

PROGRAM AND ACTIVITY GUIDE



WINTER 2024



WELCOME!

to the Cochrane Public Library's Winter Program Guide

(Effective January 1 - April 2024)

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Children

Tween & Teen

All Ages

Adult

EARLY LITERACY PROGRAMS

STORYTIME (AGES 2-5/PARENTED) NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Learn rhymes, songs, fingerplays, and share stories that will incorporate early literacy skills into your daily routine. These sessions will keep your preschooler interacting from start to finish! ***Remember to pick up a pass for each family member at the front door.***

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Mon	Jan 15 - Feb 12	11:15 - 11:45am
Session 1: Thu	Jan 18 - Feb 15	11:15 - 11:45am
Session 2: Mon	Feb 26 - Mar 25	11:15 - 11:45am
Session 2: Thu	Feb 29 - Mar 28	11:15 - 11:45am

DAYCARE & DAYHOME STORYTIME (AGES 0-5/CAREGIVERS REQUIRED) REGISTERED

Day Home and Daycare providers - this program is for you! Join us for rhymes, songs, fingerplays, and stories that will complement the early literacy skills your littles are learning. ***Weekly registration will open on the Monday prior to each session.***

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Thu	Jan 18 - Feb 15	10:15 - 10:45am
Session 2: Thu	Feb 29 - Mar 28	10:15 - 10:45am

BABY LAPTIME (AGES 0-WALKING/PARENTED) NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Discover new and fun ways to connect with your baby through bounces, tickles, and stories set to song! ***Remember to pick up a pass for each family member at the front door.***

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Mon	Jan 15 - Feb 12	10:15 - 10:45am
Session 2: Mon	Feb 26 - Mar 25	10:15 - 10:45am

MOVERS AND SHAKERS (WALKING-3/PARENTED) NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us for songs and rhymes in a movement-oriented program guaranteed to get out the wiggles! ***Remember to pick up a pass for each family member at the front door.***

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Tues	Jan 16 - Feb 13	10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am
Session 2: Tues	Feb 27 - Mar 26	10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

FULL STEAM AHEAD NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us on a journey of discovery with this STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) based program! This program is designed for kids in Grades 1 to 8.

DAY	TOPIC	DATES	TIME
Mon	Explorer Academy	Jan 22	2:00 - 3:30pm
Mon	Objects in Motion	Feb 26	2:00 - 3:30pm
Mon	The Natural World	Mar 25	2:00 - 3:30pm

WHAT WOOD YOU MAKE? (8+/ADULT SUPERVISION REQUIRED) REGISTERED

Create a small wood project to take home every session. Try your hand at woodburning, string art, and more. Space is limited, register early.

DAY	PROJECTS	DATES	TIME
Tue	String Art	Feb 27	4:00 - 5:00pm
Tue	Woodburning	Mar 12	4:00 - 5:00pm
Tue	Wood Etching	Mar 26	4:00 - 5:00pm

ONLINE SAFETY FOR KIDS (GRADES 5+) REGISTERED

RCMP Constable Nathan Moore will teach kids about the issues that can arise with internet use and what good online habits look like.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Feb 6	2:00 - 3:00pm

IMAGINATION STATION (8+) NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Looking for STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) based after-school activities? Let's spark our imaginations together!

Children under the age of 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Wed	Jan 17 - Feb 14	3:30 - 4:15pm
Session 2: Wed	Feb 28 - Mar 27	3:30 - 4:15pm

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

FAMILY LITERACY DAY NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us as we celebrate an early Family Literacy Day with an exciting puppet show and craft! WP Puppet Theatre presents, "Why the Rabbit's Nose Wiggles!" After the show, participants will make their own simple sculpture puppet! While supplies last.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 20	1:00 - 2:00pm

COOKIE BOOKS REGISTRATION ENCOURAGED

Learn more about Edible Book Day while creating your own tasty cookie book treat! Drop-ins welcome. Open to all ages.

Children under the age of 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Apr 2	2:00 - 3:00pm

FROZEN IN TIME: SECRETS OF THE POLAR DINOSAURS NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join dinosaur expert Tim Jeffries as he unveils how dinosaurs survived in harsh conditions and what the Arctic looked like during the Mesozoic Era. Open to all ages.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Apr 3	2:00 - 3:30pm

LIBRARY MAKESHOP NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Do you love to build stuff? Join us for this self-guided Makerspace program! We are cleaning out the craft closet and filling our activity room with a variety of craft supplies. This is your chance to let your imagination run wild, and build something awesome! No registration is required, simply pop in and start building.

Children under the age of 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Apr 4	2:00pm - 4:00pm

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

PUTT & PLAY NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us for a round of library mini-golf on our fun and challenging golf course! Test your skills with a variety of cool board games, including a few giant ones! This program is open to all ages. *Children under the age of 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Apr 5	2:00 - 6:00pm

INTRODUCTION TO SOAPSTONE CARVING (CHILDREN - 10+) REGISTERED

Learn the art of soapstone carving with *Unique Soapstone Experiences*. With a single piece of stone, children will be guided to create their own unique soapstone piece. All supplies are included. *Registration opens on Monday, January 8.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Feb 10	1:00 - 4:00pm

TWEEN & TEEN PROGRAMS

TEEN NIGHT TAKEOVER NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Grade 9-12 teens REJOICE! TEEN TIME is here! Have your say in what programming you want to enjoy and we will make it happen: games, activities, crafts, movies, and more! Did we mention PIZZA?! *Made possible by the generosity of Cochrane FCSS and United Way.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Jan 26, Feb 2, Feb 23, Mar 1, Mar 22	6:00 - 8:00pm

ADVENTURE BOOK CLUB REGISTERED

Explore an adventure book and participate in discussion, games, and STEAM activities! For ages 10 - 14. *Made possible by the generosity of Inter Pipeline.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Session 1: Thu	Jan 18 – Feb 15	4:30 - 5:30pm
Session 2: Thu	Feb 29 - Mar 28	4:30 - 5:30pm

ALL AGES PROGRAMS

GAMES NIGHT NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us for an afternoon of games, puzzles ,and more!
All skill levels and ages are welcome.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Jan 19 - Feb 16	4:00 - 5:30pm
Fri	Mar 1 - Mar 22	4:00 - 5:30pm

TECH HOUR NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Do you have technology questions or need help using the Library's electronic resources? Join our drop-in Tech Hour! No appointment is required. All you need to bring are your technology problems and any relevant devices.

There will be no program on Tuesday, February 20.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Jan 16 - Mar 26	10:15 - 11:15am

LET'S GO LEGO NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Drop in with your family and build your own LEGO creations! ***There will be no program on Saturday, February 24.***

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 20 - Mar 30	11:00am - 12:00pm

IN STITCHES NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Drop in on alternate Thursdays to enjoy our very first stitching program! Whether you crochet, knit, cross-stitch, bead or sew, you are welcome join us for a laid back night of stitching. You might even learn a thing or two!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Jan 18, Feb 1, Feb 15, Mar 7, Mar 21	6:15pm - 7:15pm

NEW FOR WINTER 2024



IMAGINATION STATION

**KIDS 8+! LET'S SPARK OUR IMAGINATIONS TOGETHER!
JOIN US FOR STEAM-BASED AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES.**

ALL AGES PROGRAMS

INTRODUCTION TO 3D PRINTING NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

This 45 minute session will introduce you to the basics of 3D printing. Learn how to create a design and submit it for printing.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Jan 23	5:00 - 5:45pm

BASIC TINKERCAD REGISTERED

This 3-week program will teach how to use the program Tinkercad to design a project to print on our 3D printer.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Jan 30 - Feb 13	5:00 - 5:45pm

PHONE PHOTOGRAPHY REGISTERED

The best camera is the one you have with you! Let us help you get the best shots from your phone over this 4-week program. You will be introduced to composition, camera apps, editing on your phone, and more.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Jan 22 - Feb 12	6:00 - 7:00pm

BETTER UNDERSTAND YOUR DIGITAL CAMERA REGISTERED

Do you own a Digital SLR camera? Would you like to take photos but you don't know what buttons to press? Learn what White Balance, ISO and Aperture are and how you can use them to produce beautiful photos.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Mar 16	2:30 - 4:00pm


DIGITAL RESOURCES IN THE LIBRARY NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join us and discover the many digital resources available to you with your Library card. From books and magazines to online tutors; LinkedIn Learning to CreativeBug. Learn how to find, download, and use them.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Jan 25	5:00 - 5:45pm
Wed	Mar 6	11:30am - 12:15pm




JANUARY 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 	2	3	4	5	6 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
8	9	10	11	12	13 Dying For Conversation 10:15 - 11:15am Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
15 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am	16 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am	17 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Fireside Chats: David Falconer 6:15 - 7:15pm	18 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm In Stitches 6:15 - 7:15pm	19 Family Flicks 3:00 - 4:30pm Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm	20 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon Family Literacy Day Celebration 1:00 - 2:00pm
22 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Full Steam Ahead 2:00 - 3:30pm Phone Photography 6:00 - 7:00pm	23 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Intro to 3D Printing 5:00pm - 5:45pm Adult Book Club 6:30 - 7:30pm	24 Unstuck: Grief & Loss 10:30am - 12:00pm Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Word 5:00 - 6:00pm	25 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm Digital Resources 5:00 - 5:45pm Artsy Evenings 6:15 - 7:15pm	26 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm Teen Night Takeover 6:00 - 8:00pm	27 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
29 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Phone Photography 6:00 - 7:00pm	30 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Tinkercad 5:00 - 5:45pm	31 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Excel 5:00 - 6:00pm Fireside Chats: Cultivate Cochrane 6:15 - 7:15pm			
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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm In Stitches 6:15 - 7:15pm	2 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm Teen Night Takeover 6:00 - 8:00pm	3 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
5 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Phone Photography 6:00 - 7:00pm	6 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Online Safety for Kids 1:00pm - 2:00pm Tinkercad 5:00 - 5:45pm Classics in Context 6:30 - 7:30pm	7 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Powerpoint 5:00 - 6:00pm	8 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm Artsy Evenings 6:15 - 7:15pm	9 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm	10 Dying For Conversation 10:15 - 11:15am Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon Intro to Soapstone Carving (Children) 1:00 - 4:00pm
12 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Phone Photography 6:00 - 7:00pm	13 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Tinkercad 5:00 - 5:45pm Artful Journeys 6:15 - 7:30pm	14 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Publisher 5:00 - 6:00pm	15 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm In Stitches 6:15 - 7:15pm	16 Family Flicks 3:00 - 4:30pm Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm	17 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
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26 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Full Steam Ahead 2:00 - 3:30pm What Wood You Make 6:00 - 7:00pm	27 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am What Wood You Make 4:00 - 5:00pm Adult Book Club 6:30 - 7:30pm	28 Unstuck: Grief & Loss 10:30am - 12:00pm Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Google Drive 5:00 - 6:00pm Fireside Chats: Cst. Nathan Moore 6:15 - 7:15pm	29 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm Artsy Evenings 6:15 - 7:15pm		Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon

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MARCH 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm Teen Night Takeover 6:00 - 8:00pm	2 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
4 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am What Wood You Make 6:00 - 7:00pm	5 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Classics in Context 6:30 - 7:30pm	6 Digital Resources 11:30am - 12:15pm Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Google Docs 5:00 - 6:00pm Fireside Chats: Cultivate Cochrane 6:15 - 7:15pm	7 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm In Stitches 6:15 - 7:15pm	8 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm	9 Dying For Conversation 10:15 - 11:15am Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon
11 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am What Wood You Make 6:00 - 7:00pm	12 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am What Wood You Make 4:00 - 5:00pm Artful Journeys 6:15 - 7:30pm	13 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Google Sheets 5:00 - 6:00pm	14 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm Artsy Evenings 6:15 - 7:15pm	15 Family Flicks 3:00 - 4:30pm Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm	16 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon Better Understand Your Digital Camera 2:30 - 4:00pm
18 Baby Laptime 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am What Wood You Make 6:00 - 7:00pm	19 Tech Hour 10:15 - 11:15am Movers and Shakers 10:15 - 10:45am / 11:15 - 11:45am Artful Journeys 6:15 - 7:30pm	20 Imagination Station 3:30 - 4:15pm Google Slides 5:00 - 6:00pm	21 Daycare Story Time 10:15 - 10:45am Story Time 11:15 - 11:45am Adventure Book Club 4:30 - 5:30pm In Stitches 6:15 - 7:15pm	22 Games Night 4:00 - 5:30pm Teen Night Takeover 6:00 - 8:00pm	23 Let's Go LEGO 11:00am - Noon Intro to Soapstone Carving (Adults) 1:00 - 4:00pm
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APRIL 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Family Flicks 2:00 - 4:00pm	2 Cookie Books 2:00 - 4:00pm Classics in Context 6:30 - 7:30pm	3 Frozen In Time 2:00 - 3:30pm	4 Library Makeshop 2:00 - 4:00pm	5 Putt & Play 2:00 - 6:00pm Teen Night Takeover 6:00 - 8:00pm	6 Edible Book Day 10:00am - 4:00pm
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SPECIAL EVENTS

DAY	DATE	EVENT	TIME
Mon	Apr 1	Family Flicks: Funny Family Edition	2:00pm
Tue	Apr 2	Cookie Books	2:00pm
Wed	Apr 3	Frozen in Time: Secrets of the Polar Dinosaurs	2:00pm
Thu	Apr 4	Library Makeshop	2:00pm
Fri	Apr 5	Putt & Play	2:00pm
Sat	Apr 6	Edible Book Day	12:00pm

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FAMILY LITERACY DAY

ACTIVITIES

- Puppet Show
- Create your own puppet

SATURDAY JANUARY 20
1:00PM TO 2:00PM

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EDIBLE BOOK DAY CONTEST

Do you love books? And food? And prizes?

If you answered 'yes' to any of these questions, you'll want to participate in our first Edible Book Day Contest! We are challenging you to create the coolest edible book creation and join us for this fun, tasty competition!

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024

For prizes, categories and full details go to:
<http://www.cochranepubliclibrary.ca/EdibleBookDay2024>

REIMAGINE THE FUTURE



2024

WHERE WILL IT TAKE YOU?

ASK US ABOUT OUR PLANS TO GROW AND SERVE YOU BETTER!

ALL AGES PROGRAMS

FAMILY FLICKS NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Introducing FAMILY FLICKS! Join us each month for a family-friendly movie afternoon. At the end of the movie, we will draw for one lucky participant to take the movie home with them! Participants are welcome to bring snacks to enjoy during the movie.

DAY	MOVIE	DATES	TIME
Fri	Paw Patrol: The Mighty Movie (PG)	Jan 19	3:00pm
Fri	Paddington (PG)	Feb 16	3:00pm
Fri	Clifford the Big Red Dog (PG)	Mar 15	3:00pm
Mon	Garfield (PG)	Apr 1	2:00pm

EDIBLE BOOK DAY NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Do you love books? And food? And prizes? If you answered “yes” to any of these questions, you’ll want to participate in our first Edible Book Day Contest! We are challenging you to create the coolest edible book creation and join us for a fun, tasty competition!

Prizes will be awarded in 3 categories: Family, Adult (16+), and Children (15 and under).

DAY	ACTIVITY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Entry Drop Off	Apr 6	10:00am - 12:00pm
Sat	Viewing and Voting	Apr 6	12:30 - 2:00pm
Sat	Prizes Awarded	Apr 6	2:15pm

ONE-ON-ONE TECH APPOINTMENTS



Did you get a new eReader, tablet, or phone? Do you need help with software/programs/apps? Not sure how to use your Library account? We can help!

Patrons can set up an appointment with one of our staff members to help answer questions. Contact the Library for more information.



ADULT PROGRAMS

GOOGLE WORKSPACE REGISTERED

Come and learn the basics of Google Drive, Docs, Sheets, Slides and Forms.

DAY	SUBJECT	DATES	TIME
Wed	Drive	Feb 28	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Docs	Mar 6	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Sheets	Mar 13	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Slides	Mar 20	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Forms	Mar 27	5:00 - 6:00pm

MICROSOFT OFFICE REGISTERED

Come and learn the basics of Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Publisher.

DAY	SUBJECT	DATES	TIME
Wed	Word	Jan 24	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Excel	Jan 31	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Powerpoint	Feb 7	5:00 - 6:00pm
Wed	Publisher	Feb 14	5:00 - 6:00pm

ADULT BOOK CLUB REGISTERED

Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month. Join us to discuss and connect with fellow readers! ***Made possible by the generosity of Inter Pipeline.***

BOOK	DAY	DATES	TIME
Meet & Greet - Talk about your favourite book	Tue	Jan 23	6:30 - 7:30pm
Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Garmus	Tue	Feb 27	6:30 - 7:30pm
Homecoming by Kate Morton	Tue	Mar 26	6:30 - 7:30pm

ARTSY EVENINGS NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Adults of Cochrane! Are you interested in trying a new craft or hobby? On alternate Thursdays, we will be trying new crafts and art forms.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thurs	Jan 25, Feb 8, Feb 29, Mar 14, Mar 28	6:15 - 7:15pm

ADULT PROGRAMS

"DYING" FOR CONVERSATION NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join End of Life Doula, Julie Handrahan, for coffee and casual conversations on the topic of end of life. End of life is one of the least talked about subjects, but should it be? Address the elephant in the room and seize the opportunity to discuss one's end of life wishes.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 13, Feb 10, Mar 9	10:15 - 11:15am

UNSTUCK: GRIEF & LOSS NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join compassionate listeners, Michelle Copithorne and Sandra McDonald (Still Lake Listening) for nurturing, non-judgmental, and maybe even mischievous group conversations exploring how we can be with our grief. This is a space for you to borrow courage from one another through shared story and lived experience about grief and loss of all kinds. *In partnership with Still Lake Listening.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Jan 24, Feb 28, Mar 27	10:30am - 12:00pm



COMING TO THE LIBRARY
FEBRUARY 1 - 28
NIITSITAPI PI'KSSÍÍ
(BLACKFOOT FANCY BEINGS)
A TREX SW Travelling Exhibition Featuring
Artworks by
Kalum Teke Dan & Ryan Jason Allen Willert



Niitsitapi Pi'kssíí (Blackfoot Fancy Beings) is an exhibition featuring artworks that depict animals (or fancy beings) significant to Blackfoot Culture by two contemporary Blackfoot artists, Ryan Jason Allen Willert and Kalum Teke Dan. Blackfoot teachings about these animals are a large part of the exhibition, which would not have been possible if not for the generous support of Elder Camille (Pablo) Russell.



ADULT PROGRAMS

ELAINE PHILLIPS - CLASSICS IN CONTEXT NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Featuring art, books, and music through the ages. This series will include patron favourites, as well as the Impressionists, Dutch Masters, Vincent van Gogh and varied women artists. No pre-knowledge required. Bring a friend.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Feb 6, Mar 5, Apr 2	6:30 - 7:30pm

FIRESIDE CHATS - CLASSROOMS WITHOUT WALLS REGISTERED

Join David Falconer, Founder of Classrooms Without Walls, as he discusses the experience of developing online teaching programs to support children and youth in conflict regions around the world.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Jan 17	6:15 - 7:15pm

FIRESIDE CHATS - HOW TO KEEP YOUR CHILDREN SAFE ONLINE REGISTERED

Learn about the issues that can arise with internet use and how to talk to your children about good habits online.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Feb 28	6:15 - 7:15pm

FIRESIDE CHATS - FINANCIAL PLANNING REGISTERED

Join us by the fire as we discuss ways of improving financial health with Chartered Professional Accountant, Laurey Godard.

DAY	TOPIC	DATES	TIME
Wed	Check our website for details	TBD	6:15 - 7:15pm

FIRESIDE CHATS - CULTIVATE COCHRANE REGISTERED

Join Cultivate Cochrane as they talk about how to plan a garden plot and prepare seeding for the gardening season; as well as composting and healthy soil preparation.

DAY	TOPIC	DATES	TIME
Wed	Preparing for the gardening season	Jan 31	6:15 - 7:15pm
Wed	Composting	Mar 6	6:15 - 7:15pm

ADULT PROGRAMS

INTRODUCTION TO SOAPSTONE CARVING (ADULTS) REGISTERED

Celebrate Indigenous Arts and Culture Week with Unique Soapstone Experiences! Participants will learn how to create a small soapstone animal with just a single piece of stone! All supplies are included. *Registration opens on Monday, February 12.*

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Mar 23	1:00 - 4:00pm

ARTFUL JOURNEYS: NORTHERN LIGHTS SILHOUETTE POUR (AGES 16+) REGISTERED

Take paint pouring to the next step with creative silhouettes! Join us as we teach you how to create your own unique Northern lights inspired silhouette painting. No experience is required. All supplies included. *Registration opens on Monday, January 15.*

Attendance at both classes required as this is a 2-part class.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Feb 13 & 20	6:15 - 7:30pm

ARTFUL JOURNEYS: CREATIVE COASTERS (AGES 16+) REGISTERED

Curious about resin? Create your own set of 2 beautiful resin coasters in this exciting resin workshop. Add pressed flowers, rocks, gold flakes, and colouring to create stunning pieces of art! No experience is required. All supplies included.

Attendance at both classes required as this is a 2-part class.

Registration opens on Monday, February 12.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Mar 12 & 19	6:15 - 7:30pm

WHAT WOOD YOU MAKE? REGISTERED

Create a small wood project to take home every session. Try your hand at woodburning, string art, and more. Space is limited, register early.

DAY	PROJECT	DATES	TIME
Mon	String Art	Feb 26	6:00 - 7:00pm
Mon	Pyrography	Mar 4	6:00 - 7:00pm
Mon	Key Rack	Mar 11	6:00 - 7:00pm
Mon	Wood Etching	Mar 18	6:00 - 7:00pm
Mon	Mountain Shelf	Mar 25	6:00 - 7:00pm

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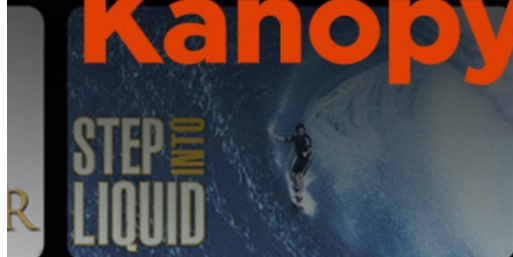
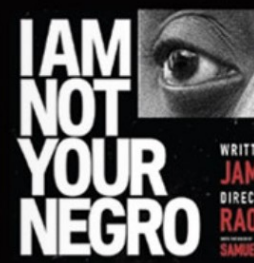
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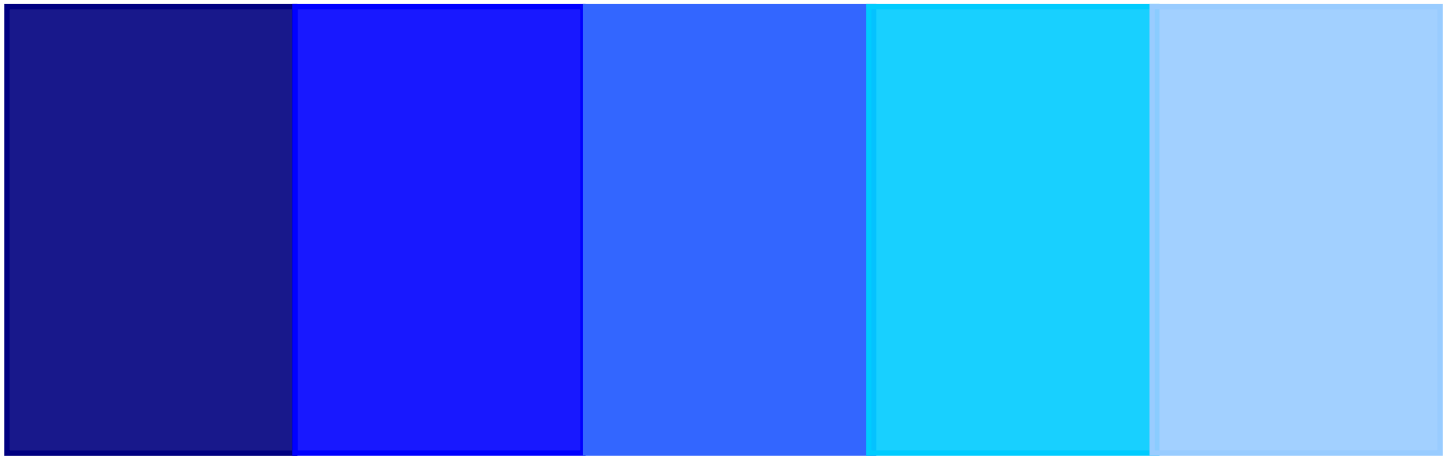


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DAY	OPEN	CLOSE
Monday	10.00am	8:00pm
Tuesday	10.00am	8:00pm
Wednesday	10.00am	8:00pm
Thursday	10.00am	8:00pm
Friday	10.00am	6:00pm
Saturday	10.00am	6:00pm
Sunday	Noon	5:00pm

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