## Lethbridge Sun Times

Publication: Lethbridge Sun Times
Code: 80027
Market: Lethbridge, AB
Population: 59239
Publishing Day: Wednesday
Source: ComBase 2008/2009 Study


The measurement geography is based on data from Market Analyzer at a minimum 45\% household penetration for controlled circulation papers and a minimum $30 \%$ household penetration for paid papers.

## Readership and Demographics

NET READERSHIP*
$29 \%$ of Lethbridge adults read any of the last 4 issues of Lethbridge Sun Times.


## NET READERS

16,906 Lethbridge adults read any of the last 4 issues of Lethbridge Sun Times.

cumulative readership - read any of the last four issues of community paper / read any of the last five weekday issues of daily newspaper

## NEWSPAPER READERSHIP

- $60 \%$ of Lethbridge adults read any community newspaper.
- $69 \%$ of Lethbridge adults read any daily newspaper.
- $17 \%$ of Lethbridge adults can only be reached with community newspapers.
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READER DEMOGRAPHICS:
Lethbridge Sun Times

- 29\% of females read Lethbridge Sun Times.*

| GENDER |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Male | 28\% |
| Female | 29\% |
| AGE |  |
| 18-34 years old | 12\% |
| 35-49 years old | 42\% |
| 50+ years old | 32\% |
| EDUCATION |  |
| High School or less | 30\% |
| Tech. or College | 31\% |
| University + | 27\% |
| HOUSEHOLD INCOME |  |
| <\$30K | 22\% |
| \$30-49K | 25\% |
| >\$50K | 32\% |
| RESIDENCE |  |
| Own Residence | 30\% |
| Rent Residence | 23\% |
| FAMILY STATUS |  |
| With children | 31\% |
| Without children | 27\% |

## Media Habits

## MAIN REASONS FOR READING COMMUNITY NEWSPAPERS

33\% of Lethbridge Sun Times readers said the main reason for reading the paper is advertising.

|  | Lethbridge <br> Sun Times <br> Readers* | Community <br> Newspaper <br> Readers** |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Editorial | $50 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| Local News | $67 \%$ | $67 \%$ |
| Local Events | $56 \%$ | $49 \%$ |
| Classified | $55 \%$ | $49 \%$ |
| Real Estate | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Jobs/Employment | $23 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
| Advertising | $33 \%$ | $29 \%$ |
| Flyers | $40 \%$ | $32 \%$ |

*read any of the last four issues of community newspaper
** read any community newspaper

## READERSHIP OF FLYERS DELIVERED WITH COMMUNITY NEWSPAPERS (Read Always Or Sometimes)

43\% of community newspaper readers always or sometimes read Automotive flyers delivered in their community newspaper.

| Automotive Supply or Service | $43 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Computer Hardware or Software | $49 \%$ |
| Department Stores including Clothing | $78 \%$ |
| Drug Store or Pharmacy | $65 \%$ |
| Fast Food Restaurant | $57 \%$ |
| Furniture or Appliances or Electronics | $74 \%$ |
| Grocery Store | $87 \%$ |
| Home Improvement Store | $74 \%$ |
| Investment or Banking Services | $29 \%$ |
| Telecommunication and Wireless Products | $30 \%$ |
| Other Products or Services | $72 \%$ |

## COMMUNITY PRINT MEDIA VS. RADIO

A newspaper is often read by more than one person and has a long shelf life. Radio is a fragmented medium requiring many ads on many stations to effectively reach the market.


