-871041

Kanowit District Council

Jalan Kubu, Peti Surat 1 96707 Kanowit Sarawak

Tel: 6084-752093 Fax: 6084-752695

Kapit District Council

P.O.Box 57 96800 Kapit Sarawak

Tel: 6084-796266 Fax: 6084-796323

The Commission of the City of Kuching North

Bukit Siol, Jalan Semariang Petra Jaya 93050 Kuching, Sarawak

Tel: 6082-446688 Fax: 6082-446414

The Council of the City of Kuching South

Jalan Padungan 93675 Kuching Sarawak

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Jalan Hospital 98850 Lawas Sarawak

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94500 Lundu Sarawak

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P.O.Box 4, Mahkamah Road 96507 Bintangor Sarawak

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Marudi District Council

Peti Surat 374 98058 Baram Sarawak

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Miri City Council

Jalan Raja 98000 Miri Sarawak

Tel: 6085-433501 Fax: 6085- 415486]

Padawan Municipal Council

Kota Padawan Pasar Batu 10, P.O.Box 620 93712 Kuching Sarawak

Tel: 6082-615566 Fax: 6082-611832

Samarahan District Council

94300 Kota Samarahan

Sarawak

Tel: 6082-671023 Fax: 6082-671342 **Saratok District Council**

Jalan Datuk Abang Abu Talip Peti Surat No. 73 95400 Saratok Sarawak

Tel: 6083-436104 Fax: 6083-436511 **Sarikei District Council**

Jalan Nyelong P.O. Box 420 96108 Sarikei Sarawak

Tel: 6084-651201 Fax: 6084-658623

Serian District Council

No. 1, Jalan Bunga Tanjung 94700 Serian Sarawak

Tel: 6082-874154 Fax: 6082-874799

Sibu Municipal Council

Tingkat 19 - 24, Wisma Sanyan P.O.Box 557 96007 Sibu Sarawak Tel: 6084-333411

Tel: 6084-333411 Fax: 6084-320240

Sibu Rural District Council

Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan P.O.Box 1318 96008 Sibu Sarawak

Tel: 6084-336077 Fax: 6084-324694

Simunjan District Council

Lot 805, Gunong Ngeli New Service Centre 94800 Simunjan Sarawak

Tel: 6082-803610 Fax: 6082-803785

Sri Aman District Council

P.O.Box 78, 95007 Sri Aman Sarawak

Tel: 6083-322066 Fax: 6083-3208

Subis District Council

98150 Bekenu Sarawak.

Tel: 6085-719019 Fax: 6085-719529

Addresses Of Main Council Libraries

Libraries	Telephone number	Fax number
Ministry of Local Government and Community	082-440227	082-440327
Development	082-440378	
Library Division		
Bangunan Baitulmakmur		
93572 Kuching		
Sarawak		
The Council of the City of Kuching South	082-242311	082-417372
Library Division		
Jalan Padungan		
93675 Kuching		
Sarawak		
The Commission of the City of Kuching North	082-248099	082-240920
DBKU City Library	082-244403	
Jalan P. Ramlee		
93400 Kuching		
Sarawak		
Kota Sentosa Public Library	082-626042	082-611832
7 th . Mile, Kota Sentosa		
Jalan Tapang		
93250 Kuching		
Sarawak		
Bau Public Library	082-763126	082-763545
Jalan Ong Guan Cheng		
94000 Bau		
Sarawak		
Serian Public Library	082-874610	082-874799
No.1, Jalan Bunga Tanjung		
94700 Serian		
Sarawak		
Lundu Public Library	082-735501	082-735035
Lot. 130 Lundu District Council		
94500 Lundu		
Sarawak		
Samarahan Public Library	082-671023	082-671342
Samarahan District Council		
94300 Kota Samarahan		
Sarawak		
Sri Aman Public Library	083-322697	083-320829
Lot 205 STLD		
Jalan Council		
95000 Sri aman		
Sarawak		1

Libraries	Telephone number	Fax number
Betong Public Library	083-472791	083-472192
Bangunan Kubu Rentap		
95700 Betong		
Sarawak		
Saratok Public Library	083-436422	083-436511
P.O.Box 73		
Jalan Datuk Abg. Abu Talip		
95407 Saratok		
Sarawak		
Sarikei Public Library	084-657840	084-658623
Jalan Kapur	084-653618	084-653702
96100 Sarikei		
Sarawak		
Mukah Public Library	084-873728	084-871041
c/o Dalat & Mukah District Council	084-871621	
Jalan Kubu 11, P.O. Box 68		
96400 Mukah		
Sarawak		
Sibu Public Library	084-314225	084-320240
Sibu Municipal Council	33.75.123	
Jalan Keranji		
96000 Sibu		
Sarawak		
Sibu Jaya Public Library	084-336077	084-324694
Sibu Rural District Council	084-236329	084-236339
Tingkat 18, Wisma Sanyan		
P.O.Box 1318		
96008 Sibu		
Sarawak		
Bintangor Public Library	084-693415	084-693973
Jalan Mahkamah		
P.O.Box 4		
96507 Bintangor		
Sarawak		
Kanowit Public Library	084-752354	084-752695
Jalan Kubu		
P.O.Box 1		
96700 Kanowit		
Sarawak		
Kapit Public Library	084-796829	084796323
Kapit District Council		
96800 Kapit		
Sarawak		
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Libraries	Telephone number	Fax number
Bintulu Public Library	086-331812	086-339826
BDA, Peti Surat 55	086-332537	
97007 Bintulu		
Sarawak		
Miri Public Library	085-415395	085-430057
Miri Civic Centre	085-424984	
Level 2, 98000 Miri		
Sarawak		
Bekenu Public Library	085-719943	085-719527
Subis District Council		
98150 Bekenu		
Miri, Sarawak		
Marudi Public Library	085-755444	085-755366
Marudi District Council		
P.O.Box 374		
98058 Baram		
Sarawak		
Limbang Public Library	085-214830	085-212577
4 th . Floor, Limbang Plaza		
98700 Limbang		
Sarawak		
Lawas Public Library	085-283314	085-285485
Lawas District Council		
98850 Lawas		
Sarawak		



