

Sunday, March 1, 2020

Rendez-vous for Learning

Date and Time: Sunday, March 1 01:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Improve your child's French reading skills by pairing them with a French Immersion High School student. For Grades 1 to 3. In partnership with the Canadian Parents for French - Brantford Chapter. E-mail cpfbrantford@gmail.com for more information. Registered.

Monday, March 2, 2020

STAR Storytime

Date and Time: Monday, March 2 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Your child is a STAR! Join us for a fun, interactive storytime based on the Every Child Ready to Read® early literacy program, where we incorporate the elements of Singing, Talking and Reading into our fun activities.

Tech Time

Date and Time: Monday, March 2 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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Homework Help Drop-In

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Writer's Support Circle

Date and Time: Monday, March 2 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Sit down with the Brantford Writers' Circle, a small group of authors who meet as equals in a friendly exchange of ideas about each other's work. Registered. Contact Robin at rharding@brantfordlibrary.ca for more information and to register.

Tuesday, March 3, 2020

EarlyOn Family Drop-In

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 3 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Parents/caregivers and their children can learn about healthy pregnancy, breast feeding, healthy child development, attachment, school preparation, and more. In partnership with EarlyON Family and Child Centre. For ages 0 to 5.

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English Conversation Circles

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Kids STEAM Club

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Introduction to Arduino

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 3 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Join us as we experiment with our Arduino kits to find out more about basic electronics. You can also borrow one of our kits to continue your exploration. This is a registered program.

Wednesday, March 4, 2020

BYOC Craft Zone

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 4 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

Bring Your Own Craft materials and work alongside other craft enthusiasts! We'll provide space for you to have fun with friends, family, or taking time to work a little creativity into your own day.

Baby & Me - Main Branch

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 4 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Babies start learning right from birth! Join us for this baby storytime focusing on baby-parent bonding, rhythm and rhyme, interactive stories and songs. After storytime, stay and play with us and meet other families. For ages 0 to 2.

EarlyON Drop-In for Grandparents and Grandchildren

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 4 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Grandparents and grandchildren, let's play, sing, and have fun while learning and making friends! In partnership with Brant Family and Children's Services.

Healthy You

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 4 01:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

A free, 8-week lifestyle program that uses a non-diet approach to help you reach and maintain a healthier version of you. The workshops run from January 15 to March 4 and cover topics like Goal setting, nutrition basics, behaviour change and emotional eating, meal planning - and more!

Workshops are led by PrimaCare dietitians. Call 519-442-9834 to register.

Get Ready for Kindergarten

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3D Certification Program

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Thursday, March 5, 2020

I.D. Clinics

Date and Time: Thursday, March 5 09:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Do you need help getting government I.D.?

Drop in to free ID Clinics at the Main Branch on the first and last Thursday of every month. Sessions run from 9 a.m. to noon at the Main Branch of the Brantford Public Library.

These clinics will help people get ID like birth certificates (all provinces), Ontario health cards, Ontario photo ID card and Social Insurance Numbers.

No appointment necessary, first come first served.

This program is provided through a partnership with: Brantford Public Library, Brant County Health Unit, Community Legal Clinic and Grand River Community Health Care.

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Little Movers

Date and Time: Thursday, March 5 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

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Little Movers Stretch, sing, dance, and jump along in this storytime perfect for active young children. We'll explore great stories, songs and some creative movements that are fun for all!

Stay & Play EarlyON Family Drop-In

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A Place to Be - Adult Drop-In

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Knitting Circles - St. Paul Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 5 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

Drop-in to the St. Paul Branch for company, conversation, and advice from other knitters.

Check the calendar for other knitting events at the Main Branch.

Little Picassos

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The creations of your imagination come to life with art! Experiment with creative making, crafting, and painting. Come dressed to get messy!

Friday, March 6, 2020

Sandbox Science

Date and Time: Friday, March 6 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

Join us for our interactive STEM storytime for preschoolers. Enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays and a hands-on activity.

D&D Startup

Date and Time: Friday, March 6 03:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Interested in playing D&D? Local D&D experts will show you the ropes!

Saturday, March 7, 2020

Catch Me If You Can with Scientists in School

Date and Time: Saturday, March 7 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street Brantford Ontario

Do you have what it takes to be Sherlock Holmes?

Test your powers of observation and deduction as you use forensic science to solve the mystery of the disappearing munchies.

Fingerprints, footprints, and invisible ink - oh my!

Program is geared to ages 7-12.

It will be led by Scientists in School - Canada's largest science education charity for kids.

Registration Required.

Saturday, March 7, 2020 / 2:30 p.m. / Main Branch

Chess Club

Date and Time: Saturday, March 7 02:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Members of the Brantford Chess Club offer basic instruction and tips on improving your game.

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Restorative Meditation

Date and Time: Monday, March 9 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Relieve stress and tension! Enjoy guided mantra meditations led by representatives from Lotus Meditation.

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Lifescapes

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 10 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

What are your stories? We meet biweekly for writing guidance and support before publishing an annual anthology of short memoirs. Registered. Contact rharding@brantfordlibrary.ca for information about joining.

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Wednesday, March 11, 2020

Dementia: A Meet and Greet

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 11 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Do you have questions about Dementia? Do you want to learn about resources in your community? Visit with Laurie Ball from the Alzheimer Society for an informal hour of education. Drop in to discuss your concerns and find resources to help you in your journey.

BYOC Craft Zone

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Hands On History - Just Playing Around

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Discover Whistling Gardens

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 11 02:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Learn about this local horticultural destination and attraction located in Wilsonville, and discover new and viable ornamental plants for today's gardens with a special emphasis on conifers, woody plants and peonies. Featuring Darren Heimbecker, Whistling Gardens.

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How to Tell Stories: Tips, Techniques & Telling Tales

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 11 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

Whether coaxing your kids to sleep at night or pitching an idea at work, it pays to be a persuasive and engaging storyteller. These supportive and interactive workshops are led by the Brant Story Time Entertainers. Registration required.

Ancestry.com: An Introduction

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 11 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

New to Ancestry.com, or having trouble navigating the site? Let's get your search moving. Registered.

Thursday, March 12, 2020

Stay & Play EarlyON Family Drop-In

Date and Time: Thursday, March 12 01:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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A Place to Be - Adult Drop-In

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Persevering Through Loss - Before Planning a Funeral

Date and Time: Thursday, March 12 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

Loss is a necessary part of life, and there are people and practices that can help you and your loved ones navigate difficult times. Come hear a local funeral director share important information on planning your funeral, an estate lawyer who can answer questions about wills, and a hospice care counsellor discuss the reality of managing grief. Registered.

Upcoming Topics:

March 12 - Before Planning a Funeral, featuring Dwayne Budgell of Budgell Funeral Home

March 26 - About Wills and Estates, featuring Jamie Hitchon of Waterous Holden Amey Hitchon LLP

April 9 - On Grief and Grieving, featuring Camilia Galezowski of Stedman Hospice

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Knitting Circles - Main Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, March 12 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Drop-in for company, conversation, and advice from other knitters. Held at the Main Branch.

Little Picassos

Date and Time: Thursday, March 12 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

The creations of your imagination come to life with art! Experiment with creative making, crafting, and painting. Come dressed to get messy!

Friday, March 13, 2020

D&D Startup

Date and Time: Friday, March 13 03:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Interested in playing D&D? Local D&D experts will show you the ropes!

Saturday, March 14, 2020

- CANCELLED - Little Ray's Reptile Zoo

Date and Time: Saturday, March 14 02:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Join us for a trip around the world learning about reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates. This show features reptiles big and small including snakes, lizards and a small crocodile! - CANCELLED -

Monday, March 16, 2020

- Cancelled - Paw Patrol - 10:30 Chase Meet and Greet

Date and Time: Monday, March 16 10:30 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street Brantford

- Cancelled - We're kicking off March Break with a meet and greet with Chase from Paw Patrol.

Plus, we will have face painters and crafts related to our favourite pups from Adventure Bay.

Registration is required for the Chase meet and greet. One registration covers an entire family. Space is limited and registration opens March 1.

Note - this registration is for the 10:30 a.m. time slot.

- Cancelled -

- Cancelled - Paw Patrol - 10: 50 Chase Meet and Greet

Date and Time: Monday, March 16 10:50 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street Brantford

- Cancelled -

We're kicking off March Break with a meet and greet with Chase from Paw Patrol.

Plus, we will have face painters and crafts related to our favourite pups from Adventure Bay.

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Note - this registration is for the 10:50 a.m. time slot.

- Cancelled -

- Cancelled - Paw Patrol - 11:10 Chase Meet and Greet

Date and Time: Monday, March 16 11:10 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street Brantford

- Cancelled -

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Note - this registration is for the 11:10 a.m. time slot.

- Cancelled -

- CANCELLED - Paper Bag Princess - 40th Anniversary Celebration - CANCELLED -

Date and Time: Monday, March 16 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Robert Munsch creates strong characters that are fun to introduce to children. Celebrate Canada's own unofficial Princess and join the celebration of empowerment!

- CANCELLED -

Tuesday, March 17, 2020

- CANCELLED - Our City with Councillor Joshua Wall - CANCELLED -

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 17 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Have the whole family participate in interactive activities teaching how everyone can make change in their city. Councillor Joshua Wall will share his experiences as a Ward Councillor and lead a hands-on activity about how municipal governments work.

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - St. Patty's Party!

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 17 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

We're all Irish at the library on St. Patrick's day! Put on some green and join us for a family celebration featuring fun Irish inspired activities and live musical entertainment from local band Backburner.

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - Candy Sushi for Teens

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 17 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - March Break just got a lot sweeter! Create your own candy sushi treat and learn about this yummy Japanese tradition. Prizes will be awarded for Most Colourful and Most Original Candy Sushi design.

- CANCELLED -

- Cancelled - Mug Cake Snowman

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 17 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- Cancelled -

Make cute little mug cake snowmen to give as gifts or enjoy at home!

Wednesday, March 18, 2020

- CANCELLED - Parachute Play

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 18 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Come and play under our colourful parachute! Enjoy parachute games, interactive stories, songs and playtime with your little one. For ages 0 to 2.

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - PJ Party

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 18 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Come dressed in your favorite sleepwear for a PJ party! Activities include: DIY sleep masks and journals, fun games, and a story corner in the dark with snacks!

- CANCELLED -

Thursday, March 19, 2020

- Cancelled - Tech Art Fair

Date and Time: Thursday, March 19 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- Cancelled -

Kids can explore technology and create art with interactive making stations.

There will be several stations set up where kids can create art with Scratch coding, become a piece of their art using greenscreen technology, paint with robots and more!

- Cancelled -

- CANCELLED - Wiggle Jiggle Into Spring

Date and Time: Thursday, March 19 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

- CANCELLED -

Babies and their caregivers will enjoy stories and puppets along with interactive songs and rhymes. For ages 0 to 2.

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - Snack Attack - Cooking Class

Date and Time: Thursday, March 19 02:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Hey, do you like helping out in the kitchen? We're partnering with the Brant Community Food Educators to offer a cooking class for kids. Each participant will make a delicious healthy snack. This program is geared towards ages 8 to 12.

Registration opens Sunday, March 1.

- CANCELLED -

-CANCELLED - Henna for Teens

Date and Time: Thursday, March 19 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Teens will learn about the historical timeline of the Henna tradition and how it has become a popular fashion trend today.

Along with delivering the talk, organization Henna4You will give all attendees an opportunity to choose a small Henna design.

Space is limited. Register online beginning March 1.

Please note: students younger than 18 require a signed permission form to participate in the henna application.

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Friday, March 20, 2020

- CANCELLED - Be A Good Egg!

Date and Time: Friday, March 20 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

- CANCELLED -

Find out if you are a "Good Egg" when we read this amazing picture book that teaches children about self-care. Stories, activities and a craft.

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - Lego Block Party

Date and Time: Friday, March 20 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Builders of all ages are welcome to come and participate in a building challenge extravaganza. We provide the LEGO and you provide the imagination!

- CANCELLED -

- CANCELLED - Frozen Party

Date and Time: Friday, March 20 02:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Don't be left out in the cold. Come to the library for a Frozen party! We will be doing all things Frozen. Enjoy activities, crafts, songs and more! Come dressed to party.

- CANCELLED -

Saturday, March 21, 2020

-CANCELLED - Brantford Food Forest Naturally Connected, featuring Rachael Sawczuk

Date and Time: Saturday, March 21 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - This series will cover various aspects of gardening that you can engage in to help you become more food secure. Topics will cover starting seeds indoors for spring planting, aquaponics, the Brant Food Forest and Equal Ground Community Gardens and the Little Free Seed Libraries.

Upcoming topics:

March 21 - Brant Food Forest, featuring Rachel Sawczuk

April 4 - Equal Ground Community Gardens, featuring Gloria Ord

- CANCELLED - Birds of Prey Show with the Canadian Raptor Conservancy

Date and Time: Saturday, March 21 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED -

Get up close with the Canadian Raptor Conservancy's spectacular birds of prey. An exciting experience for the whole family.

- CANCELLED -

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

- CANCELLED - Introduction to Smartboards

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 24 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Smartboards are everywhere - at school, at work, and at the library! Learn how to set them up as portable monitors, explore touchscreen features, and develop confident presentation skills. Registered.

- CANCELLED - Podcasting 101

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 24 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Do you have something to say? Make your voice heard through podcasting. Robert Lavigne has been creating podcasts for over a decade. Join him in lively discussion and discover the best equipment, techniques and inside tips for making your own podcast. Registered.

- Cancelled - Introduction to 3D Design and Printing

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 24 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- Cancelled - Learn the basics of 3D printing. Participants will learn how to design a simple object and find designs online. Registered.

The Pursuit of Wellness - Detox for the Body and Mind

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 24 06:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Discover natural, economical and convenient options for reducing stress, boosting your immune system, and finding healthy ways to feel your best! Join wellness coach and author Leanne Giavedoni for free interactive and informative workshops. Registered.
Topics and dates:

Plant Based Products for Health
Tuesday, April 28 / 6:30 p.m. / Main Branch

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

- CANCELLED - Connection Through Comedy

Date and Time: Wednesday, March 25 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

- CANCELLED - Create mental health connections through the use of comedy! Join recreational therapist Brad Mears for an enjoyable evening of laughs and learning. Together we'll explore important issues through the lens of laughter. Ages 16+.

Thursday, March 26, 2020

- CANCELLED - Persevering Through Loss - About Wills and Estates

Date and Time: Thursday, March 26 02:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Event Location: 441 St. Paul Avenue

- CANCELLED - Loss is a necessary part of life, and there are people and practices that can help you and your loved ones navigate difficult times. Come hear a local funeral director share important information on planning your funeral, an estate lawyer who can answer questions about wills, and a hospice care counsellor discuss the reality of managing grief. Registered.

Upcoming Topics:

March 26 - About Wills and Estates, featuring Jamie Hitchon of Waterous Holden Amey Hitchon LLP

April 9 - On Grief and Grieving, featuring Camilia Galezowski of Stedman Hospice

Friday, March 27, 2020

- CANCELLED - Board Game Mania

Date and Time: Friday, March 27 03:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

Join the Laurier Students for Literacy Team and spend an afternoon playing a variety of literacy-based board games. There will be the classics, as well as some new games created by the team! Once you finish playing, you will have the chance to create your very own board game! After school snacks and drinks will be provided as well! In partnership with Laurier Students for Literacy.

Tuesday, March 31, 2020

- CANCELLED - Discover Steel Wheel Craft Brewery

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 31 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Event Location: 173 Colborne Street

CANCELLED - Steel Wheel Brewery is one of the newest local breweries. Come and learn about how they began their brewery, how they grow their own hops, what they brew, and taste some of their wonderful craft beers. Age 19+. Valid ID required. Registered.

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