

## Tuesday, July 2, 2024

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### Tween STEAM

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 2 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 173 Colborne Street

Bucket Tower Challenge & Summer Bucket Lists

Ready to test your creativity and engineering prowess? Today we will be building sturdy structures with just tape and straws! We will also create Summer Bucket Lists to inspire adventure and fun for the season ahead.

## Wednesday, July 3, 2024

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### Crossroads Youth Drop-In Space

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 3 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm

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## Tuesday, July 9, 2024

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Date and Time: Tuesday, July 9 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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### **Bead Buddies**

Bored buddies? No, Bead Buddies! Use your creativity to make your own friendship keychain, beaded constellations, and coding bracelets using colourful beads.

## **Wednesday, July 10, 2024**

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## **Saturday, July 13, 2024**

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### **D & D Campaign**

Date and Time: Saturday, July 13 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 173 Colborne Street

Dungeons & Dragons is back at Brantford Public Library! Registration is required. This group is for ages 10-16. No experience required.

D&D is a fantasy tabletop role-playing game which lets players create their own character, use their imagination, interact with other characters, and make decisions to overcome challenges. An experienced Dungeon Master (DM) will guide you through the game, serve as referee and storyteller, and keep you engaged in a linked series of adventures (commonly referred to as a "campaign").

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## Tuesday, July 16, 2024

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### Tween STEAM

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 16 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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#### Henna

Sadaf Ambreen from Creative Henna will be at the Library creating beautiful Henna designs for kids ages 8-12. Design unique artwork with our Sphero robot as you wait.

## Wednesday, July 17, 2024

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## Tuesday, July 23, 2024

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## PerlerPalooza!

Perler beads are plastic fuse beads that you place on a grid and melt together with an iron. Select a template or create a design from scratch for yourself or a gift to a friend.

## Teen Switch Night

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 23 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 173 Colborne Street

This program is for youth aged 12-18. Join us for an evening of gaming. Bring some friends, enjoy some fun video games and have a snack!

## Wednesday, July 24, 2024

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## Thursday, July 25, 2024

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### Youth Area Drop-in - 3D Design

Date and Time: Thursday, July 25 3:30 pm - 4:45 pm

Address: 173 Colborne Street

Drop-in to the Youth Area at the Main Branch, and while you are there, try your hand at 3D Design. BPL staff

will be there to show you how! This drop-in program is specifically for teens (13+ years).

## Saturday, July 27, 2024

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### D & D Campaign

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## Tuesday, July 30, 2024

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#### Maze Makers

Today we're building mazes using recycled materials and Lego. Gold, Silver & Bronze medals will be awarded to the top three most inventive mazes.

## Wednesday, July 31, 2024

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### Crossroads Youth Drop-In Space

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