

Saturday, March 1, 2025

Circle of Writers

Date and Time: Saturday, March 1 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Writers of short stories, poetry, novels, memoirs, children's books, fiction and non-fiction are invited to share their work in a welcoming and supportive group of peers. All genres and skill levels are welcome. For more information contact the library at 705-324-9411 ext 1291 or lindsayprograms@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca

KLT's Passport to Nature: The Sleeping Forest

Date and Time: Saturday, March 1 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Ken Reid Conservation Area, Lindsay

Bundle up and enjoy the stark winter beauty of the forest at Kawartha Conservation's Ken Reid Conservation Area while learning to identify trees. From buds, bark, shape, and other clues, we will explore the many distinctions present in the sleeping forest to help identify different kinds of trees. A simple identification key will be provided to all participants for use during the hike and can be taken home where you can continue to practice your new skills!

Facilitators: Sam Clapperton and Joel Grandmont

Storytime in Lindsay

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TechFest at Kirkfield

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Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time . Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, TechFest, Tech fest, STEAM kids

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Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

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Address: 1474 Highway 7A, Bethany, ON, L0A 1A0

Come on out to the Bethany Branch for our drop-in family fun day. Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, maker projects, and trying out some of our STEAM kits!

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years, but all ages are welcome! No registration required.

Musical Bingo

Date and Time: Saturday, March 1 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 190 Kent Street West, Lindsay

Is your music memory good enough to win? It's time to play musical bingo!

Challenge yourself and your friends in this free event and beat the odds by being the first to get BINGO as we play the hits from the 60s, 70s, 80s, and 90s.

Coffee, tea, or hot chocolate is available by donation.

Nifty Knitters in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Bring your knitting, crochet or any other hand craft that you would like to do. Drop in fun group meets every Monday morning to chat and create. No registration necessary.

No program on holiday Mondays.

One on One Tech Help in Little Britain

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 9 Arena Rd. Little Britain, ON

Book a twenty minute one-on-one training session with library staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the Little Britain branch.

Storytime in Woodville

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Woodville - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 78 King St. Woodville, Ontario, Canada K0M 2T0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

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Little Lights in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join Us for Monday Morning Playtime! Parents and caregivers, bring your little ones to the Dalton Branch every Monday morning for a fun drop-in session filled with free play, engaging stories, music, and fun creative activities. It's the perfect way to start your week and connect with other families in the community!

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: Baby program, toddler program, Dalton, storytime, little lights, music, preschool, child activities, young child.

Craft and Connect at Woodville Branch

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Woodville - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 78 King St. Woodville, Ontario, Canada K0M 2T0

Pet lovers, create a treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

Creative Crafters in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join a welcoming group for enthusiastic makers. Bring your creativity and enjoy crafting together in a fun, social setting. All skill levels are welcome.

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: craft social group, adult craft group, crafting, adult drop in program

IPad Chat at Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you want to learn more about your iPad or iPhone? Come and join us at the Fenelon Falls Branch every Monday. Bring your device and your questions.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Sunshine Stitchers

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Calling all crafters! Bring your knitting, sewing, crochet, quilting, embroidery or any other fiber craft and create together in a welcoming group environment for fiber artists and hobby craft creators just like you.

Location: Downstairs meeting room.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Keywords: Knitting group, stitching group

One on One Tech Help in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Schedule a personal 20-minute training session with our library staff to help you get comfortable using a computer, smartphone, tablet, or other mobile device. Registration Required.

To register, please call or email the branch.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Lego Mania at Lindsay

Date and Time: Monday, March 3 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Stop by every Monday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

All creations are added to the display case in the Programs department for the week. At the end of the day, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

No program on Holiday Mondays.

Keywords: LegoMania, Lego creations, building blocks

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Committee of the Whole

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Storytime in Coboconk

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Coboconk - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 9 Grandy Rd. Coboconk, Ontario, Canada K0M 1K0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their care givers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

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Craft and Connect at Coboconk Branch

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Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

Craft and Connect at Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

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Scrabble Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Are you a Scrabble player interested in meeting new friends for a game? Players of all skills welcome! Contact the branch for more information.

Adult Social Hour at the Kinmount Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Join us every Tuesday for a mix of games, crafts, workshops, and more. From Scrabble to Cricut projects, puzzles to vision boards, there's something for everyone—plus the occasional surprise guest or activity.

See you there!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

Storytime in Oakwood

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Oakwood - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 932 Highway 7 Oakwood, Ontario, Canada K0M 2M0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

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Make & Take Tuesdays - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Creative crafting and art activities. Stop by every Tuesday afternoon and let your imagination loose. A great after school activity for children of all ages - parents and caregivers welcome to join in the fun! Drop by when you can. No registration required.

Includes a chance to try out sewing machines or stitching by hand.

Krafty Kids

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: 932 Highway 7, Oakwood, Ontario, K0M 2M0

Get crafty at the library! New craft activity every week.

Families and children welcome!

Call the library to reserve your spot.

Art Classes for Kids in Bethany

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 4 4:15 pm - 5:45 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A Bethany

Take part in six weeks of art classes for kids (ages 5+) led by Carly Werle, M.A. in Art Therapy and Art Education, B.F.A., B.Ed in good standing with the College of Teachers and TAPT certified. Art materials included.

Cost is \$203.40 for six weeks. All enquiries and registrations must be made through Carly. Please contact by phone or email.

647-226-2573 or acres4art@gmail.com

Keyword: Art Class, Kids art class

Wednesday, March 5, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual Through Zoom Platform - Link provided prior to workshop start date

Caring for a family member or friend with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally and financially draining. Join us for a free 6-week supportive and educational workshop series that will help you better manage the challenges of family caregiving. Meet others like your self - you are not alone!

This workshop series is delivered using the Zoom platform. Access to a microphone and camera is required to fully participate.

Registration is limited to 12 participants - registration is required.

To register call: 1-866-971-5545 or by clicking on the website link provided.

Scrapbooking - Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

If you enjoy scrap booking or would like to learn about it, bring your supplies and join this enthusiastic group.

Please contact the branch for more information.

Baby and Me - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Supported in partnership with EarlyON Child and Family Centre.

Location: Program Department, Main floor.

Keywords: Parent group, Mom group, baby and me, baby & me, baby group, caregiver group

Storytime in Dunsford

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Dunsford - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford, Ontario, Canada K0M 1L0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Bravetarts Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 26 Community Centre Rd, Dunsford

Join us for the chance to find some new recipes and friends!

Once the theme is chosen, each member selects a recipe that fits the theme and prepares it for our next meeting. This is a fantastic opportunity to try something new, whether it's a dish you've never made before or a twist on a classic favorite. Feel free to explore appetizers, main courses, desserts, or beverages!

Contact the library branch for more information.

Needles and Hooks

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 26 Community Centre Road, Dunsford, ON, K0M 1L0

Bring your project of the day and add some stitches while you socialize!

Knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, and all fibre-based crafts are welcome.

Planning Advisory Committee

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

One on One Tech Help in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 3:00 pm - 4:50 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Library, 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon, K0M 1A0

Book a twenty to thirty minute one-on-one training session with Ampere staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the Bobcaygeon branch.

Check out Ampere! <https://amp.ca/makerspaces/lindsay/>

Working with rural, remote and Ingenious communities, Ampere co-designs and delivers programs cultivating S TEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) skills through innovative technology, art, and play. Ampere offers education and training, in person and virtually, for learners of every age and stage of life.

***CURRENTLY FULL* Booksters Book Club**

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

This book club is currently at capacity. If you would like to join a similar themed book club in Bobcaygeon or another Kawartha Lakes community, please reach out to Sarah Ballantyne, South Area Coordinator at sballantyne@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca.

Board Game Cafe

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 5 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Connect with others playing your favourite board games (including chess) and learn to play new ones. ALL ages welcome. Feel free to bring a snack and a drink to enjoy while you play.

Thursday, March 6, 2025

Quirky Quilters - Morning Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

Strategic Planning for Your Organization – Webinar Series

A Free Webinar Training Series For Not-for-Profit Organizations

This **free train-the-trainer webinar series** is designed for organizations to gain valuable skills and tools to facilitate their own strategic planning. Based on the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs' *Strategic Planning Resource* manual, this step-by-step interactive webinar series will help organizations improve their effectiveness, strengthen their volunteer leadership skills, and build a network of volunteers and leaders to support each other.

We are looking for organizations that:

- are willing to participate in the strategic planning process
- have commitment from the Board of Directors
- have more than one person from the organization that can participate in the training
- are not in a crisis

At the completion of the program, each organization will have:

- experience in facilitating the strategic planning process, and volunteers trained to maintain it
- access to a network of support for continued organizational development
- volunteers that have developed leadership skills

Homework is essential to successfully completing the program. After each session, your team will go back to your organization to:

- present the information received in the program session
- facilitate that stage in the strategic planning process
- get input and ownership from the board
- gather information and input for the next stage

Webinars will be 90 minutes:

| Session dates/times | Stages/Topics |
|---|---|
| Session 1 – February 20, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Introduction to strategic planning & community economic development |
| Session 2 – March 6, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Develop vision and mission |
| Session 3 – March 20, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Collect and analyze information – Develop goals |
| Session 4 – April 3, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Performance measures & action plans – Implement and monitor |

[Click here to register.](#)

Storytime in Kirkfield

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DIY Business Energy Assessments

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Virtual

Discover how to assess your own energy use and identify opportunities for improvement without hiring an expert.

[Register](#)

Quirky Quilters - Afternoon Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

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Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

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Knots & Notions

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Knots & Notions is not just about fibre arts; it's about creating a community. It's a chance to relax, express your creativity and passions, and leave with new skills and friendships. Bring your current project or get inspired by new patterns and ideas, from members or library books!

Keywords: Knots and Notions, Fiber art, social group

Adult Social Hour at the Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join us to discover new activities and connect with others. We'll have games, crafts, workshops, puzzles, and more. There's something for everyone!

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TechFest at Little Britain

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Teen Thursdays

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Branch

Join our exciting Drop-In Teen Thursdays, a dynamic program designed specifically for aged 12 to 16! This engaging initiative offers a variety of activities tailored to help you connect, create, and have fun.

Municipal Heritage Committee - The March 6th Municipal Heritage Committee Meeting will now be held electronically via Zoom due to weather conditions. Please contact Emily Turner at eturner@kawarthalakes.ca with any questions about the electronic participation.

Date and Time: Thursday, March 6 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Friday, March 7, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

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No program on holiday Fridays

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

CANCELLED: Baby and Me - Omemee Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 7 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Movies at the Library

Date and Time: Friday, March 7 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Join us for free movies every Friday—everyone's welcome! Movie ratings will vary. Please ask staff about upcoming films and feel free to suggest future films. Family-friendly movies will be shown on PA Days and holidays.

Downstairs meeting room.

Keywords: Library movies, free movies, movie screening

Saturday, March 8, 2025

Storytime in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Saturday, March 8 10:15 am - 10:45 am

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March Break Make It - Spikey Hedgehog - Little Britain

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Use kid-friendly tools like handheld drills and screws to create a wooden hedgehog friend! Free kids program

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Omemee

Date and Time: Saturday, March 8 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

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March Break Make It - Cookie Decorating

Date and Time: Saturday, March 8 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Get creative and decorate delicious cookies with colourful icing and fun toppings!

Free program for kids.

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Lindsay

Date and Time: Saturday, March 8 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplies provided, no registration required.

Monday, March 10, 2025

Nifty Knitters in Fenelon Falls

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Date and Time: Monday, March 10 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join Us for Monday Morning Playtime! Parents and caregivers, bring your little ones to the Dalton Branch every Monday morning for a fun drop-in session filled with free play, engaging stories, music, and fun creative activities. It's the perfect way to start your week and connect with other families in the community!

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: Baby program, toddler program, Dalton, storytime, little lights, music, preschool, child activities, y

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Craft and Connect at Little Britain Branch

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Little Britain - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 9 Arena Rd, Little Britain, ON K0M 2C0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

IPad Chat at Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you want to learn more about your iPad or iPhone? Come and join us at the Fenelon Falls Branch every Monday. Bring your device and your questions.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Sunshine Stitchers

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Calling all crafters! Bring your knitting, sewing, crochet, quilting, embroidery or any other fiber craft and create together in a welcoming group environment for fiber artists and hobby craft creators just like you.

Location: Downstairs meeting room.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Keywords: Knitting group, stitching group

Globus Theatre Workshop: Dancing (and singing!) Through Life!

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Globus Theatre's School of Dramatic Art

Join fabulous musical performer **Kelly Burrows** for an action-packed Musical Theatre Workshop! Sing, dance, and shine as you explore the magic of Broadway in a fun, inclusive environment—perfect for all abilities. Get ready to take center stage! Ages 7-12.

Creative Crafters in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join a welcoming group for enthusiastic makers. Bring your creativity and enjoy crafting together in a fun, social setting. All skill levels are welcome.

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: craft social group, adult craft group, crafting, adult drop in program

March Break Make It - Spikey Hedgehog - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Use kid-friendly tools like handheld drills and screws to create a wooden hedgehog friend! Free kids program

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which

ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required. Drop in anytime between listed hours of program.

One on One Tech Help in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Schedule a personal 20-minute training session with our library staff to help you get comfortable using a computer, smartphone, tablet, or other mobile device. Registration Required.

To register, please call or email the branch.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Lego Mania at Lindsay

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Stop by every Monday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

All creations are added to the display case in the Programs department for the week. At the end of the day, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

No program on Holiday Mondays.

Keywords: LegoMania, Lego creations, building blocks

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Norland

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Norland - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3448 County Road 45 Norland, Ontario, Canada K0M 2L0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

Tuesday, March 11, 2025

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their care givers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Storytime in Omemee

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their care givers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Kinmount

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied. Drop-in anytime between listed program hours.

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Coboconk

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Coboconk - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 9 Grandy Rd. Coboconk, Ontario, Canada K0M 1K0

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplied provided, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Jewellery Making - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Spark your creativity at our jewellery-making workshop, where kids can design and craft their own unique accessories to take home.

Free kids program.

City of Kawartha Lakes Roads Task Force

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

***CURRENTLY FULL* Curious Minds Book Club**

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Branch

This book club is currently at capacity. If you would like to join a similar themed book club in Bobcaygeon or another Kawartha Lakes community, please reach out to Sarah Ballantyne, South Area Coordinator at sballantyne@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca.

Looking for a fun and engaging way to dive deeper into the world of books? Curious Minds is the perfect opportunity to explore a wide variety of books!

Curious Minds book club will meet the second Tuesday of each month. Join a fun group of eager readers. Read a different book every month and meet to discuss what you thought about it and make some new friends.

March's read will be "Never Let Me Go" by Kazuo Ishiguro.

Globus Theatre Workshop: Whose Line is it Anyway?

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Globus Theatre's School of Dramatic Arts

Get ready to laugh, think fast, and unleash your creativity in this high-energy Improv Workshop with comedienne **Jennine Profeta**! Through fun games and interactive exercises, you'll sharpen your performance skills, build confidence, and embrace the unexpected. Perfect for ages 8+!

Adult Social Hour at the Kinmount Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Join us every Tuesday for a mix of games, crafts, workshops, and more. From Scrabble to Cricut projects, puzzles to vision boards, there's something for everyone—plus the occasional surprise guest or activity.

See you there!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

Lindsay Legacy C.H.E.S.T. Fund Grant Committee

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

March Break Make It - Spikey Hedgehog - Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Use kid-friendly tools like handheld drills and screws to create a wooden hedgehog friend! Free kids program

Craft and Connect at Kinmount Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Kirkfield

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Kirkfield - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 7 Munroe St. Kirkfield, Ontario, Canada K0M 2B0

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplied provided, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Oakwood

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Oakwood - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 932 Highway 7 Oakwood, Ontario, Canada K0M 2M0

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplies provided, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Dunsford

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Dunsford - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford, Ontario, Canada K0M 1L0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

Wednesday, March 12, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual Through Zoom Platform - Link provided prior to workshop start date

Caring for a family member or friend with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally and financially draining. Join us for a free 6-week supportive and educational workshop series that will help you better manage the challenges of family caregiving. Meet others like yourself - you are not alone!

This workshop series is delivered using the Zoom platform. Access to a microphone and camera is required to fully participate.

Registration is limited to 12 participants - registration is required.

To register call: 1-866-971-5545 or by clicking on the website link provided.

Scrapbooking - Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

If you enjoy scrap booking or would like to learn about it, bring your supplies and join this enthusiastic group.

Please contact the branch for more information.

Baby and Me - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Supported in partnership with EarlyON Child and Family Centre.

Location: Program Department, Main floor.

Keywords: Parent group, Mom group, baby and me, baby & me, baby group, caregiver group

Storytime in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

March Break Make It - Jewellery Making - Bethany Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Spark your creativity at our jewellery-making workshop, where kids can design and craft their own unique accessories to take home. Drop-in anytime between the listed hours.

Free kids program.

Needles and Hooks

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 26 Community Centre Road, Dunsford, ON, K0M 1L0

Bring your project of the day and add some stitches while you socialize!

Knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, and all fibre-based crafts are welcome.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Oakwood

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Oakwood - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 932 Highway 7 Oakwood, Ontario, Canada K0M 2M0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Recycled Rag Pets - Lindsay

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 10:30 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Craft your own pet using “yarn” made from old t-shirts! Design a unique rag pet to take home. Free kids program

Globus Theatre Workshop: How to be a Rocking Pop Star

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Globus Theatre's School of Dramatic Art

Explore lyrics, dive into different genres, and create your very own song in this exciting music workshop! With the help of **Shelby Crego & Ester Mayer**, of the Bread & Soul music duo, you'll bring your lyrics to life, sing it with your group, and record your masterpiece so you can listen to it again and again at home! Perfect for ages 7-12.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Dunsford

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Dunsford - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford, Ontario, Canada K0M 1L0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplied provided, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Jewellery Making - Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Spark your creativity at our jewellery-making workshop, where kids can design and craft their own unique accessories to take home.

Free kids program.

March Break Make It - Clay Pots

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Sculpt your own clay pot out of Model Magic, then draw some colourful designs to finish it off! Free kids program, all materials supplied.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Dalton

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

Lindsay Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 12 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

This friendly and casual group is the perfect place to connect with fellow book lovers, explore a new book each month, and enjoy engaging discussions. Come for the stories, and stay for the great conversation!

Thursday, March 13, 2025

Quirky Quilters - Morning Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

March Break Make It - Spikey Hedgehog - Omemee

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Use kid-friendly tools like handheld drills and screws to create a wooden hedgehog friend! Free kids program

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Kirkfield

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Kirkfield - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 7 Munroe St. Kirkfield, Ontario, Canada K0M 2B0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

Globus Theatre Workshop: Lights! Camera! Commercial!

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Globus Theatre's School of Dramatic Art

Join self-tape queen **Rebecca Anne Bloom** for a hands-on workshop using real TV commercial scripts! Learn how to interpret direction, master on-camera language, and understand how to record a commercial self tape. Step in front of the camera and give it a go! Perfect for youth 7+!

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 11:30 am - 6:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, L0A 1A0

Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, and trying out some of our STEAM kits! No registration required.

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years.

Quirky Quilters - Afternoon Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

Knots & Notions

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Knots & Notions is not just about fibre arts; it's about creating a community. It's a chance to relax, express your creativity and passions, and leave with new skills and friendships. Bring your current project or get inspired by new patterns and ideas, from members or library books!

Keywords: Knots and Notions, Fiber art, social group

March Break Make It - Candy Sushi - Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Roll up a sweet treat as you learn to make candy sushi with rice krispies, and colourful candies.

Free kids program, all supplied provided, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Woodville

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Woodville - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 78 King St. Woodville, Ontario, Canada K0M 2T0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Kinmount

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

March Break Make It - Spikey Hedgehog - Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Use kid-friendly tools like handheld drills and screws to create a wooden hedgehog friend! Free kids program

Adult Social Hour at the Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join us to discover new activities and connect with others. We'll have games, crafts, workshops, puzzles, and more. There's something for everyone!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Little Britain

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Little Britain - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 9 Arena Rd, Little Britain, ON K0M 2C0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

TechFest at Lindsay

Date and Time: Thursday, March 13 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time. Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, tech fest, kids STEAM

Friday, March 14, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual Through Zoom Platform - Link provided prior to workshop start date

Caring for a family member and friend with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally and financially draining. Join us for a free 6-week supportive and educational workshop that will help you better manage the challenges of family caregiving. Meet other caregivers who are also in a similar situation. You are not alone.

This workshop series is delivered by Zoom and requires that you have access to a microphone and camera to participate fully.

Space is limited to 12 participants - registration is required.

To register call: 1-866-971-5545 or follow the website link provided.

Storytime in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Lindsay

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied. Drop in anytime between listed program hours.

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Woodville

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Woodville - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 78 King St. Woodville, Ontario, Canada K0M 2T0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied. Drop in anytime between listed program hours to craft a case!

March Break Make It - Recycled Rag Pets - Omemee

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Craft your own pet using “yarn” made from old t-shirts! Design a unique rag pet to take home.

Free kids program, all materials supplied.

CANCELLED: Baby and Me - Omemee Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Family Fun Drop-In at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in all day at the Lindsay Library!

No program on holiday Fridays

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

Baby and Me - Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required.

Movies at the Library

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Join us for free movies every Friday—everyone's welcome! Movie ratings will vary. Please ask staff about upcoming films and feel free to suggest future films. Family-friendly movies will be shown on PA Days and holidays.

Downstairs meeting room.

Keywords: Library movies, free movies, movie screening

Saturday, March 15, 2025

Circle of Writers

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Writers of short stories, poetry, novels, memoirs, children's books, fiction and non-fiction are invited to share their work in a welcoming and supportive group of peers. All genres and skill levels are welcome. For more information contact the library at 705-324-9411 ext 1291 or lindsayprograms@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca

Friends of the Kinmount Library Used Book Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Lower Level Kinmount Library 3980 Kawartha Lakes County Rd 121, Kinmount, ON K0M 2A0

Used book sale to support the fundraising efforts of the Friends of the Kinmount Library. Cash only. Donations of gently used books accepted. No Reader's Digest or textbooks please.

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Family Fun Drop-In at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in at the Lindsay Library!

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Coboconk

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Coboconk - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 9 Grandy Rd. Coboconk, Ontario, Canada K0M 1K0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied. Drop in anytime between listed program hours to craft a case!

March Break Make It - Create a Case - Dalton

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Get ready to personalize your own canvas bag. Turn it into a pencil case, makeup bag, technology storage bag or something else!

Free kids program, all materials supplied. Drop in anytime between listed program hours to create a case!

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A, Bethany, ON, L0A 1A0

Come on out to the Bethany Branch for our drop-in family fun day. Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, maker projects, and trying out some of our STEAM kits!

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years, but all ages are welcome! No registration required.

Kawartha Young Writers' Guild

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 190 Kent St W, Lindsay

Calling all young writers! Join local author Emma Couette (*The Guild Trilogy*, *Summer's Revenge*) to share your writing and improve your stories!

Join in person or via Zoom.

March Break Make It - Boats that Float - Lindsay

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Use any of the materials provided to create your own boat. Experiment to see which materials float, and which ones may make your boat sink!

Free kids program, no registration required. Drop in anytime between listed program hours.

Rainbow Story and Play at the Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Program Department - Lindsay Branch - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop-in activity space for 2SLGBTQ+ families to connect and build community together. This program welcomes all families with children between the ages of 0 to 6 years old.

Monday, March 17, 2025

Nifty Knitters in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Bring your knitting, crochet or any other hand craft that you would like to do. Drop in fun group meets every Monday morning to chat and create. No registration necessary.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Introduction to Wordpress

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Virtual

Get ready for an exciting hands-on 2 hour workshop that will jumpstart your journey into WordPress! Whether you're a complete beginner or just looking to sharpen your skills, this workshop will guide you through the essentials—from installing WordPress through cPanel to managing pages and media like a pro. You'll dive into navigating the WordPress dashboard, creating and organizing content, working with media, and mastering basic content formatting. By the end, you'll have everything you need to confidently publish and preview your very own WordPress site.

What You'll Need:

- No prior experience required.
- Internet Connectivity
- Email address
- Digital Device (Laptop/ PC)

Registration Begins: January 24, 2025 at 12:00 AM

Registration Cut-off: March 17, 2025 at 10:00 AM

Register here: <https://steamschool.uplifterinc.com/virtual-programs/adult-programs/>

Little Britain Book Club

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 9 Arena Road, Little Britain

The Little Britain Book Club meets the third Monday of each month at 10:30am. Join us for a lively discussion about interesting and engaging books.

Stop by the branch to pick up a copy of next's month's selection.

This month the club is discussing "Recipe for a Good Life".

Little Lights in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join Us for Monday Morning Playtime! Parents and caregivers, bring your little ones to the Dalton Branch every Monday morning for a fun drop-in session filled with free play, engaging stories, music, and fun creative activities. It's the perfect way to start your week and connect with other families in the community!

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: Baby program, toddler program, Dalton, storytime, little lights, music, preschool, child activities, young child.

Creative Crafters in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join a welcoming group for enthusiastic makers. Bring your creativity and enjoy crafting together in a fun, social setting. All skill levels are welcome.

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: craft social group, adult craft group, crafting, adult drop in program

IPad Chat at Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you want to learn more about your iPad or iPhone? Come and join us at the Fenelon Falls Branch every Monday. Bring your device and your questions.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Sunshine Stitchers

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Calling all crafters! Bring your knitting, sewing, crochet, quilting, embroidery or any other fiber craft and create together in a welcoming group environment for fiber artists and hobby craft creators just like you.

Location: Downstairs meeting room.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Keywords: Knitting group, stitching group

One on One Tech Help in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Schedule a personal 20-minute training session with our library staff to help you get comfortable using a computer, smartphone, tablet, or other mobile device. Registration Required.

To register, please call or email the branch.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Lego Mania at Lindsay

Date and Time: Monday, March 17 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Stop by every Monday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

All creations are added to the display case in the Programs department for the week. At the end of the day, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

No program on Holiday Mondays.

Keywords: LegoMania, Lego creations, building blocks

Intermediate Wordpress

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Virtual

Are you ready to transform your WordPress skills and unlock the full potential of the world's most popular website platform? This exciting 2.5-hour course is packed with tips, tricks, and hands-on practice to take you from a basic user to an intermediate WordPress pro! We'll dive into the more advanced customization options, explore theme development, supercharge your site with essential plugins, and boost performance and SEO to ensure your website stands out from the crowd.

Whether you're looking to elevate your business site, start freelancing, or just improve your own blog, this course will equip you with the skills to build, customize, and optimize WordPress sites like a professional.

What You'll Need:

*Basic WordPress web development skills

*Internet Connectivity

*Digital Device (Laptop/ PC)

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Registration Cut-off: March 18, 2025 at 12:00 AM

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Homeschool STEM

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 10:30 am - 1:15 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Are you passionate about exploring the fascinating world of STEM with your homeschoolers? We're excited to invite you to this program, where parents and students alike can dive into hands-on activities, experiments and games, share resources, and ignite a love for science, technology, engineering, and math. Bring your curiosity and creativity, and let's inspire each other!

We will be offering three sessions, each lasting 45 minutes at 10:30am, 11:30am and 12:30pm.

Storytime in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1 N0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their care givers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

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Workshop: Intro to Bootstrapping and Financing Strategies

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Virtual

Virtual Workshop: Introducing Bootstrapping & Financing Strategies for Entrepreneurs

Date: Tuesday, March 18, 2025

Time: 11:00 AM EDT

Location: Online

Are you a tech entrepreneur or small business owner working to fund your venture without relying on external investment?

Join deep-tech investment expert, Moien Giashi, for an introduction to creating sustainable business growth within your current financial landscape.

What You'll Learn:

Intro to bootstrapping strategies to **grow your business without external funding**

Overview of budgeting and cash flow management for **financial stability**

Breaking down **smart investment strategies** for long-term success

Regular Council Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Navigating 2SLGBTQI+ Diversity & Inclusion in the Tourism Industry

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Virtual

This training is funded by the Government of Canada through the Federal Economic Development Agency for Northern Ontario (FedNor), Destination Northern Ontario and regional tourism organizations – Explore rs' Edge, Tourism North Bay, Tourism Sudbury, Thunder Bay Tourism and Tourism Timmins.

The global 2SLGBTQI+ travel market is valued at more than US\$200B annually. **Canadian destinations, including Northern Ontario, are well-positioned to grow their share of this significant market.** With its natural beauty, vibrant culture, and welcoming communities, Northern Ontario has immense potential to attract 2SLGBTQI+ visitors.

However, to fully realize this opportunity, tourism businesses and destinations must ensure that 2SLGBTQI+ guests and visitors feel not only welcome but also served in a way that exceeds their expectations and addresses their needs.

To help Northern Ontario businesses develop market-ready experiences, *Navigating 2SLGBTQI+ Diversity and Inclusion in the Tourism Industry* training provides practical tools and insights to understand, value, and better serve 2SLGBTQI+ visitors and staff. By building inclusive practices, businesses can create meaningful connections with this growing market while positioning Northern Ontario as a leader in 2SLGBTQI+ tourism.

Whether you're just starting your learning journey or looking to enhance existing practices, everyone is

welcome to participate.

Learn more about how you can grow your business and enhance overall visitor experience.

Participation is open to anyone across Canada.

Scrabble Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Are you a Scrabble player interested in meeting new friends for a game? Players of all skills welcome! Contact the branch for more information.

Adult Social Hour at the Kinmount Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Join us every Tuesday for a mix of games, crafts, workshops, and more. From Scrabble to Cricut projects, puzzles to vision boards, there's something for everyone—plus the occasional surprise guest or activity.

See you there!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

One on One Tech Help in Dunsford

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Dunsford - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford, Ontario, Canada K0M 1L0

Book a twenty minute one-on-one training session with library staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the branch.

Craft and Connect at Dunsford Branch

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Address: Dunsford - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford, Ontario, Canada K0M 1L0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

Make & Take Tuesdays - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Creative crafting and art activities. Stop by every Tuesday afternoon and let your imagination loose. A great after school activity for children of all ages - parents and caregivers welcome to join in the fun! Drop by when you can. No registration required.

Includes a chance to try out sewing machines or stitching by hand.

The Big Flip- Furniture Flipping Contest

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 18 4:00 pm

Address: Online

The Big Flip is Back – Flip, Vote, Win!

Peterborough, ON – Get ready to unleash your creativity and make a sustainable impact! The Big Flip, hosted by Habitat for Humanity Peterborough & Kawartha Region in partnership with Chemong Home Hardware Building Centre, is returning in celebration of Earth Day – and we want YOU to join the fun!

This exciting furniture-flipping contest challenges participants to transform a used furniture piece, keeping it out of landfills and giving it a fresh, new life. Whether you're an upcycling pro or a DIY newbie, this is your chance to flip for fun, flip for prizes, and flip for the planet!

How It Works:

- Find a used furniture piece (shop the Habitat ReStore for inspiration!).
- Flip it into something amazing.
- Submit three photos (before, during, and after) by April 30, 2025 at www.thebigflip.ca.

Prizes Up for Grabs!

Big & Bold (large furniture) – \$500 Chemong Home Hardware GC + more!

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Wednesday, March 19, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual Through Zoom Platform - Link provided prior to workshop start date

Caring for a family member or friend with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally and financially draining. Join us for a free 6-week supportive and educational workshop series that will help you better manage the challenges of family caregiving. Meet others like your self - you are not alone!

This workshop series is delivered using the Zoom platform. Access to a microphone and camera is required to fully participate.

Registration is limited to 12 participants - registration is required.

To register call: 1-866-971-5545 or by clicking on the website link provided.

Scrapbooking - Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

If you enjoy scrap booking or would like to learn about it, bring your supplies and join this enthusiastic group.

Please contact the branch for more information.

Baby and Me - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Supported in partnership with EarlyON Child and Family Centre.

Location: Program Department, Main floor.

Keywords: Parent group, Mom group, baby and me, baby & me, baby group, caregiver group

Dunsford Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 26 Community Centre Rd. Dunsford

Join us each month September to June to read interesting and engaging books on the 3rd Wednesday.

Contact the branch to get a copy of this month's title "The Color of Our Sky" by Amita Trasi then join us in branch for a lively conversation.

Needles and Hooks

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 26 Community Centre Road, Dunsford, ON, K0M 1L0

Bring your project of the day and add some stitches while you socialize!

Knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, and all fibre-based crafts are welcome.

Knots and Needles Knitting Group

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Bring your knitting, crochet, quilting, embroidery, or any fibre craft and create in a welcoming group. Share tips

, swap ideas, and connect with fellow craft enthusiasts of all skill levels!

Lunch & Learn Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA)

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: AMPERE Association 12 Peel Street or Virtually

Join us at our Lindsay location for Ampere's free AODA compliance information session for employers in the Kawartha Lakes and surrounding areas. AODA compliance is not only mandatory, it helps ensure your business can maximize its reach and impact! This information session raises awareness of employment standards, improves access to untapped talent and removes accessibility barriers across stages of employment for people living with disabilities. Following the 1 hr lunch & learn you will receive a Digital Tool kit and follow up content on each topic.

This is a 1-hour Lunch & Learn delivered in Lindsay at 12 Peel St. Join us in-person or virtually!

This information session will include an introduction on the following topics:

1. **Introduction to AODA compliance**
2. **Introduction to adhering to web content accessibility guidelines**
3. **Introduction to Inclusive recruitment, retention, and accommodations practices of People Living with Disabilities (PLWD)**

Please contact adultprograms@amp.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

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Introduction to Social Media for Small Business

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Virtual

Join Ampere for an exciting 2.5-hour workshop where you'll dive into the world of social media marketing! Learn how to create awesome content, choose the best platforms for your business, and connect with your audience effectively. Get ready for hands-on activities and real-life examples that will give you practical tips to boost your brand's online presence, attract traffic, and much more. Whether you're new to social media or want to brush up your skills, this workshop will help you leverage the power of social media for your business growth.

What You'll Need:

*No prior experience required.

*Internet Connectivity

*Digital Device (Laptop/ PC/ Smartphone)

Registration Begins: January 24, 2025 at 12:00 AM

Registration Cut-off: March 19, 2025 at 1:00 PM

Register here: <https://steamschool.uplifterinc.com/virtual-programs/adult-programs/>

CRA Tax Information: Sole-proprietors

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: MS Teams

Join for an information session presented by the Canada Revenue Agency's liaison services. Taxes can be complicated - make the process a bit easier by understanding your obligations, deductions, and common errors to avoid. Session will include Q & A.

Find more information here: <https://www.sbcontario.ca/event/cra-tax-information-sole-proprietors/>

Lindsay Audiobook Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 190 Kent St W, Lindsay

Come together to listen to a book and share your thoughts chapter-by-chapter in a fun and engaging discussion.

This club meets the third Wednesday of every month from October to June.

Great British Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you love British authors, movies, and everything British? Join our book club and connect with others who share your passion for British literature and culture. Come along for lively discussions and a bit of British charm!

A Book Club with a British Twist!

For more information or to register please call the library at 705-887-6300 or email at fenelonfallslibrary@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca

Lindsay-Ops Landfill Public Review Committee

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

One on One Tech Help in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 3:00 pm - 4:50 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Library, 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon, K0M 1A0

Book a twenty to thirty minute one-on-one training session with Ampere staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the Bobcaygeon branch.

Check out Ampere! <https://amp.ca/makerspaces/lindsay/>

Working with rural, remote and Ingenious communities, Ampere co-designs and delivers programs cultivating STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) skills through innovative technology, art, and play. Ampere offers education and training, in person and virtually, for learners of every age and stage of life.

Board Game Cafe

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 19 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Connect with others playing your favourite board games (including chess) and learn to play new ones. ALL ages welcome. Feel free to bring a snack and a drink to enjoy while you play.

Thursday, March 20, 2025

Tax Time Essentials for Business Owners

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Zoom

Simplify tax season with key insights and expert tips to stay organized, maximize deductions, and ensure compliance. Set your business up for success with a stress-free tax preparation process! Speakers: Alyssa Stuppiello, CPA and Katrina Stuppiello-Streiss, CPB.

Find more information here: <https://www.sbcontario.ca/event/tax-time-essentials-for-business-owners/>

Strategic Planning for Your Organization – Webinar Series

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 10:00 am - 11:30 am

A Free Webinar Training Series For Not-for-Profit Organizations

This **free train-the-trainer webinar series** is designed for organizations to gain valuable skills and tools to facilitate their own strategic planning. Based on the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs' *Strategic Planning Resource* manual, this step-by-step interactive webinar series will help organizations improve their effectiveness, strengthen their volunteer leadership skills, and build a network of volunteers and leaders to support each other.

We are looking for organizations that:

- are willing to participate in the strategic planning process
- have commitment from the Board of Directors
- have more than one person from the organization that can participate in the training
- are not in a crisis

At the completion of the program, each organization will have:

- experience in facilitating the strategic planning process, and volunteers trained to maintain it
- access to a network of support for continued organizational development
- volunteers that have developed leadership skills

Homework is essential to successfully completing the program. After each session, your team will go back to your organization to:

- present the information received in the program session
- facilitate that stage in the strategic planning process
- get input and ownership from the board
- gather information and input for the next stage

Webinars will be 90 minutes:

| Session dates/times | Stages/Topics |
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| Session 1 – February 20, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Introduction to strategic planning & community economic development |
| Session 2 – March 6, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Develop vision and mission |
| Session 3 – March 20, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Collect and analyze information – Develop goals |
| Session 4 – April 3, 2025 10am-11:30am | – Performance measures & action plans – Implement and monitor |

[Click here to register.](#)

Quirky Quilters - Morning Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

TechFest at Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 11:30 am - 6:30 pm

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time . Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, TechFest, Tech fest, STEAM kids

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 11:30 am - 6:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, L0A 1A0

Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, and trying out some of our STEAM kits! No registration required.

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years.

Hands-On Energy Efficiency Hacks

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Virtual

Get Actionable, budget-friendly tips and tricks to make your business more energy-efficient - without the heavy investment.

[Register](#)

Quirky Quilters - Afternoon Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

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Knots & Notions

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Knots & Notions is not just about fibre arts; it's about creating a community. It's a chance to relax, express your creativity and passions, and leave with new skills and friendships. Bring your current project or get inspired by new patterns and ideas, from members or library books!

Keywords: Knots and Notions, Fiber art, social group

Adult Social Hour at the Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join us to discover new activities and connect with others. We'll have games, crafts, workshops, puzzles, and more. There's something for everyone!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

Craft and Connect at Fenelon Falls Branch

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Omeme Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Omeme library branch - 24 King Street East, Omeme

The Omemee Book Club meets the third Thursday of each month. New members welcome! Stop by the branch to pick up a copy of next month's title and join us for an interesting and lively discussion.

Craft and Connect Mandala Art at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Relax and unleash your creativity by designing beautiful mandala art on a wooden coaster, perfect for adding a personal touch to your home or for gifting.

All supplies are provided, open to adults of all skill levels. Free adult program

Scrabble Club in Little Britain

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: 9 Arena Rd. Little Britain

Are you a Scrabble player interested in meeting new friends for a game? Players of all skills welcome! Contact the branch for more information.

Lego Mania at Little Britain

Date and Time: Thursday, March 20 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: 9 Arena Rd. Little Britain, ON

Stop by on third Thursday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme? One creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

Friday, March 21, 2025

Baby and Me - Omemee Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Family Fun Drop-In at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in all day at the Lindsay Library!

No program on holiday Fridays

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

Movies at the Library

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Join us for free movies every Friday—everyone's welcome! Movie ratings will vary. Please ask staff about upcoming films and feel free to suggest future films. Family-friendly movies will be shown on PA Days and holidays.

Downstairs meeting room.

Keywords: Library movies, free movies, movie screening

CANCELLED: One on One Tech Help in Omemee

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Omemee Library, 24 King St. E., Omemee

Book a twenty minute one-on-one training session with library staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the Omemee branch.

Craft and Connect at Omemee Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

Environmental Advisory Committee

Date and Time: Friday, March 21 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Saturday, March 22, 2025

Storytime in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A, Bethany, ON, L0A 1A0

Come on out to the Bethany Branch for our drop-in family fun day. Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, maker projects, and trying out some of our STEAM kits!

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years, but all ages are welcome! No registration required.

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

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Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

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Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in at the Lindsay Library!

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

Baby and Me - Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Loonie Auction (Coboconk, Norland & Area Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Saturday, March 22 6:00 pm - 9:45 pm

Address: Coboconk Legion, 2916 County Rd 48, Coboconk

Hosted at the Coboconk Legion, the loonie auction is the main fundraiser for the Freshwater Summit Festival.

Sunday, March 23, 2025

Grassroots Folk and Pop

Date and Time: Sunday, March 23 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Cambridge St. United Church

Are you a child of the 70's or 80's? Or maybe your parents were? The Kawartha Lakes Singers will transport you back to that groovy and rad time with their concert "Grass Roots Folk and Pop" featuring artists from the 70's and 80's.

Director Arlene Gray and the choir are pleased to welcome Peterborough's Barry Haggarty on guitar, Andrew Affleck on bass and Adam Woodhouse on drums. Along with the choir and Gael Morrison on piano they will bring to life those crossover folk to pop tunes of the 70's and the infectious beats of the 80's.

You will hear well known tunes from Joni Mitchell, Harry Chapin, The Carpenters, Abba, Carole King, Johnny Nash, James Taylor, John Denver, Cindi Lauper, Barry Manilow and more.

The concert gets underway on Sunday March 23rd at 2:30 pm at Cambridge St. United Church, Lindsay. The building is fully accessible. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for children 12 and under. Purchase tickets at klsingers.ca, from choir members or at the door. If you have any questions email kawllakesingers@gmail.com.

Monday, March 24, 2025

Nifty Knitters in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Bring your knitting, crochet or any other hand craft that you would like to do. Drop in fun group meets every Monday morning to chat and create. No registration necessary.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Storytime in Norland

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Norland - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3448 County Road 45 Norland, Ontario, Canada K0M 2L0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Quilter's Corner

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 9 Arena Rd, Little Britain, ON, K0M 2C0

Come together and talk all things quilting while you work on your latest project!

All are welcome. No registration required.

Little Lights in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join Us for Monday Morning Playtime! Parents and caregivers, bring your little ones to the Dalton Branch every Monday morning for a fun drop-in session filled with free play, engaging stories, music, and fun creative activities. It's the perfect way to start your week and connect with other families in the community!

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: Baby program, toddler program, Dalton, storytime, little lights, music, preschool, child activities, young child.

Craft and Connect at Norland Branch

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Norland - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3448 County Road 45 Norland, Ontario, Canada K0M 2L0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

IPad Chat at Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you want to learn more about your iPad or iPhone? Come and join us at the Fenelon Falls Branch every Monday. Bring your device and your questions.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Sunshine Stitchers

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Calling all crafters! Bring your knitting, sewing, crochet, quilting, embroidery or any other fiber craft and create together in a welcoming group environment for fiber artists and hobby craft creators just like you.

Location: Downstairs meeting room.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Keywords: Knitting group, stitching group

Creative Crafters in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join a welcoming group for enthusiastic makers. Bring your creativity and enjoy crafting together in a fun, social setting. All skill levels are welcome.

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: craft social group, adult craft group, crafting, adult drop in program

One on One Tech Help in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Schedule a personal 20-minute training session with our library staff to help you get comfortable using a computer, smartphone, tablet, or other mobile device. Registration Required.

To register, please call or email the branch.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Development Charges Task Force

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Lego Mania at Lindsay

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Stop by every Monday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

All creations are added to the display case in the Programs department for the week. At the end of the day, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

No program on Holiday Mondays.

Keywords: LegoMania, Lego creations, building blocks

CURRENTLY FULL Books On Tap

Date and Time: Monday, March 24 7:15 pm - 8:15 pm

Address: Old Dog Brewery, 30 King Street E, Bobcaygeon.

Enjoy the relaxed vibe of our gatherings. We meet at Old Dog Brewery where you can sip on your favorite drink while chatting about the latest read. Each month, we'll dive into a new book, from bestsellers to hidden gems. Registration is required.

This month the group discusses "The Giver of Stars" by JoJo Moyes.

This book club is currently at capacity. If you would like to join a similar themed book club in Bobcaygeon or another Kawartha Lakes community, please reach out to the Bobcaygeon branch.

Tuesday, March 25, 2025

Intermediate Wordpress

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Virtual

Are you ready to transform your WordPress skills and unlock the full potential of the world's most popular website platform? This exciting 2.5-hour course is packed with tips, tricks, and hands-on practice to take you from a basic user to an intermediate WordPress pro! We'll dive into the more advanced customization options, explore

re theme development, supercharge your site with essential plugins, and boost performance and SEO to ensure your website stands out from the crowd.

Whether you're looking to elevate your business site, start freelancing, or just improve your own blog, this course will equip you with the skills to build, customize, and optimize WordPress sites like a professional.

What You'll Need:

*Basic WordPress web development skills

*Internet Connectivity

*Digital Device (Laptop/ PC)

Registration Begins: January 24, 2025 at 12:00 AM

Registration Cut-off: March 25, 2025 at 12:00 AM

Register here: <https://steamschool.uplifterinc.com/virtual-programs/adult-programs/>

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Craft and Connect Mandala Art at Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Relax and unleash your creativity by designing beautiful mandala art on a wooden coaster, perfect for adding a personal touch to your home or for gifting.

All supplies are provided, open to adults of all skill levels. Free adult program

Module Three - Leading a Resilient Agri-business - Durham Agriculture Leadership Program

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Nestleton Community Centre 3971 Ontario 7A Nestleton Station, ON L0B 1L0

Durham Agriculture Leadership Program

Learn about a variety of topics that will help you empower and lead your farm business (and the organizations you are a part of) to new heights. Take advantage of the opportunity to hear from and talk with speakers from across the province, country, and North America. They will address relevant topics and important skills in agricultural leadership.

Module Three - Leading a Resilient Agri-business Tuesday, March 25, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

This session is where business and leadership intersect. Discussions will focus on examples and tools for making good business decisions - considering both the people and business aspects. Participants will put emphasis on leading their business into the future based on what they have heard in the previous modules. This session focuses on where leadership and business skills merge, leading you to success. Official speaker announcements to come.

Registration closes March 23, 2025.

The Durham Agriculture Leadership Program will bring in top level speakers to address important topics in agriculture leadership. The program consists of four afternoon modules from January to April, and networking opportunities. Take advantage of this unique chance to connect with other leaders in our community and beyond, to lead your agri-business into the future.

Guests are welcome to attend single or multiple sessions. Multi-day tickets are available for a limited time. Participants will need to register for each module individually if the multi-day pass is not selected at checkout.

All modules are taking place at the Nestleton Community Center, near Port Perry. Spaces are limited and lunch will be provided. Please ensure that you provide any dietary or accessibility requirements when you complete your registration.

This program is tailored to those with agricultural experience.

Modules

Module One: Agricultural Challenges and Opportunities from a Global Perspective Tuesday, January 28, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The first session starts from the top by looking at agriculture from a global perspective, to understand the impacts of global economics, and key challenges and opportunities our industry faces. Participants will learn how these factors influence agriculture business. Discussion includes global business economics, Canada's role in global agriculture, and what does this mean for Durham Region farmers. The module speakers are listed in the Agenda section.

Module Two: Effective Communication in Business and Beyond: Working with Different Personalities Tuesday, February 25, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The session will feature "tools for talking about tough issues," how to improve conflict dynamics for better risk management, and how to run a meaningful business meeting. Understanding how to effectively communicate

and work with different personalities is important in family business. The module speakers are listed in the Agenda section.

Module Three: Leading a Resilient Agri-business

Tuesday, March 25, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

This session is where business and leadership intersect. Discussions will focus on examples and tools for making good business decisions - considering both the people and business aspects. Participants will put emphasis on leading their business into the future based on what they have heard in the previous modules. This session focuses on where leadership and business skills merge, leading you to success. Official speaker announcements to come.

Registration closes March 23, 2025.

Module Four: How to be a Voice for Agriculture

Tuesday, April 8, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

This session will inspire and teach participants how to tell their story and make connections with their audience. This includes how to be memorable when telling your agriculture story to the general public, and how to have a clear message when communicating with decision makers on behalf of the industry, your business, organization, etc. This session will be led by influential experts in agriculture communications and government relations. The list of speakers can be found in the agenda section of this page.

Registration closes April 6, 2025.

Lunch and Learn Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA)

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: AMPERE Association 12 Peel Street or Virtually

Join us at our Lindsay location for Ampere's free AODA compliance information session for employers in the Kawartha Lakes and surrounding areas. AODA compliance is not only mandatory, it helps ensure your business can maximize its reach and impact! This information session raises awareness of employment standards, improves access to untapped talent and removes accessibility barriers across stages of employment for people living with disabilities. Following the 1 hr lunch and learn you will receive a Digital Tool kit and follow up content on each topic.

This is a 1-hour Lunch and Learn delivered in Lindsay at 12 Peel St. Join us in-person or virtually!

This information session will include an introduction on the following topics:

1. **Introduction to AODA compliance**
2. **Introduction to adhering to web content accessibility guidelines**
3. **Introduction to Inclusive recruitment, retention, and accommodations practices of People Living with Disabilities (PLWD)**

Please contact adultprograms@amp.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

A Novel Idea Book Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Registration is required, please contact the Bobcaygeon branch.

The Novel Idea book club will meet the fourth Tuesday of each month. Each month, we dive into a captivating novel that transports us to new worlds, introduces unforgettable characters, and challenges our perspectives. Whether you're a seasoned reader or just starting your literary journey, this is a space for all who love the written word.

March's read will be "Everything I Never Told You" by Celeste Ng.

Scrabble Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Are you a Scrabble player interested in meeting new friends for a game? Players of all skills welcome! Contact the branch for more information.

Adult Social Hour at the Kinmount Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Kinmount - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 3980 County Road 121 Kinmount, Ontario, Canada K0M 2A0

Join us every Tuesday for a mix of games, crafts, workshops, and more. From Scrabble to Cricut projects, puzzles to vision boards, there's something for everyone—plus the occasional surprise guest or activity.

See you there!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

City of Kawartha Lakes O.P.P. Detachment Board

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Craft and Connect at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

All supplies are provided, and the program is open to adults of all skill levels. Registration is required—contact your branch to reserve your spot! Free program.

Chatty Cafe

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Looking to meet new people? Ready to pause and enjoy some friendly conversation? We'll have games and fun conversation prompts to break the ice. Drop in any time during the event to chatter & natter with other visitors, and maybe make some new friends.

Hot drinks (tea, coffee, or hot chocolate) available by donation or BYO.

Keywords: Chatty Cafe, chat group, chat, social, adult social, chaty.

Techfest at Oakwood

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Oakwood - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 932 Highway 7 Oakwood, Ontario, Canada K0M 2M0

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time. Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, TechFest, Tech fest, STEAM kids

Make & Take Tuesdays - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Creative crafting and art activities. Stop by every Tuesday afternoon and let your imagination loose. A great after school activity for children of all ages - parents and caregivers welcome to join in the fun! Drop by when you can. No registration required.

Includes a chance to try out sewing machines or stitching by hand.

Krafty Kids

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: 932 Highway 7, Oakwood, Ontario, K0M 2M0

Get crafty at the library! New craft activity every week.

Families and children welcome!

Call the library to reserve your spot.

Cocktails & Connections

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 25 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Pie Eyed Monk, 8 Cambridge St N, Lindsay, ON K9V 4C3

If you are a Lindsay & District Chamber of Commerce Member please feel free to drop in to say hello at our monthly social event called "Cocktails & Connections". Every last Tuesday of each month starting February 25 we will be hosting this event from 5 pm to 6:30 pm at the Pie Eyed Monk (main floor). Door prizes, special guests, refreshments, appetizers and some good ole' fashioned networking. Drop in anytime between 5 and 6:30 and leave whenever.

Wednesday, March 26, 2025

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual Through Zoom Platform - Link provided prior to workshop start date

Caring for a family member or friend with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally and financially draining. Join us for a free 6-week supportive and educational workshop series that will help you better manage the challenges of family caregiving. Meet others like your self - you are not alone!

This workshop series is delivered using the Zoom platform. Access to a microphone and camera is required to fully participate.

Registration is limited to 12 participants - registration is required.

To register call: 1-866-971-5545 or by clicking on the website link provided.

Scrapbooking - Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

If you enjoy scrap booking or would like to learn about it, bring your supplies and join this enthusiastic group.

Please contact the branch for more information.

Baby and Me - Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Supported in partnership with EarlyON Child and Family Centre.

Location: Program Department, Main floor.

Keywords: Parent group, Mom group, baby and me, baby & me, baby group, caregiver group

Storytime in Bethany

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Needles and Hooks

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: 26 Community Centre Road, Dunsford, ON, K0M 1L0

Bring your project of the day and add some stitches while you socialize!

Knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, and all fibre-based crafts are welcome.

2SLGBTQI+ Travel Market-Ready Seminar

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Virtual

Once you've gotten acquainted with the various 2SLGBTQI+ communities and how best to serve them in your workplace, you may want to make a concerted effort to welcome the 2SLGBTQI+ travel market to your destination.

Thanks to funding from The Government of Canada, CGLCC has access to extensive research about the 2SLGBTQI+ travel market's preferences and spending habits – and has even identified personas to help you build an effective 2SLGBTQI+ marketing strategy catered to these demographics.

Funded by ACOA, this seminar will share exclusive 2SLGBTQI+ travel market info and case study best practices from around the world, as well as expose you to a number of custom 2SLGBTQI+ products to help inspire your own successful 2SLGBTQI+ tourism-welcoming strategy.

Craft and Connect at Bethany Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Bethany - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, Canada L0A 1A0

Pet lovers, create a personalized treat jar for your furry friend! Using pre-cut vinyl designs, you'll make a custom jar perfect for storing pet snacks.

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One on One Tech Help in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 3:00 pm - 4:50 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Library, 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon, K0M 1A0

Book a twenty to thirty minute one-on-one training session with Ampere staff to help you learn about using a computer or your mobile device, such as a smartphone or tablet.

To register, please call or email the Bobcaygeon branch.

Check out Ampere! <https://amp.ca/makerspaces/lindsay/>

Working with rural, remote and Indigenous communities, Ampere co-designs and delivers programs cultivating STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) skills through innovative technology, art, and play. Ampere offers education and training, in person and virtually, for learners of every age and stage of life.

Board Game Cafe

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Connect with others playing your favourite board games (including chess) and learn to play new ones. ALL ages

welcome. Feel free to bring a snack and a drink to enjoy while you play.

Art Classes for Kids in Lindsay

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 26 4:15 pm - 5:45 pm

Address: 190 Kent St West, Lindsay

Take part in six weeks of art classes for kids led by Carly Werle, M.A. in Art Therapy and Art Education, B.F.A., B.Ed in good standing with the College of Teachers and TAPT certified. Art materials included.

Cost is \$203.40 for six weeks. All enquiries and registrations must be made through Carly. Please contact by phone or email.

647-226-2573 or acres4art@gmail.com

Keyword: Art Class, Kids art class

Thursday, March 27, 2025

Lindsay Downtown BIA Board of Management

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 7:30 am

Address: BIA Office Boardroom, 7 York Street South

Quirky Quilters - Morning Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

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Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 11:30 am - 6:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A Bethany, Ontario, L0A 1A0

Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, and trying out some of our STEAM kits! No registration required.

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years.

Navigating the Impact of U.S. Global Tariffs: Strategies for SMEs

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: Virtual (Zoom)

Presented by the Ontario Business and Trade Leadership Coalition (OBTLC)

As Ontario businesses face ongoing trade tensions with the U.S. and global market disruptions, the Ontario Chamber of Commerce's OBTLC presents Trade Talks, a webinar series designed to equip businesses with the tools, resources, and industry insights to adapt and stay competitive.

The first session, on March 27 at noon, will feature experts from the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Business Development Bank of Canada, Global Affairs Canada, and Export Development Canada, sharing strategies to help small and medium-sized businesses navigate trade disruptions and build resilience.

The discussion will feature:

- Insights on advocacy and the impacts of U.S. tariffs
- Optimizing your current operations and leveraging your “Made in Canada” brand
- Strategies for market diversification
- Resources for freeing up working capital

Register today!

About the Ontario Business and Trade Leadership Coalition

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce has established the Ontario Business & Trade Leadership Coalition to tackle the challenges posed by rising international protectionism and the threat of U.S. tariffs. Representing leaders from Ontario's most trade-dependent sectors, the OBTLC is committed to championing innovative, business-driven solutions, advocating

Quirky Quilters - Afternoon Group

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join a welcoming group of quilting enthusiasts! Explore a variety of creative projects and learn new techniques in a supportive environment. Sewing machines are provided, and beginners with basic sewing knowledge are welcomed!

Keywords: sewing group, quilting, quilt group, Creative projects, Fabric arts, Crafting

CRA Tax Information: Incorporations

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: MS Teams

Join for an information session presented by the Canada Revenue Agency's liaison services. Taxes can be complicated – make the process a bit easier by understanding your obligations, deductions, and common errors to avoid. Session will include Q & A.

Find more information here: <https://www.sbcontario.ca/event/cra-tax-information-incorporations/>

Committee of Adjustment

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Knots & Notions

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 123 East St. S., Bobcaygeon

Knots & Notions is not just about fibre arts; it's about creating a community. It's a chance to relax, express your creativity and passions, and leave with new skills and friendships. Bring your current project or get inspired by new patterns and ideas, from members or library books!

Keywords: Knots and Notions, Fiber art, social group

Adult Social Hour at the Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Join us to discover new activities and connect with others. We'll have games, crafts, workshops, puzzles, and more. There's something for everyone!

Keywords: Adult social club, social time, socializing, social hour

Craft and Connect Mandala Art at Fenelon Falls Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Relax and unleash your creativity by designing beautiful mandala art on a wooden coaster, perfect for adding a personal touch to your home or for gifting.

All supplies are provided, open to adults of all skill levels. Free adult program

Lego Mania at Bethany

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A, Bethany

Stop by the fourth Thursday of the month to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

At the end of the program, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

TechFest at Omeme

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Omeme - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omeme, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time . Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, TechFest, Tech fest, STEAM kids

TechFest at Lindsay

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time . Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, tech fest, kids STEAM

TechFest at Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Thursday, March 27 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Kid-friendly activities using emerging technologies! Drop in for a few minutes, or stay for the whole event time . Suitable for children aged 4-12 accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Keywords: Techfest, TechFest, Tech fest, STEAM kids

Friday, March 28, 2025

Storytime in Bobcaygeon

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Family Fun Drop-In at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in all day at the Lindsay Library!

No program on holiday Fridays

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

Baby and Me - Omemee Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Omemee - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 24 King St. E. Omemee, Ontario, Canada K0L 2W0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Baby and Me - Bobcaygeon Branch

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: Bobcaygeon - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 123 East St. S. Bobcaygeon, Ontario, Canada K0M 1A0

Drop in for a fun time of rhymes, games, and stories, specially designed for babies under 24 months and their caregivers!

Movies at the Library

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Join us for free movies every Friday—everyone's welcome! Movie ratings will vary. Please ask staff about upcoming films and feel free to suggest future films. Family-friendly movies will be shown on PA Days and holidays.

Downstairs meeting room.

Keywords: Library movies, free movies, movie screening

Waitlist: Kindred Book Club

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 59 William St., Bobcaygeon

Registration is required, please contact the Bobcaygeon branch.

The Kindred book club will meet the fourth Friday of each month at Kindred Coffee Bar. Each month, we dive into a captivating novel that transports us to new worlds, introduces unforgettable characters, and challenges our perspectives. Whether you're a seasoned reader or just starting your literary journey, this is a space for all who love the written word.

March's read will be "The Alice Network" by Kate Quinn.

Accessibility Advisory Committee

Date and Time: Friday, March 28 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Saturday, March 29, 2025

Circle of Writers

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Writers of short stories, poetry, novels, memoirs, children's books, fiction and non-fiction are invited to share their work in a welcoming and supportive group of peers. All genres and skill levels are welcome. For more information contact the library at 705-324-9411 ext 1291 or lindsayprograms@kawarthalakeslibrary.ca

Storytime in Lindsay

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Drop in for engaging stories, rhymes, songs, and early literacy activities designed for preschoolers and their caregivers. Children will have the chance to socialize and make new friends!

Keywords: storytime, story time, stories in the library

Family Fun Drop-In at Lindsay Branch

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Families with children of various ages can enjoy special STEAM kits and stories on request. Drop in at the Lindsay Library!

Keywords: Family Fun Drop In

Board Games

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 10:30 am - 2:30 pm

Address: Bobcaygeon Branch

Join us for an exciting board game meetup where players of all skill levels can come together to strategize, collaborate, and compete! Whether you're a seasoned player or new to the world of board games, there's something for everyone. **Ages 12 and up**

Don't miss out on the chance to roll dice, draw cards, and maybe even win a few games. Come for the games, stay for the community.

Family Fun Drop-In at Bethany

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 1474 Highway 7A, Bethany, ON, L0A 1A0

Come on out to the Bethany Branch for our drop-in family fun day. Enjoy crafting, board games, puzzles, seasonal activities, maker projects, and trying out some of our STEAM kits!

Geared towards children aged 4 to 12 years, but all ages are welcome! No registration required.

Kawartha Art Gallery: Student Juried Exhibit Awards Presentation Reception

Date and Time: Saturday, March 29 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Pie Eyed Monk (8 Cambridge St North, Lindsay)

A tradition for over 20 years, the Kawartha Art Gallery Annual Juried Student Exhibition is back!

Join us Saturday, March 29 at 2pm at the Pie Eyed Monk as we present awards to talented young artists.

Admission is free!

Annual Juried Student Exhibition

March 4 - April 12, 2025 (Kawartha Art Gallery open Tuesdays through Saturdays, 10am-4pm)

<https://www.kawarthagallery.com/exhibits/annual-student-juried-2025>

Monday, March 31, 2025

Nifty Knitters in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Bring your knitting, crochet or any other hand craft that you would like to do. Drop in fun group meets every Monday morning to chat and create. No registration necessary.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Little Lights in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join Us for Monday Morning Playtime! Parents and caregivers, bring your little ones to the Dalton Branch every Monday morning for a fun drop-in session filled with free play, engaging stories, music, and fun creative activities. It's the perfect way to start your week and connect with other families in the community!

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: Baby program, toddler program, Dalton, storytime, little lights, music, preschool, child activities, young child.

Creative Crafters in Dalton

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Dalton - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 13 Rumohr Dr. Sebright, Ontario, Canada L0K 1W0

Join a welcoming group for enthusiastic makers. Bring your creativity and enjoy crafting together in a fun, social setting. All skill levels are welcome.

Please Note: No program on holiday Mondays

Keywords: craft social group, adult craft group, crafting, adult drop in program

IPad Chat at Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1N0

Do you want to learn more about your iPad or iPhone? Come and join us at the Fenelon Falls Branch every Monday. Bring your device and your questions.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Sunshine Stitchers

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Calling all crafters! Bring your knitting, sewing, crochet, quilting, embroidery or any other fiber craft and create together in a welcoming group environment for fiber artists and hobby craft creators just like you.

Location: Downstairs meeting room.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Keywords: Knitting group, stitching group

One on One Tech Help in Fenelon Falls

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Fenelon Falls - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 19 Market St. Fenelon Falls, Ontario, Canada K0M 1

NO

Schedule a personal 20-minute training session with our library staff to help you get comfortable using a computer, smartphone, tablet, or other mobile device. Registration Required.

To register, please call or email the branch.

No program on holiday Mondays.

Lego Mania at Lindsay

Date and Time: Monday, March 31 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Lindsay - Kawartha Lakes Public Library, 190 Kent Street West Lindsay, Ontario, Canada K9V 2Y6

Stop by every Monday to build a Lego creation. How well can you match the theme of the day?

All creations are added to the display case in the Programs department for the week. At the end of the day, one creation is selected as the best of the bunch and the builder wins a prize!

No program on Holiday Mondays.

Keywords: LegoMania, Lego creations, building blocks

<https://calendar.kawarthalakes.ca>