

JULY *what's on* 2026

AT THE FORT ERIE PUBLIC LIBRARY

TD SUMMER READING CLUB: DIVE IN!

CENTENNIAL BRANCH
136 Gilmore Rd., Fort Erie
(905) 871-2546

Monday - Thursday: 9:30 - 8:00
Friday - Saturday: 9:30 - 5:00

CRYSTAL RIDGE BRANCH
89 Ridge Rd S., Ridgeway
(905) 894-1281

Monday - Thursday: 9:30 - 8:00
Friday - Saturday: 9:30 - 5:00

STEVENSVILLE BRANCH
2508 Stevensville Rd., Stevensville
(905) 382-2051

Monday & Saturday: 9:30 - 2:00
Wednesday & Thursday: 3:30 - 8:00



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KIDS & TEEN PROGRAMS

WEEKLY CHALLENGES

ALL THREE BRANCHES - ALL WEEK LONG!

Each week, kids can fill in the drawing and writing challenges found in the Children's section, and submit them to staff at the desk for a sticker. Every Monday will be a new theme for the week, based on the TD Summer Reading Club's Theme: Dive In!



LIBRARY LAGOON

CRYSTAL RIDGE | MONDAYS | 3:00-4:00 PM

This year our theme for TD Summer Reading is 'Dive In'. Discover watery worlds each week with crafts, games, and fun activities. Drop-in between 3-4 to explore new creative adventures! **Drop in.**

MINECRAFT CLUB

CENTENNIAL | MONDAYS | 4:00-5:00PM

Grab your pickaxe and jump into the library's Minecraft world! At Minecraft Club, kids can team up on our shared library server to build massive creations, explore new worlds, survive adventures, battle mobs, and hang out with other Minecraft fans. Whether you're a master builder, redstone genius, or first-time player, there's a place for you. **Registration required.**

CRAFTY CRAB CREW!

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAYS | 4:00-5:00 PM

CENTENNIAL | FRIDAYS | 10:00-11:00 AM

Discover our TD Summer Reading themes each week with a water-themed craft and play time. All ages. **Drop in.**

LIBRARY IN THE GARDEN

400 CENTRAL AVE. | WEDNESDAYS | 4:00-5:00 PM

Join us every Wednesday in the Town garden, and help us water and weed and watch our garden thrive! Perfect for gardeners of all ages. **Drop-in.**

STEVENSVILLE FARMER'S MARKET

STEVENSVILLE | WEDNESDAYS | 2:00-6:00 PM

Drop by the Stevensville Farmer's Market this summer- we'll be there each week with crafts and TD Summer Reading Club registration booklets. **Drop in.**

ART PARTY: DIVE IN!

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAYS | 4:00-5:00 PM

Join us every Thursday for Art Party-a place to explore and test out new artistic skills. We'll be using paint, pastels, charcoal, clay, watercolour and more. **Register or drop in.**

CRAFT CART CREATIONS

CRYSTAL RIDGE | FRIDAYS | 9:30 AM-5:00 PM

Drop in and get creative at our craft cart. Kids can explore a cart full of craft supplies and build their own unique creations using a variety of materials, tools, and plenty of imagination. There are no instructions and no limits; participants are free to design, invent, experiment, and create whatever they can dream up. **Drop in.**

KIDS & TEEN PROGRAMS

HOME ALONE COURSE

CRYSTAL RIDGE | SATURDAY, JULY 4TH | 10:00-2:00 PM

CENTENNIAL | MONDAY, JULY 13TH | 10:00-2:00 PM



St. John Ambulance

The Home Alone course is for any young person (aged 10 and over) who will be spending short periods of time at home alone. This course covers many issues that will help children and their parents feel more confident.

Register through St. John Ambulance online or by calling: (905) 685-8964. Fee: \$60

BABYSITTING BASICS

CRYSTAL RIDGE | SATURDAY, JULY 11TH | 10:00-5:00 PM

CENTENNIAL | MONDAY, JULY 27TH | 10:00-5:00 PM



St. John Ambulance

Babysitting is a job with significant responsibility and the Babysitting Course helps prospective babysitters learn the skills they need. This course is for youth aged 11 to 15 years old. It teaches the new babysitter the necessary tools to provide care to children in a variety of situations. The course emphasizes safety rules, responding to emergencies, and developing leadership skills. **Register through St. John**

Ambulance online or by calling: (905) 685-8964. Fee: \$75

THERAPY TAILS

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, JULY 18TH | 1:00-2:00 PM

Reading with a therapy animal can help reluctant readers, new language learners, and anxious readers gain confidence and develop a love of reading. **Drop in.**

TWEENS & TEENS CRAFT: DIY SPRAYED BOOK EDGES

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 23RD | 6:00-7:30 PM

In this bookish craft, tweens and teens are welcome to use stencils and paint to add a fun edge to their book edges! Try this out on some of our books, or bring your own. All supplies provided. **Registration required.**

YOUTH LIBRARY ASSOCIATION MEETING

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 28TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Are you between the ages of 14 and 18, want to earn community involvement hours, build leadership skills and help improve what the library has to offer? YLA aims to create a welcoming atmosphere that encourages teens to become life-long library users while providing library-related services to youth in a fun and friendly environment. **Drop in.**



TD SUMMER READING CLUB

**WEEK #2: CANADA'S
GREAT LAKES**
JUNE 29 - JULY 4



STORYTIME TRAIN MUSEUM:

400 CENTRAL AVE. | MONDAY, JUNE 29TH | 10:00-11:30 AM

Join us in front of Fort Erie's Train Museum for a special ferry-themed story time. **Drop in.**

3D LIGHTHOUSE ART: R

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JUNE 30TH | 2:00-3:00 PM

Get creative with paint, texture and layers in this 3D art program! Kids will create their own lighthouse scene using a variety of materials to make their artwork pop off the page. From crashing waves to sandy shores and bright lighthouse beams, participants will design a unique coastal masterpiece to take home. All supplies will be provided. **Registration required.**

GARDEN ROCK PAINTING: AGES 3+ R

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 02ND | 1:00-2:00 PM

Help brighten our Town garden with creativity and color! Kids are invited to paint decorative rocks that will be displayed in the garden to add fun and personality to the space. All supplies will be provided, just bring your creativity and help make our community garden even more beautiful! **Registration required.**

NORTHERN LIGHTS PROGRAM: R

STEVENSVILLE | THURSDAY, JULY 02ND | 6:00-7:00 PM

Kids will create a Northern Lights-themed art project using oil pastels. Participants will learn simple blending and colouring techniques to make bright skies and snowy landscapes inspired by the Northern Lights. All supplies will be provided, and everyone will take home their finished artwork. **Registration required.**

TED HARRISON INSPIRED WATERCOLOUR: AGES 6+ R

CRYSTAL RIDGE | FRIDAY, JULY 3RD | 11:00-12:00 PM

Inspired by the vibrant landscapes of Canadian artist Ted Harrison, kids will explore watercolor painting using bold colors, simple shapes, and creative expression. Participants will create their own northern-inspired masterpiece while learning fun watercolor techniques in a relaxed and welcoming environment. All materials will be provided, and no art experience is needed. **Registration required.**

NIAGARA GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY: R

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, JULY 4TH | 2:00-3:00 PM

Calling all junior Geologists! Join us for a presentation from NPGS all about rocks, minerals, and fossils local to the Niagara Region, and a chance to examine some interesting specimens. **Registration required.**

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

newsletter

FRIENDS TRIVIA NIGHT FUNDRAISER A GREAT SUCCESS!

The Friends Trivia Night Fundraiser was a tremendous success, with more than 140 community members coming together for an evening of fun and friendly competition.

Thanks to the generosity of the participants, sponsors and the dedication of our volunteers, the event raised more than \$2,700.

We look forward to seeing you at future Friends of the Fort Erie Public Library events!

USED BOOK DRIVE

The Friends are now accepting donations for our Fall sale! We gladly welcome gently used books, DVDs, and CDs. Please Note: We cannot accept items that are yellowed, moldy, or damaged.

Thank you for understanding. Donations can be dropped off on Tuesdays from 3:00pm-7:00pm at the Crystal Ridge Branch.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- August 20th - Crystal Beach Waterfront Supper Market (Westwind)
- September 5th - End of Summer Parade
- October 3rd - Fall Used Book Sale

VOLUNTEER WITH US!

The Friends of the Fort Erie Public Library play an important role in strengthening the connection between the library and our community — and we are always looking for new volunteers!

We are a friendly group of dedicated volunteers who are passionate about supporting the Fort Erie Public Library.

Are you interested in getting involved in local, community-driven events?

Would you like to help organize or participate in fundraising initiatives?

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Join us on  Instagram: [@friendsoftheforterielibrary](https://www.instagram.com/friendsoftheforterielibrary)



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INFORMATION

♥ Special Thanks to the Friends of the Library for all of their support ♥

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AUTOMATIC RENEWALS

FEPL now automatically renews items on your account one day before the due date!

The following items are not eligible for autorenewals:

- Interlibrary Loans
- Items on Hold for another patron
- Maximum 3 renewals has been reached
- Library of Things Collection
- Video Games



TD SUMMER READING CLUB

Have you joined our TD Summer Reading Club?

Theme: Dive In!

Ages 0-6: Swashbuckler

Ages 7-13: Pirate

Ages 14+: Buccaneer



Sign up at your local library branch!



PUZZLE SWAP

Bring a puzzle, take a puzzle!
Available at all three branches.



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\$1.50

Starting on July 02nd



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Please be advised that staff may take photos or recordings during programs for use in marketing materials, social media, or other promotional purposes. Patrons who do not wish to be photographed or recorded should inform a staff member prior to or during the program.



TD SUMMER READING CLUB

WEEK #3: MERMAIDS

JULY 6 - 11



MERMAID DOLL KEYCHAINS: ^R

CRYSTAL RIDGE | MONDAY, JULY 6TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Using wooden beads, yarn, pipe cleaners, and colourful materials, kids will design and assemble a mini mermaid accessory perfect for backpacks, pencil cases, or keys. Participants can get creative with different hair colours, tails, and decorations while building fine motor skills and making a unique keepsake to take home.

Registration required.

BOOKMARKS: AGES 3+ ^R

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 7TH | 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Get creative and design your own bookmark! Kids can colour, decorate, and personalize a bookmark to make reading even more fun. Once completed, library staff will laminate your creation and add a tassel so you can use it again and again on all your reading adventures. **Registration suggested, but drop-ins welcome.**

MERMAID PUPPETS: ^R

CRYSTAL RIDGE | THURSDAY, JULY 9TH | 1:00-2:00 PM

Kids will turn simple paper bags into mermaid puppets using paper, yarn, and a bit of imagination. Participants will design their own mermaid characters, adding colourful tails, hair, and glitter! Once finished, kids can use their creations for storytelling and pretend play. **Registration required.**

THE LITTLE MERMAID MOVIE:

CRYSTAL RIDGE | THURSDAY, JULY 9TH | 1:00-3:30 PM

Join us for a movie afternoon with the live-action version of *The Little Mermaid*, complete with popcorn. **Drop in.**

MERMAID COMBS: AGES 7+ ^R

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 9TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Create a magical mermaid hair comb using seashells, pearls, and ocean-themed gems. Children and teens will use hot glue to design a unique accessory perfect for buns, updos, or adding a little seaside sparkle to any hairstyle. All supplies will be provided. Kids, tweens, and teens are welcome but must be able to handle a hot glue gun independently. **Registration required.**

RIDGEFEST

OUTREACH | SATURDAY, JULY 11TH | 9:30 AM-5:00 PM

Come visit our booth at Ridgifest July 11th for button making fun!



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WEEK #4:
DINOSAUR ISLAND
JULY 13 - 18

DESIGNING DINOSAURS: AGES 3+ ^R

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 14TH | 10:00-11:00 AM

Join us for a Dinosaur-themed storytime, followed by a fun activity where kids will create their own dinosaur using playdough moulded on top of a dinosaur skeleton. **Registration required.**

FANTASY MAP MAKING: AGES 8-16 ^R

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 14TH | 2:00-3:00 PM

Create your own fantasy world and learn the basics of fantasy map making as you design islands, kingdoms, mountains, forests, and hidden landmarks. Participants can add creative details like compass roses, sea monsters, and treasure locations while building a one-of-a-kind map to take home.

Registration required.

DANCE CLASS

CRYSTAL RIDGE | THURSDAY, JULY 16TH | 2:00-3:00PM

Join us for a dance class with Mackenna! **Drop in.**

LEGO VOLCANOES ^R

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 16TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Travel back to the age of the dinosaurs! In this STEAM challenge, participants will work in teams to build their own dinosaur-themed volcanoes using LEGO bricks. Once construction is complete, we'll bring the volcanoes to life with an exciting eruption demonstration. Learn about volcanoes, and the prehistoric world while putting your creativity and engineering skills to the test. **Registration required.**

DINOSAUR DIG ^R

CENTENNIAL | FRIDAY, JULY 17TH | 11:00 AM-5:00 PM

Become a junior paleontologist in this Dino Dig program! Participants will use sand pits and paintbrushes to carefully uncover hidden fossils and bones buried beneath the surface. As they dig, kids will learn how real scientists excavate fossils with care and precision. Please register for time slots. **Registration required.**

DINOSAURS IN THE LIBRARY! ^R

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, JULY 18TH | 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Come into the Centennial Branch for a morning of Dinosaur Silhouette Art followed by a Scavenger Hunt! Play with paint and paper and other supplies to create your own Dino display, and then find the Dinos in the childrens' section for a dinosaur sticker to take home! **Registration required.**

THE GOOD DINOSAUR MOVIE:

CRYSTAL RIDGE | SATURDAY, JULY 18TH | 2:00-4:00 PM

Cool off from the heat and enjoy a movie afternoon at the library! We'll have juice and snacks ready for you. **Drop in.**



ADULT PROGRAMS

SPECIAL EVENTS

CENTENNIAL CRAFT NIGHT: BATH BOMBS ^R

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 07TH | 6:00-7:30 PM

Join us at the library to create your own bath bombs! All materials including essential oils included. Registration required.

STEVENSVILLE CRAFT NIGHT: HAIR SCRUNCHIES ^R

STEVENSVILLE | THURSDAY, JULY 09TH | 6:00-7:30 PM

Make some fun hair scrunchies for the summer! All materials will be provided. **Registration required.**

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE OWLS OF SOUTHERN ONTARIO: A PRESENTATION BY MARCIE JACKLIN

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, JULY 18TH | 2:00-3:00 PM

Join Marcie in conversation about different owl species, their behaviours, habitats and how we can help them thrive. Marcie is a birder of 35 years, a volunteer with The Owl Foundation in Vineland and a member of 3 Niagara nature clubs and the Buffalo Ornithological Society. Marcie was the Niagara Regional Coordinator for the Third Ontario Breeding Bird Atlas (2021-2026) and was the winner of the Canadian Wildlife Person of the Year Award in 2021. **Drop in.**

FACES OF A FAMILY: AN INTRODUCTION TO GENEALOGY WITH CHARLIE LEMMEX

CENTENNIAL | MONDAY, JULY 20TH | 6:00-7:30 PM

During this presentation, patrons will learn from Charlie Lemmex, a local author, former broadcaster, and family historian about how to start documenting your family tree. **Registration encouraged, drop-ins welcome.**

AUTHOR VISIT: ANITA LEMMEX

CENTENNIAL | MONDAY, JULY 27TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Join us for an evening with local author Anita Lemmex to talk about her book, *Second Skin*. **Registration encouraged, drop-ins welcome.**

CROSS STITCH BOOKMARKS

CRYSTAL RIDGE | TUESDAY, JULY 28TH | 6:00-7:30 PM

Join Laura in creating beautiful floral cross stitch bookmarks. The bookmarks are from a beginner's kit, all skill levels are welcome! All materials will be provided. **Registration required.**

MINDFULNESS & MEDITATION: A PRESENTATION BY BRIDGES COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

CENTENNIAL | WEDNESDAY, JULY 29TH | 2:00-3:30 PM

This group provides a structured introduction to mindfulness and its application to everyday challenges such as stress, anxiety, depression, and chronic pain. Participants will learn practical skills to increase emotional balance, improve self-awareness, and develop a healthier relationship with difficult thoughts, feelings, and physical sensations. **Drop in.**

ADULT PROGRAMS

TD SUMMER READING CLUB

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB **R**

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 9TH | 2:00-3:00 PM

Join the Afternoon Book Club with Laura in reading the best in popular fiction. **Registration required.**

ADULT TRIVIA NIGHT **R**

CENTENNIAL | WEDNESDAY, JULY 15TH | 6:00-7:30 PM

Gather your friends, test your trivia knowledge, enjoy snacks, and have a chance to win bragging rights and a prize. **Registration required.**

TECH HELP: PHONE AND PERSONAL DEVICE SUPPORT

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 14TH | 2:00-3:30 PM

CRYSTAL RIDGE | TUESDAY, JULY 21ST | 2:00-3:30 PM

STEVENSVILLE | WEDNESDAY, JULY 22ND | 3:30-5:00 PM

Do you need help with your phone, laptop, tablet, e-reader or any other personal device? Bring it to the library and Laura will help you. **Drop in.**

CRAFT NIGHT REPEAT: DIAMOND ART EDITION

CRYSTAL RIDGE | TUESDAY, JULY 21ST | 6:00-7:30 PM

Did you miss our diamond art nights this winter? Stop by and make a beautiful mandala coaster! All supplies provided. **Drop in.**

BOOK CHATS

STEVENSVILLE | THURSDAY, JULY 23RD | 3:30-4:30 PM

Got some titles you've read recently that you'd like to discuss? Bring them to book chats and leave with ideas for your next great read! **Drop in.**

ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLE

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 28TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

In partnership with the Fort Erie Multicultural Centre, we are excited to introduce ELL (English Language Learners) Conversation Café - a place to gather and practice your English skills. The group will be guided with conversation topics, games, and more! Please feel free to bring your family; we will have crafts and games for children in attendance. **Drop in.**

MONTHLY

DIY SCRATCH ART **R**

CENTENNIAL | MONDAY, JULY 20TH | 1:00-2:00 PM

Create your own scratch art masterpiece from start to finish! Participants will begin by covering a page with bright, colourful designs before sealing it and painting over it with a layer of black paint. Once the paint dries, the fun begins; use a scratching tool to carve patterns, pictures, and ocean-inspired scenes into the surface, revealing the vibrant colours hidden underneath. **Registration required.**

CLAY KRAKEN: PART ONE **R**

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAY, JULY 21ST | 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Dive into the world of sea monsters and legends! In this hands-on clay program, participants will sculpt their own kraken, the giant tentacled creature said to lurk beneath the waves. Using air-dry clay, kids will learn basic sculpting techniques as they shape twisting tentacles, fierce eyes, and other creative details. Take home your finished kraken and let your imagination set sail! Please register for both Part 1 and Part 2. Part 1 of this program will include the sculpting process and Part 2 is painting our creation.

Registration required.

REPTILE KINGDOM: **R**

CENTENNIAL | WEDNESDAY, JULY 22ND | 2:00-3:00 PM

Join Reptile Kingdom for an exciting animal presentation where kids and families will meet a variety of fascinating reptiles from around the world. **Registration required.**

CLAY KRAKEN: PART TWO **R**

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 23RD | 1:00-2:00 PM

In Part 2 of this program, kids will get to paint the creepy clay Kraken they constructed a few days prior in Part 1. Please ensure you ONLY register for this secondary day if you are already signed up for and will have completed Part 1. **Registration required.**

GIANT JELLYFISH LANTERNS: **R**

CRYSTAL RIDGE | THURSDAY, JULY 23RD | 1:00-2:00 PM

Dive deep into the ocean and bring a glowing sea creature to life! In this craft program, kids will transform rice paper lanterns into giant jellyfish - one of the ocean's most fascinating animals. Using flowing streamers, ribbons, and colourful cardstock, participants will recreate the jellyfish's soft bell shape and long, drifting tentacles to mimic how it moves through the water. **Registration required.**

KOI FISH WINDSOCK: **R**

STEVENSVILLE | SATURDAY, JULY 25TH | 10:00-11:00 AM

Create a colourful koi fish windsock inspired by traditional Japanese koinobori. Using giant cardboard tubes, streamers, and construction paper kids will design their own flowing fish windsock to hang and display. Space is limited. **Registration required.**

PAINTED SEASHELLS: **R**

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, JULY 25TH | 3:00-4:00 PM

Turn ordinary seashells into beautiful keepsakes! In this program, participants will paint and decorate seashells. Space is limited. **Registration required.**

WEEK #5:
SEA MONSTERS
JULY 20 - 25



TD SUMMER READING CLUB

WEEK #6:
PACIFIC OCEAN
JULY 27 - AUGUST 01



BRAILLE 'BY THE SEA' ^R

STEVENSVILLE | WEDNESDAY, JULY 29TH | 6:30-7:30 PM

Learn the basics of braille and test your skills with some fun braille 'by the sea' activities and challenges.

Registration required.

SPOOKY STORY TIME: NIGHT AT THE LIBRARY ^R

CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 30TH | 6:00-7:00 PM

Join us for a special Sea Monsters Week program featuring a cozy Stuffy Sleepover and Spooky Story Time! Bring your favourite stuffed animal for a library visit filled with sea monster stories, mysteries and just the right amount of spooky fun. After story time, stuffies will stay overnight for a library sleepover adventure. What will they get up to when the lights go out? Pick them up the next day and discover the fun (and slightly mysterious) photos of their night at the library! **Registration required.**

MASON JAR AQUARIUMS ^R

CENTENNIAL | FRIDAY, JULY 31ST | 2:00-3:00 PM

Dive into creativity by making your own aquarium in a mason jar! Kids will design an underwater scene complete with fish, plants, blue water, and ocean-inspired decorations inside a clear jar. **Registration required.**

MAD ABOUT MUNSCH: THE TRAVELLING STAGE - AGES 5-14 ^R

CRYSTAL RIDGE | SATURDAY, AUGUST 01ST | 10:00-11:00 AM

Join us for a drama class inspired by the work of kids author Robert Munsch. **Registration required.**

SEA LANTERNS: AGES 5+ ^R

CENTENNIAL | SATURDAY, AUGUST 01ST | 2:00-3:00 PM

Using transparency paper, popsicle sticks, and colourful markers, kids will design and build their own glowing sea lantern to display at home. **Registration required.**



ADULT PROGRAMS

JOB GYM EMPLOYMENT SERVICES (16+):

CRYSTAL RIDGE | MONDAYS | 9:30-5:00 PM

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAYS | 9:30-5:00 PM

CRYSTAL RIDGE | WEDNESDAYS | 9:30-5:00 PM

Job Gym will be offering employment services at the Centennial and Crystal Ridge branches on the following dates. **Drop ins** are encouraged.

WEEKLY

ADULT CHESS CLUB: CENTENNIAL | MONDAYS | 6:00-7:30 PM

All skill levels are welcome to **drop in** and play Chess when you can! *Passive program.*

KNITTING GROUP:

CENTENNIAL | TUESDAYS | 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

CRYSTAL RIDGE | FRIDAYS | 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Bring your knitting, crochet, needlework, and other projects. **Drop in.** *Passive program.*

LIBRARY IN THE GARDEN: COMMUNITY GARDEN | WEDNESDAYS | 4:00-5:00 PM

Every Wednesday: Come volunteer with us!

Wednesday, July 8th : Watercolour in the Garden

Wednesday, July 15th : Story Time, Scavenger Hunt & Train Museum

Join us at the community garden every Wednesday for a relaxed, hands-on program. Families and community members of all ages can help care for and enjoy the garden space together. Participants can assist with watering and weeding while learning more about gardening and connecting with others in the community. Select Wednesdays will also feature a special themed activity connected to the garden, such as story times, nature sketching, scavenger hunts, and other family-friendly activities. **Drop in.**

GUITAR CLUB: CENTENNIAL | THURSDAYS | 3:00-4:00 PM

Bring your guitar and enjoy playing with others! **Drop in.** *Passive Program.*

FORT ERIE UKES: CENTENNIAL | THURSDAY, JULY 09TH & 23RD | 5:00-7:00 PM

Fort Erie Ukes (FEU), established in 2021, is a group of adult ukulele players and enthusiasts meeting every other Thursday. All skill levels are welcome to attend. We typically play 16-18 songs from our library and sprinkle in any open mics you may be working on. **Drop in.**

Passive programs are self-run. Library staff will set it up, but the rest is up to you! Come and go as you please.



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JULY CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK #2: Canada's Great Lakes 29 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Storytime Train Museum 10 am Library Lagoon CR 3:00 pm Minecraft Club CEN 4:00 pm ^R Adult Chess Club CEN 6 pm Adult Cardmaking CR 6 pm ^R	30 Job Gym CEN 9:30-5 pm Knitting Group CEN 10 am 3D Lighthouse Art CEN 2 pm ^R Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 4 pm English Conversation Circle CEN 6 pm	LIBRARY CLOSED 01  HAPPY CANADA DAY	02 Garden Rock Painting CEN 1 pm ^R Guitar Club CEN 3 pm Art Party CEN 4 pm ^R Northern Lights Program STV 6 pm ^R	03 Knitting Group CR 10 am Craft Cart Creations CR 9:30-5 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 10 am Ted Harrison Inspired Watercolour: ^R Ages 6+ CR 11 am	04 Home Alone Course CR 10 am ^R  Niagara Geological Society ^R CEN 2 pm
WEEK #3: Mermaids 06 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Library Lagoon CR 3:00 pm Adult Chess Club CEN 6 pm Minecraft Club CEN 4:00 pm ^R Mermaid Doll Keychains CR 6 pm ^R	07 Job Gym CEN 9:30-5 pm Knitting Group CEN 10 am Bookmarks: 3+ CEN 11 am ^R Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 4 pm Centennial Craft Night: Bath Bombs ^R CEN 6 pm	08 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Stevensville Farmer's Market STV 2-6 pm Library in the Garden 400 Central Ave 4 pm	09 Movie: <i>The Little Mermaid</i> CR 1 pm Mermaid Puppets CR 1 pm ^R Afternoon Book Club CEN 2 pm ^R Guitar Club CEN 3 pm Art Party CEN 4 pm ^R Fort Erie Ukes CR 5 pm Mermaid Combs: 7+ CEN 6 pm ^R STV Craft Night: Scrunchies 6 pm ^R	10 Knitting Group CR 10 am Craft Cart Creations CR 9:30-5 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 10 am	11 Babysitting Basics CR 10 am ^R  Ridgefest 9:30-5 pm
WEEK #4: Dinosaur Island 13 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Home Alone Course CEN 10 am ^R  Library Lagoon CR 3:00 pm Minecraft Club CEN 4:00 pm ^R Adult Chess Club CEN 6 pm	14 Job Gym CEN 9:30-5 pm Knitting Group CEN 10 am Designing Dinosaurs: 3+ CEN 10 am ^R Tech Help: Phone and Personal Device Support CEN 2 pm Fantasy Map Making: Ages 8-16 ^R CEN 2 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 4 pm	15 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Stevensville Farmer's Market STV 2-6 pm Library in the Garden 400 Central Ave 4 pm Adult Trivia Night CEN 6 pm ^R	16 Dance Class CR 2 pm Guitar Club CEN 3 pm Art Party CEN 4 pm ^R LEGO Volcanoes CEN 6 pm ^R	17 Knitting Group CR 10 am Craft Cart Creations CR 9:30-5 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 10 am Dinosaur Dig CEN 11 am-5 pm ^R *Register for 1 - 30m time slot*	18 Dinosaurs in the Library! ^R CEN 11 am Therapy Tails CEN 1 pm Movie: <i>The Good Dinosaur</i> CR 2 pm Owls of Southern Ontario: A Presentation by Marcie Jacklin CEN 2 pm
WEEK #5: Sea Monsters 20 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm DIY Scratch Art CEN 1 pm ^R Library Lagoon CR 3:00 pm Minecraft Club CEN 4:00 pm ^R Adult Chess Club CEN 6 pm Genealogy with Charlie Lemmex ^R CEN 6 pm	21 Job Gym CEN 9:30-5 pm Knitting Group CEN 10 am Clay Kraken: Part One CEN 11 am ^R Tech Help: Phone and Personal Device Support CR 2 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 4 pm Craft Night Repeat: Diamond Art Edition CR 6 pm	22 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Stevensville Farmer's Market STV 2-6 pm Reptile Kingdom CEN 2 pm ^R Tech Help: Phone and Personal Device Support STV 3:30 pm Library in the Garden 400 Central Ave 4 pm	23 Giant Jellyfish Lanterns CR 1 pm ^R Clay Kraken: Part Two CEN 1 pm ^R Guitar Club CEN 3 pm Book Chats STV 3:30 pm Art Party CEN 4 pm ^R Fort Erie Ukes CR 5 pm Tweens & Teens Craft: DIY Sprayed Book Edges CEN 6 pm ^R	24 Knitting Group CR 10 am Craft Cart Creations CR 9:30-5 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 10 am	25 Koi Fish Windsock STV 10 am ^R Painted Seashells CEN 3 pm ^R
WEEK #6: Pacific Ocean 27 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Babysitting Basics CEN 10 am ^R  Library Lagoon CR 3:00 pm Minecraft Club CEN 4:00 pm ^R Adult Chess Club CEN 6 pm Author Visit: Anita Lemmex CEN 6 pm	28 Job Gym CEN 9:30-5 pm Knitting Group CEN 10 am Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 4 pm Cross Stitch Bookmarks CR 6 pm ^R YLA Meeting CEN 6 pm English Conversation Circle CEN 6 pm	29 Job Gym CR 9:30-5 pm Stevensville Farmer's Market STV 2-6 pm Mindfulness & Meditation CEN 2 pm Library in the Garden 400 Central Ave 4 pm Braille by the Sea STV 6:30 pm ^R	30 Guitar Club CEN 3 pm Art Party CEN 4 pm ^R Spooky Story Time CEN 6 pm ^R	31 Knitting Group CR 10 am Craft Cart Creations CR 9:30-5 pm Crafty Crab Crew! CEN 10 am Mason Jar Aquariums CEN 2 pm ^R	01 Mad About Munsch: The Travelling ^R Stage: Ages 5-14 CR 10 am Sea Lanterns CEN 2 pm ^R

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Adult Programs Kids & Teen Programs

^R Registration required