



# Hours of Service Policy

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In order to be accessible to as many patrons as possible and to comply with state regulations, the Baldwin Public Library (BPL) maintains regular service hours.

1. BPL is generally open seven days per week.
2. BPL is closed on New Year's Day, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Easter Sunday, Memorial Day and weekend preceding, Juneteenth, Fourth of July, Labor Day and weekend preceding, Staff Development Day, Thanksgiving Day, the day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve Day, Christmas Day, and New Year's Eve Day. Other closing dates may be added on a non-annual basis. This schedule is approved each year at the August Library Board meeting.
3. BPL closes at 5:30 p.m. on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving.
4. BPL may be closed when weather conditions deteriorate to the point where emergency situations prevail, when vital equipment in the building fails, when there is a general emergency impacting the library facility, or when mandated by the State of Michigan.