

Saturday, October 1, 2022

Family Grab & Go Craft Kits

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 10:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Takeaway

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2022 Reading Challenge

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 10:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Not Registered

Explore new books, authors, and genres as you complete our 2022 Reading Challenge. Read or listen to one book from 12 categories before the clock strikes midnight on December 31, 2022.

Once you've completed your 12 book challenges, please submit your form online or in-person to enter our draw to win a prize. You can track your reading in a favourite app or use the check-out history in your library account.

Drop-in Crafternoon: One City Collage Workshop

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 01:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Spend an afternoon expressing yourself through collage in an interactive activity with One City Peterborough. This is one of three drop-in events to help you gain artistic confidence alongside people from all walks of life.

Check out these other dates if you can't make this one:

- Friday, September 2 | 6:00 to 8:00 pm in the FOL Community Room
This is a [First Friday](#) event
- Tuesday, September 20 | 1:00 to 4:00 pm in the Multipurpose Room

Adults, teens and children 6+ with an adult

Monday, October 3, 2022

Basic Computer Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 3 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Technology is necessary for so many parts of our lives, including banking, shopping, socializing, and even accessing healthcare. In this series, you will learn to get more comfortable with computers, learn the basics of internet browsing and email, and explore tools for basic tasks like creating a household budget or responding to a volunteer job posting.

This course is ideal for volunteers or older adult learners and those needing basic computer skills for employment. **Registrants should commit to attending most of this 8-week series.**

Communication & Workplace Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 3 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

This course will provide you with basic skills essential to the modern workplace including

- Video conferencing
- Managing emails
- Goal setting, time management skills, and tips for online learning
- Skills for creating better relationships and improving teamwork

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Teen Reviewers

Date and Time: Monday, October 3 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Earn volunteer hours for participating in our monthly discussion and contributing reviews for various media platforms.

In each meeting, we'll focus on discussing and writing reviews about books and media for different audiences and how to publish your literary opinions on various platforms for the world to see.

Intermediate Spanish Conversation

Date and Time: Monday, October 3 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Develop your Spanish speaking and listening skills and learn Spanish in a fun and interactive environment from native Spanish speakers. Our partners at the New Canadians Centre will lead this weekly conversation group.

The New Canadians Centre Peterborough (NCC) is a non-profit charitable organization dedicated to supporting immigrants, refugees and other newcomers in the Peterborough and Northumberland regions.

Magic Carpet Ride - Tales from Near & Far

Date and Time: Monday, October 3 06:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Fly away with us on our magic carpet as we explore the sights, sounds, and stories from near and far cultures, regions, and countries.

Tuesday, October 4, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 4 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Join us in person for a fun and lively story time for you to enjoy with your preschooler. We will help expand your child's attention span and imagination through stories and songs while focusing on early literacy skills.

Doodle Drawing Hour

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 4 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Drop by the Story Corner for an hour of creative colouring and drawing. We will provide art supplies each week and some guided drawing activities.

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

Living & Aging Well: Stay Safe at Home-CANCELLED

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 5 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

This program has been cancelled.

We're partnering with Age-friendly Peterborough in this series for older adults, focussing on learning ways to stay safe, connected, and active in our community. Each month's session will feature a presentation, discussion, and time for socializing over a small luncheon.

Oct. 5: Staying Safe at Home

There are risks and potential dangers in and around a home and they become more prevalent as we age. You will receive a copy of a home safety audit and learn how you can reduce your risk of falling and other accidents. We will show you safety tools and supportive aids available to help you stay safe.

Speakers: Glen Robson, Home Instead Senior Care

Drop-in Genealogy

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 5 01:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

Learn about the lives of the people on your family tree using local resources. Experienced researchers from the Kawartha Branch of Ontario Ancestors will guide you to information in the library's combined local history and genealogy collection and online tools and resources. Bring your laptop and explore free library access to Ancestry online.

LEGO hour

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 5 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Use your imagination to build epic LEGO creations every Wednesday! We'll supply the LEGO bricks, you bring the ideas.

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Writing Circle

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 5 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Join other writers in a safe place to share your writing, receive feedback, offer advice, and discuss issues you may be experiencing with your writing.

We'll motivate you with the occasional short writing exercises and invite guest speakers to discuss literary techniques and explore current issues.

Thursday, October 6, 2022

Non-fiction Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 09:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Address: Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr.Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

We're taking on timely topics and titles at our new Non-fiction book club. Each month, we'll send out a list of suggested titles for you to consider reading, then at the meeting, we'll discuss what we've read.

Suggested titles will include titles in our physical and digital collections - available on a first come, first served basis.

October: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Baby & Me - Early Fall session

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 0-12 months

Event Category: Registration Required

Spend some special one-on-one time with your baby and connect with other families. Each week, Karen will share songs, stories, bounces, and rhymes designed to support your child's development and learning.

Register once for the entire 6-week series by going to the first date in the series in our Events Calendar: [September 15, 2022](#).

Stay and Play: Toys will be available for babies to explore as you enjoy time together with caregivers after the program.

Tech Q&A

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Address: Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr. Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

Our Tech Coaches will be at the Wellness Centre every Thursday morning to help you with technical skills related to eBooks and other Digital Library resources as well as basic questions related to computers and mobile devices.

Please note: Tech Coaches cannot help with computer or hardware repairs or provide ongoing tutoring sessions.

Tech Coaching

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Explore technology questions and solutions with our Library Tech Coaches! We can help with technical skills related to computers and mobile devices.

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Tech Coaching

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 03:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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Curious Kids Hour

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

How? Why? Where? What happens when? If you are a curious kid who always wants to know the answers to these questions, you'll love this hands-on, interactive STEAM program. Every week, we'll explore something new – curious?

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Tween Creative Writing Club

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 9-12 years

Event Category: Registration Required

Get your creative juices flowing through writing activities, prompts, and games with other young, aspiring authors.

One Art, One City: Creating Community Through Art Making

Date and Time: Thursday, October 6 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

Explore the role of art in breaking down barriers between diverse populations in our community through a panel discussion and art demonstration led by Brian Nichols, a retired psychotherapist.

Panel participants include:

- Christian Harvey, Executive Director, One City
- John Climenhage, artist
- Stephen Legari, a museum-based art therapist, psychotherapist and arts-in-health advocate

Friday, October 7, 2022

Spice Club: Garam Masala

Date and Time: Friday, October 7 10:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Do you enjoy cooking, experimenting with ingredients and trying new recipes? Sign up for our new monthly Spice Club takeaway kits featuring spices and herbs from all over the world. We'll also hold occasional meetings to share our favourites and chat about what we've been creating in the kitchen! It's the perfect program for foodies of all kinds.

October 7: Garam Masala – to celebrate Diwali on October 24

November 4: Cumin – celebrating Mexico and Dia de los muertos

Baby & Me - Early Fall session

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Event Category: Registration Required

Spend some special one-on-one time with your baby and connect with other families. Each week, Karen will share songs, stories, bounces, and rhymes designed to support your child's development and learning.

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Stay and Play: Toys will be available for babies to explore as you enjoy time together with caregivers after the program.

First Fridays - Bookend Shelf Art

Date and Time: Friday, October 7 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

We're celebrating Peterborough's arts community by embracing creativity on the first Friday evening of each month (yes—we're now open until 8 pm on Fridays, too!). Stop by the Library and get creative before heading out to the downtown art crawl. Come with friends or bring the family!

[First Friday Peterborough](#) is a self-guided tour of downtown galleries, studios, shops, and cafés that takes place on the first Friday of every month (except January), between the hours of 6 pm to 10 pm.

Bookend Shelf Art

Celebrate Canadian Library Month and create artistic bookends – one for the Library and one for yourself! We'll supply paint and brushes; you bring your creativity and other supplies to add to your design. Come early so you don't miss out on this make one, take one activity- supplies are limited.

Saturday, October 8, 2022

Family Grab & Go Craft Kits

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Monday, October 10, 2022

Library Closure - Thanksgiving Monday

Date and Time: Monday, October 10 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: All Ages

Event Category: Library Closure

The Library will be closed on Monday, October 10 for Thanksgiving Monday.

Tuesday, October 11, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 11 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

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Doodle Drawing Hour

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Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

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Non-fiction Book Club

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Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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Suggested titles will include titles in our physical and digital collections - available on a first come, first served basis.

October: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Wednesday, October 12, 2022

Toddler Time - Early Fall session

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 12 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 12-24 months

Event Category: Registration Required

This program is now full. For Waitlist information, please refer to **Registration Options** below.

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Stay and Play: Toys will be available for toddlers while you enjoy time with other caregivers after the program.

Thursday, October 13, 2022

Tech Q&A

Date and Time: Thursday, October 13 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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Age Group: Adults

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Genealogy with Ontario Ancestors

Date and Time: Thursday, October 13 01:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

We're partnering with family history research experts, the Kawartha Branch of Ontario Ancestors, to bring you monthly presentations. This Fall we'll be exploring genealogy resources available through local museums and archives. We'll explore physical and digital resources available from each organization, including time for questions and answers at each meeting.

You'll also learn about Ontario Ancestors and the benefits of joining your local Kawartha Branch.

October 13: Research Gems at the Peterborough Museum & Archives (Jon Oldham, Archivist)

Jon Oldham is a long-time employee of the Peterborough Museum & Archives and former instructor in Fleming College's Museum Management and Curatorship program, Jon now combines his professional passion for history and his personal passion for genealogy as Archivist.

Curious Kids Hour

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Teen Writing Circle

Date and Time: Thursday, October 13 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Online - Zoom Online - Zoom

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Whether you're currently writing a poem, a short story, or a whole novel, the Teen Writing Circle is a place to connect with like-minded teens and get inspired!

We'll have experienced authors join the group from time to time to mentor you on the writing process and give helpful hints on a variety of topics.

Public Engagement Session: Library Strategic Plan

Date and Time: Thursday, October 13 05:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: All Ages

Event Category: Tickets Required

We want to hear from you! Help shape the future of your library!

You're invited to participate in this 90-minute engagement session. It will be an open conversation, guided by a series of questions to gather your ideas and perspectives.

The session will be externally facilitated by Laridae, who is supporting the Library with the engagement part of strategy development—connecting with the Library's key stakeholders, including staff, Board members, volunteers, partners, members, visitors, donors and funders, municipal stakeholders, and community members to inform the future direction of the Ptbo Library.

Please [register for the engagement session](#) so we know how many people to expect.

Can't make it for the session but still want to share your input? Fill out our [public engagement survey](#) instead!

Storybook Crafts

Date and Time: Thursday, October 13 06:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Not Registered

For families with children ages 3 to 8

We'll share one of our favourite storybooks, and talk about the characters, the artwork and other elements that make it a special story. After, we will create a fun craft inspired by the book.

- Sept. 8: [Elmer](#) by David McKee
- Sept. 29: [Tree](#) by Britta Hegarty
- Oct. 13: [Shh! We Have a Plan](#) by Chris Haughton

Friday, October 14, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Friday, October 14 11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

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Saturday, October 15, 2022

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Monday, October 17, 2022

Basic Computer Skills

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Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Technology is necessary for so many parts of our lives, including banking, shopping, socializing, and even accessing healthcare. In this series, you will learn to get more comfortable with computers, learn the basics of internet browsing and email, and explore tools for basic tasks like creating a household budget or responding to a volunteer job posting.

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Communication & Workplace Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 17 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

This course will provide you with basic skills essential to the modern workplace including

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- Managing emails
- Goal setting, time management skills, and tips for online learning
- Skills for creating better relationships and improving teamwork

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Homeschool Connection

Date and Time: Monday, October 17 01:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: Family

Event Category: Not Registered

For homeschooling families.

Stop by for an afternoon of games, arts & crafts, and more! Meet up with a friend or make a new one. We want to get to know you better, find out how the Library can support your learning at home, and develop programs that will keep you coming back!

Intermediate Spanish Conversation

Date and Time: Monday, October 17 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Develop your Spanish speaking and listening skills and learn Spanish in a fun and interactive environment from native Spanish speakers. Our partners at the New Canadians Centre will lead this weekly conversation group.

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Tuesday, October 18, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 18 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Join us in person for a fun and lively story time for you to enjoy with your preschooler. We will help expand your child's attention span and imagination through stories and songs while focusing on early literacy skills.

Doodle Drawing Hour

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 18 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Drop by the Story Corner for an hour of creative colouring and drawing. We will provide art supplies each week and some guided drawing activities.

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Gardening Workshop: Getting Ready For Winter

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 18 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Develop your green thumb under the guidance of Peterborough & Area Master Gardeners! Each month, they'll explore seasonal topics to help you make the most of your own gardens and lawns, with a view to sustainability and efficiency.

October 18: Getting the Garden Ready for Winter

Personal Finance: Tenant Rights

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 18 07:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Our personal financial programs cover topics from budgeting to estate planning, and everything in between, to help you manage your money and deal with the legal and financial issues of life. We partner with local and national financial professionals to give you expert information and guide you to the right resources for your needs.

Oct. 18: Tenant Rights

Learn about your rights as well as your responsibilities as a tenant, as well as what to expect from your landlord. If you are a new renter or you've always been unsure what to expect, this session is for you!

Wednesday, October 19, 2022

Toddler Time - Early Fall session

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 19 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 12-24 months

Event Category: Registration Required

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Drop-in Genealogy

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 19 01:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

Learn about the lives of the people on your family tree using local resources. Experienced researchers from the Kawartha Branch of Ontario Ancestors will guide you to information in the library's combined local history and genealogy collection and online tools and

resources. Bring your laptop and explore free library access to Ancestry online.

LEGO hour

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 19 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Use your imagination to build epic LEGO creations every Wednesday! We'll supply the LEGO bricks, you bring the ideas.

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Writing Circle

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 19 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Join other writers in a safe place to share your writing, receive feedback, offer advice, and discuss issues you may be experiencing with your writing.

We'll motivate you with the occasional short writing exercises and invite guest speakers to discuss literary techniques and explore current issues.

Expressive Writing Workshop: Words on Paper

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 19 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

In this workshop, author Erica Richmond will encourage connection, creativity, and collaboration by helping you develop a practice to find your words and gain the confidence to put them on paper.

Erica Richmond is the founder of [Open Sky Stories](#) and author of [Pixie and the Bees](#).

Thursday, October 20, 2022

Tech Q&A

Date and Time: Thursday, October 20 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Address: Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr. Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

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Tech Coaching

Date and Time: Thursday, October 20 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Explore technology questions and solutions with our Library Tech Coaches! We can help with technical skills related to computers and mobile devices.

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Tech Coaching

Date and Time: Thursday, October 20 03:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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Curious Kids Hour - CANCELLED

Date and Time: Thursday, October 20 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Curious Kids Hour on Thursday October 20th is cancelled.

Tween Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, October 20 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 9-12 years

Event Category: Registration Required

Each month we meet at the Library for some fun and lively discussions around our monthly book club title. This is a terrific opportunity to discover new genres, series and authors while making new friends.

- September 22: [The Secret Lake](#) by Karen Inglis
- October 20: [The Graveyard Book](#) by Neil Gaiman
- November 17: [War Stories](#) by Gordon Korman
- December 15: [Other Words for Home](#) by Jasmine Warga
- January 19: **Best of 2022 and Setting Reading Goals for 2023**
- February 16: [Finding Langston](#) by Lesa Cline-Ransome

If this program is full, please add your name to our waitlist.

Friday, October 21, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Friday, October 21 11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Join us in person for a fun and lively story time for you to enjoy with your preschooler. We will help expand your child's attention span and imagination through stories and songs while focusing on early literacy skills.

Friday Feature Films: The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent

Date and Time: Friday, October 21 02:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Not Registered

Take a break and watch a recent feature film for free. Just because you missed it in the movie theatre doesn't mean you can't enjoy it on a big screen. Popcorn provided!

Oct. 21: The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent (13+) 107 min.

The fictionalized version of Nick Cage must accept a \$1 million offer to attend the birthday of a dangerous super fan Javi Gutierrez. Things take a wildly unexpected turn when Nick Cage is recruited by a CIA operative Vivian and forced to live up to his own legend, channeling his most iconic and beloved on-screen characters in order to save himself and his loved ones.

You can also join our [Film Discussion](#) of this title on Oct. 26.

Baby & Me CANCELLED

Date and Time: Friday, October 21 02:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 0-12 months

Event Category: Not Registered

Saturday, October 22, 2022

Family Grab & Go Craft Kits

Date and Time: Saturday, October 22 10:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Takeaway

Visit the Library on Saturdays and bring home a Family Grab & Go Craft Kit! Each kit contains the materials and instructions you need to make a fun craft or activity at home.

Kits are available on a first come, first served basis every Saturday morning at the Children's Check-Out Desk.

July:

2: Sometimes I Feel Like a ... Animal Mask

9: Watermelon Magnet

16: Stick Mosquito

23: Popsicle Puppet

30: Pool Noodle Boats

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10: Handmade Hug (Grandparents Day)

17: Paper chain snake

24: Rainbow Wand (Pride)

October:

1: Pinecone Hedgehog

8: Clothespin Turkey (Thanksgiving)

15: Itty Bitty Book (OPLW)

22: Diwali Elephant Bookmarks

29: Ghost Straw Puppet

Haunted Gingerbread Houses - RESCHEDULED

Date and Time: Saturday, October 22 10:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Registration Required

Haunted Gingerbread Houses has been rescheduled to Saturday October 29, 2022.

This program is FULL and all registrants have been notified via email. If you have any questions, please email us at libraryinfo@peterborough.ca

Monday, October 24, 2022

Basic Computer Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 24 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Technology is necessary for so many parts of our lives, including banking, shopping, socializing, and even accessing healthcare. In this series, you will learn to get more comfortable with computers, learn the basics of internet browsing and email, and explore tools for basic tasks like creating a household budget or responding to a volunteer job posting.

This course is ideal for volunteers or older adult learners and those needing basic computer skills for employment. **Registrants should commit to attending most of this 8-week series.**

Communication & Workplace Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 24 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

This course will provide you with basic skills essential to the modern workplace including

- Video conferencing
- Managing emails
- Goal setting, time management skills, and tips for online learning
- Skills for creating better relationships and improving teamwork

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Zombie Barbies - CANCELLED

Date and Time: Monday, October 24 01:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Come get your craft on as we repurpose old Barbies, transforming them with paint into macabre members of the undead! Your decomposing doll will be the perfect addition to any Halloween décor.

Intermediate Spanish Conversation

Date and Time: Monday, October 24 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Develop your Spanish speaking and listening skills and learn Spanish in a fun and interactive environment from native Spanish speakers. Our partners at the New Canadians Centre will lead this weekly conversation group.

The New Canadians Centre Peterborough (NCC) is a non-profit charitable organization dedicated to supporting immigrants, refugees and other newcomers in the Peterborough and Northumberland regions.

On Va Faire Dodo : Story Time en Français

Date and Time: Monday, October 24 06:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Join guest raconteur Mme T. for bedtime stories, songs, and rhymes en français! Suitable for all French language levels.

Tuesday, October 25, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 25 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Join us in person for a fun and lively story time for you to enjoy with your preschooler. We will help expand your child's attention span and imagination through stories and songs while focusing on early literacy skills.

Adult Book Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 25 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Join us for our monthly Librarian-led book discussion. Please register a month in advance for either the afternoon in-person meeting or the evening Zoom meeting.

Registrants will have the option to reserve a print copy of the next Book Club title. You can also access digital copies through hoopla or cloudLibrary.

October 25: The Last Mona Lisa by Jonathan Santlofer

Teen Book Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 25 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Love reading? Join us once a month for a lively discussion with other book-lovers over snacks! Pick up this month's YA novel at our main Check-out Desk (or download the eBook on Hoopla or cloudLibrary), read it, then come tell us what you think!

Nov 29: [Like a Love Story](#) by Abdi Nazemian

Dec 20: [Americanized: Rebel Without a Green Card](#) by Sara Saedi

Jan 24: [Check, Please!](#) by Ngozi Ukazu

Feb 21: [The Hate U Give](#) by Angie Thomas

Doodle Drawing Hour

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 25 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Drop by the Story Corner for an hour of creative colouring and drawing. We will provide art supplies each week and some guided drawing activities.

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Adult Book Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 25 07:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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Wednesday, October 26, 2022

LEGO hour

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 26 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Use your imagination to build epic LEGO creations every Wednesday! We'll supply the LEGO bricks, you bring the ideas.

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Film Discussion Group

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 26 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

Join a community of movie buffs who enjoy talking about filmmaking, acting and all things related to the cinematic experience!

You can either attend one of our Friday Feature Film screenings at the Library or watch it on your own time.

Sept. 28: The Outfit (13+) 105 min. (Screening on Sept. 16)

English tailor Leonard (Mark Rylance) creates custom suits on the world-famous Savile Row in London. After suffering a personal

tragedy, Leonard relocates to Chicago, where he finds a small tailor shop in a shady neighborhood and buys it, in order to pursue his profession. The neighborhood is teeming with wealthy families of ruthless gangsters who become his customers. He rapidly becomes well-known in the area. One night, a group of mobsters come knocking at his workshop door in search of a suspicious package and attaché case. As the night progresses, he's lured into the chaos. Everyone wants to claim the prize, which it turns the night into a disastrous bloody dispute. In order to survive, Leonard must outwit the mobsters

Oct. 26: The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent (13+) 107 min. ([Screening on Oct. 21](#))

The fictionalized version of Nick Cage must accept a \$1 million offer to attend the birthday of a dangerous super fan Javi Gutierrez. Things take a wildly unexpected turn when Nick Cage is recruited by a CIA operative Vivian and forced to live up to his own legend, channeling his most iconic and beloved on-screen characters in order to save himself and his loved ones

Nov. 23: Father Stu (G) 124 minutes ([Screening on Nov. 18](#))

Follows the life of Father Stuart Long, a boxer-turned-priest who inspired countless people during his journey from self-destruction to redemption.

Thursday, October 27, 2022

Baby & Me - Early Fall session

Date and Time: Thursday, October 27 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 0-12 months

Event Category: Registration Required

Spend some special one-on-one time with your baby and connect with other families. Each week, Karen will share songs, stories, bounces, and rhymes designed to support your child's development and learning.

Register once for the entire 6-week series by going to the first date in the series in our Events Calendar: [September 15, 2022](#).

Stay and Play: Toys will be available for babies to explore as you enjoy time together with caregivers after the program.

Tech Q&A

Date and Time: Thursday, October 27 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Address: Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr. Peterborough Sport & Wellness Centre - 775 Brealey Dr.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Not Registered

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Curious Kids Hour

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Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Not Registered

How? Why? Where? What happens when? If you are a curious kid who always wants to know the answers to these questions, you'll love this hands-on, interactive STEAM program. Every week, we'll explore something new – curious?

Older siblings are welcome to join.

Teen Writing Circle

Date and Time: Thursday, October 27 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: Online - Zoom Online - Zoom

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Whether you're currently writing a poem, a short story, or a whole novel, the Teen Writing Circle is a place to connect with like-minded teens and get inspired!

We'll have experienced authors join the group from time to time to mentor you on the writing process and give helpful hints on a variety of topics.

Halloween Crafts - Make & Take Station

Date and Time: Thursday, October 27 05:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 3-5 years

Event Category: Not Registered

Stop by the Library to make some frightfully fun and creepy crafts to deck your haunt for Halloween!

Friday, October 28, 2022

Drop-In Story Time

Date and Time: Friday, October 28 11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

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Age Group: 2-4 years

Event Category: Not Registered

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Age Group: 0-12 months

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Halloween Movie Night

Date and Time: Friday, October 28 05:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.Main Library - 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Teens

Event Category: Registration Required

Prepare to be scared as we watch a horror movie, hear ghost stories about the Library (they're all true!) and gorge ourselves on too much pizza and candy.

Saturday, October 29, 2022

Family Grab & Go Craft Kits

Date and Time: Saturday, October 29 10:00 a.m.

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Event Category: Takeaway

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Haunted Gingerbread Houses FULL

Date and Time: Saturday, October 29 10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Address: Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North. Main Library - 345 Aylmer Street North.

Age Group: 5-8 years

Event Category: Registration Required

This program is now full.

For kids ages 7 to 12 years.

Get into the spooky spirit of the season - make a haunted gingerbread house with Halloween candy decorations. Will your house be a trick or a treat...or both?

Monday, October 31, 2022

Basic Computer Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 31 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Address: Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N. Main Library – 345 Aylmer St. N.

Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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Communication & Workplace Skills

Date and Time: Monday, October 31 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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Intermediate Spanish Conversation

Date and Time: Monday, October 31 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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Age Group: Adults

Event Category: Registration Required

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