

What's Happening

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#### For Children

#### Stories in the Park

#### July through August

Bring a blanket and sunscreen and join us for stories, songs and plenty of fun. Programs will be cancelled in case of rain or if KFL&A Public Health issues a heat or air quality advisory. Cancellations will be posted on the KFPL Twitter feed, Facebook page and website. *All ages. Drop in.* 

#### City Park

City Park is located on King Street (between Barrie and West).

We will be close to the play structures.

#### Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.

July 7 • July 14 • July 21 • July 28 • August 4

August 11 • August 18 • August 25 • September 1

#### McCallum Park

McCallum Park is located east of Highway 15. From Gore Road, turn onto Donald Road. The park is at the intersection of Donald and McCallum Roads.

#### Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

July 8 • July 15 • July 22 • July 29 • August 5

August 12 • August 19 • August 26 • September 2

#### Cataraqui Woods Park

Cataraqui Woods Park is located off Cataraqui Woods Drive, in the Cataraqui Woods subdivision.

#### Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.

July 2 • July 9 • July 16 • July 23 • July 30 • August 6 August 13 • August 20 • August 27 • September 3

#### **Books for Babies**

Stories, songs, rhymes and tickles for newborns, pre-walkers, and their caregivers. Come meet other babies and cultivate pre-literacy skills.

Isabel Turner Branch (*Drop in*): Tuesdays @ 10 a.m.

(July 7 - August 11)

Pittsburgh Branch (*Register*): Tuesdays @ 10:15 a.m.

(July 7 - August 11)

Central Branch (*Drop in*): Thursdays @ 10 a.m.

(July 9 - August 13)

#### Play to Learn

#### Register

Move your body! Jump, skip, hop and more as you Play to Learn. Through play-based activities and interactive books, children two years and up will develop their physical confidence.

Isabel Turner Branch: Fridays @ 10:30 a.m. (July 10 - August 14)

#### **Family Storytime**

#### Drop In

Stories, songs, poetry, and movement for all ages. Come meet other families in the community and nurture your child's love of books.

Sydenham Branch: Fridays @ 10:30 a.m.

(July 10 - August 14)

Calvin Park Branch: Saturdays @ 10:30 a.m.

(July 4 - September 5)

#### **Bedtime Stories**

Join us for sleepy-time stories, songs and rhymes. Come and nurture your child's love of books. Bring a blanket, wear your pyjamas and settle in for a cozy time. All ages.

Pittsburgh Branch (*Register*): Thursdays @ 6 p.m.

(July 9 - August 13)

#### Rhythm and Rhyme

#### Drop In

Join us for this musical program! Through rhythm, rhyme and movement, children up to the age of 3 years will naturally develop language and early literacy skills. Experience hands-on play with bells, rhythm sticks, scarves, shakers and more.

Central Branch: Wednesdays @ 10 a.m.

(July 8 - August 12)

Calvin Park Branch: Fridays @ 10 a.m.

(July 10 - August 14)

#### **LEGO My Library**

#### Drop In

Come build and explore with our LEGO & DUPLO. Every week there will be a new building challenge. All materials provided.

Sydenham Branch: Mondays @ 10:30 a.m.

(July 6 - August 10)

(No program on August 3 Civic Holiday)

Isabel Turner Branch: Mondays @ 6 p.m.

(July 6 - August 10)

(No program on August 3 Civic Holiday)

Calvin Park Branch: Wednesdays @ 6 p.m.

(July 8 - August 12)

# Reading Buddies

Teen volunteers and Library staff provide one-on-one reading support and fun literacy activities for readers who are in Grades 1 through 3.

#### Isabel Turner Branch at 1 p.m.

July 13 • July 14 • July 15 • July 16 • July 17



Registration opens on Monday, July 6 at 9 a.m.



# SHOW! EXTRAVAGANZA TOUR

KFPL's own puppeteers will perform two puppet shows: Sausages (The Three Wishes) and Tortoise and the Hare.

#### Monday, July 13

Calvin Park Branch - 9:30 a.m. All ages. Free Tickets.

#### Tuesday, July 14

Kingscourt Branch - 10 a.m. *All ages. Drop in.* 

#### Wednesday, July 15

Pittsburgh Branch - 2 p.m. All ages. Drop in.

#### Monday, July 13

Calvin Park Branch - 11 a.m. All ages. Free Tickets.

#### Tuesday, July 14

Sydenham Branch - 2 p.m. *All ages. Drop in.* 

#### Thursday, July 16

Wolfe Island Branch - 2 p.m. All ages. Drop in.



KFPL's own puppeteers will perform two puppet shows: Who Wants a Hua? and Little Owl Lost.

#### Monday, August 17

Central Branch - 10 a.m. & 2 p.m. *All ages. Free Tickets.* 

#### Wednesday, August 19

Sharbot Lake Branch - 11 a.m. All ages. Drop in.



#### Tuesday, August 18

Calvin Park Branch - 10 a.m. *All ages. Free Tickets.* 

#### Thursday, August 20

Isabel Turner Branch -10 a.m. & 2 p.m. All ages. Free Tickets.



For events requiring FREE TICKETS, tickets will be available at the branch ONE HOUR before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person. For drop-in events admission will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

# **Books & Bites**

#### A Book Club with a Difference for Kids

Through July and August, kids are invited to share their current reads and will hear recommendations from other readers and from library staff for more great books to enjoy. Refreshments provided. Please advise staff of any food allergies.

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.



#### Ready, Set, Go to Kindergarten!

Help your child with their big transition to school with this specialty program to practise school readiness skills. Stories and songs about school will also be shared.

Tuesday, August 25 Calvin Park Branch - 10 a.m. Ages 3 - 5. Register. Wednesday, August 26 Isabel Turner Branch - 10 a.m. Ages 3 - 5. Register.

#### **Information for Parents and Caregivers:**

- If your child is 6 years old or younger, it is expected that you will accompany him or her to our programs.
- If your child is 7 to 11 years old, you must remain in the library while he or she attends our programs.
- For REGISTERED programs only, parents of children ages 9, 10 and 11 years may leave the building if they have provided staff with emergency contact information.
- If your child/youth is 12 years or older, they may visit the library independently and may act as a caregiver for younger siblings.
- For Free Ticket events, tickets will be available at the branch ONE HOUR before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.
- For Drop-In events, admission is first-come, first-served.
- The Library is unable to accommodate groups at registered or drop-in programs for children. Groups include classes, daycares, daycamps, community groups, and any groups providing childcare and/or educational/recreational services to children.

# Live at the pres

#### Thursday, July 2

#### **Round String Theatre: Faerie Stories**

Fusing Scottish Gaelic culture with puppetry, music and physical theatre, this wonderful show transports audiences into the magic and mystery of ancient Faerie worlds.

Central Branch - 10:30 a.m. & 2 p.m.

Ages 6 and up. Free Tickets.

### Puppet Workshop with Round String Theatre

Design and create a puppet with Round String Theatre. The troupe encourages participants to bring in their own recycled plastic bottle to redesign!

Central Branch - 3 p.m.

Ages 6 and up. Registration opens on June 20, at 9 a.m.

#### Tuesday, July 7

#### Jake Differ

Join Juno nominee Jake Differ for a children's concert celebrating the joy of play and being active.

Kingscourt Branch - 10:30 a.m. Pittsburgh Branch - 2 p.m. All ages. Drop in.

#### Thursday, July 9

#### Circus Delights Inc.

An entertaining family circus show featuring dazzling unicycle wizardry,

daring feats of balance, and the world's largest real magic bunny! Split second escape illusions, jaw dropping contortions, and more.

Central Branch - 10:30 a.m.

**Isabel Turner Branch** (Bilingual Show) - **2 p.m.** *All ages. Free Tickets.* 

#### Tuesday, July 21

#### Crock-A-Doodle

Paint your own pottery plate! Once created, Crock-a-Doodle will take the items back to their studio to be glazed and kilnfired with a brilliant, durable, food safe finish. Participants will be notified when to pick up their finished product at the Calvin Park Branch.

Calvin Park Branch - 2 p.m.

Ages 6 and up. Registration opens on July 11, at 9 a.m.

#### Thursday, July 23

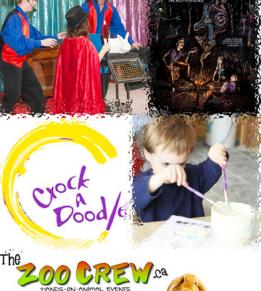
#### **Zoo Crew**

Geared towards young children, Zoo Crew focuses on giving the children the opportunity to hold and learn about live animals while teaching the importance of being gentle and respectful to all living creatures. Don't forget your camera!

Kingscourt Branch - 10:30 a.m.

Pittsburgh Branch - 2 p.m.

All ages. Drop in.







#### Tuesday, July 28

#### Radical Science & It's a Gas

Explore the properties of carbonation. Try to catch sublimation yourself! With silly bubbling potions, learn about the 3 states of matter and observe the water cycle right before your eyes! Isabel Turner Branch - 11 a.m. Ages 6 to 12. Registration opens on July 18, at 9 a.m.

# Radical Science & Playing with Polymers!

Rubbery, sticky, stretchy and bouncy! How much fun is that?! Polymers surround us everyday! The chemical properties of polymers are uncovered in this popular, handson workshop. Discover the secrets of diaper science and see how far you can stretch our homemade polymer!

Isabel Turner Branch - 1 p.m.

Ages 6 to 12. Registration opens on July 18, at 9 a.m.

# Radical Science & Crazy Chemistry!

Eliminate the mysteries of chemistry! Explore a variety of chemical reactions!

Mixtures! Solutions! Explore the extremes of acids and bases. Peek into the world of pH levels. Get out your goggles for some surprising reactions as the children become junior chemists! Isabel Turner Branch - 2:30 p.m. Ages 6 to 12. Registration opens on July 18, at 9 a.m.

#### Thursday, August 6

#### Jungle Cat World

Enjoy a wildlife safari with Jungle Cat World! Learn about exotic animals and meet them up close!
Central Branch- 10:30 a.m.
& 2 p.m.
Ages 6 and up. Free tickets.

#### Tuesday, August 18

#### **Ontario Planetarium**

Step inside the mobile dome for a tour of stars, planets, comets, meteor showers and the Northern Lights.
Isabel Turner Branch 10 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Ages 8 and under. Registration opens on August 8, at 9 a.m.
Isabel Turner Branch - 1 p.m.,
1:45 p.m. & 2:30 p.m.

Ages 9 and up. Registration opens on August 8, at 9 a.m.

#### Thursday, August 20

#### **Ontario Planetarium**

Step inside the mobile dome for a tour of stars, planets, comets, meteor showers and the Northern Lights.

Central Branch - 10 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Ages 8 and under. Registration opens on August 8, at 9 a.m.
Central Branch - 1 p.m.,

Ages 9 and up. Registration opens on August 8, at 9 a.m.

1:45 p.m. & 2:30 p.m.

#### Friday, August 21

#### **Campfire Crew**

Join the award-winning Campfire Crew for a highly interactive children's concert! Sydenham Branch - 10:30 a.m. All ages. Drop in.

For Free Ticket events, tickets will be available at the branch ONE HOUR before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.

The Live at the Library lineup is supported by the Friends of the Library.





#### For Children



# Family Movie Mondays

Join us for a movie screening! Juice will be served. Because of potential allergies, please avoid bringing snacks from home. For all ages. Drop in.

#### Monday, July 6 at 2 p.m.

Isabel Turner Branch - Annie, Rated G

Central Branch - The Book of Life, Rated PG

#### Monday, July 13 at 2 p.m.

Isabel Turner Branch - Strange Magic, Rated G
Central Branch - Kung Fu Panda 2, Rated PG

#### Monday, July 20 at 2 p.m.

Isabel Turner Branch - Planes: Fire & Rescue, Rated G

Central Branch - Paddington, Rated PG

#### Monday, July 27 at 2 p.m.

Isabel Turner Branch - TinkerBell and the Legend of the NeverBeast, *Rated G* Central Branch - The Boxtrolls, *Rated PG* 

# Car Part Art with Jeff Mann

Kids 8-12 years are invited to TREAD ON IT and make their own tire- and car-part-printed T-shirts. All materials provided. Make sure to wear clothing suitable for this project! Bring extra clothing articles (socks, T-shirts) if you'd like additional prints.



#### Monday, August 10

Central Branch - 10 a.m. Sydenham Branch - 2 p.m.

Ages 8 to 12.

Registration opens August 1, at 9 a.m.

#### **For Teens**

# Coder Dojo

Improve your coding skills by checking out some cool technology and working with computer science experts in a fun, mentoring club environment.

For ages 10 - 18.

#### Wednesday, July 8

Isabel Turner Branch - 6:30 p.m.

Ages 10 - 18. Register.

#### Wednesday, August 12

Isabel Turner Branch - 6:30 p.m.

Ages 10 - 18. Register.

Registration opens on Wednesday, June 15 at 9 a.m.

# Teen

#### **DROP-IN**

Come out for tons of fun activities such as button-making, duct tape art, PS4, LEGO, & board games. Snacks provided.



#### Calvin Park Branch Mondays at 2 p.m.

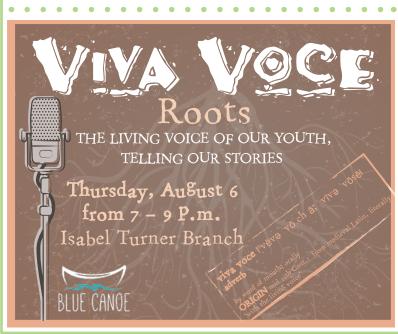
CODING

(July 6 - August 24) No program on Monday, August 3

#### Isabel Turner Branch Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

(July 2 - August 27)

No program on Thursday, August 6



#### For Adults

#### Book Clubs with a Difference

Join us for a relaxed conversation as we share thoughts about the books we are reading or have recently enjoyed.

Books & Beans: Coffeeco, Kingston Centre

Monday, July 6 @ 7 p.m.



#### Wolfe Island Branch

Tuesday, July 7 @ 7 p.m.

Books & Beers for Twentysomethings: Tir Nan Og

Monday, July 13 @ 7 p.m. **Storrington Branch** 

Thursday, July 16 @ 12 p.m.

**Cloyne Branch** 







**Wolfe Island Branch** 

Tuesday, August 4 @ 7 p.m.

Books & Beers for Twentysomethings: Tir Nan Og

Monday, August 10 @ 7 p.m.

**Storrington Branch** 

Thursday, August 20 @ 12 p.m.

**Clovne Branch** 



Tuesday, August 25 @ 12 p.m.

Books & Beans: Coffeeco, Kingston Centre

Monday, August 31 @ 7 p.m. . . . . . . .

Monthly brown-bag program for anyone with a handcraft hobby: knitting, bookbinding, needlework, carving, papercraft, fly-tying, weaving, etc. Bring a piece to work on and see how the library can support your passion or help you problem-solve. Share your hobby with others and maybe pick up a new obsession.

Thursday, July 23,



#### Poet-in-Residence One-on-One Sessions

Are you a would-be poet? Do you have scraps of poetry tucked away in a drawer or notebook or on your phone? Would you like advice from an experienced poet?



Come spend 30 minutes one-on-one with Kingston's newest Poet Laureate, Helen Humphreys. Bring along a sample of your writing (three pages or less); this may be typed or handwritten but MUST be double-spaced. Open to anyone 14 years of age or older. Please arrive on time!

#### Wednesday, August 12

Pittsburgh Branch

Register for a 30-minute session between

12 p.m. and 3 p.m. or between

5 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.



### **Poetry Writing** Workshop

Line Breaks: more exciting than you think. Join Helen Humphreys for a two-hour workshop exploring how line breaks can mean the difference between writing prose and writing verse. Come prepared to do some writing and selected reading. Open to anyone 16 years of age or older. Registration is required. Space is limited.



Friday, August 21 Central Branch, Boucher Room 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.



We acknowledge the support of the City of Kingston through the Poet Laureate program, increasing the profile of the literary arts within the City and beyond.

# **Holiday Closures**

#### Canada Dav

All branches of the Kingston Frontenac Public Library will be closed on Wednesday, July 1 for Canada Day. Regular hours will resume on Thursday, July 2, 2015.

#### Civic Holiday

All branches of the Kingston Frontenac Public Library will be closed on Monday, August 3 for the Civic Holiday. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, August 4, 2015.

#### The Friends of the Library

Isabel Turner Book Sale Table events:

August 10 - 22, 2015

#### **Truth or Fiction**

(non-fiction and hardcover fiction)



### In the Community

#### Artfest 2015

Explore the festival and drop by the library's tent throughout the day to enjoy giant games like snakes and ladders, chess, jenga and tic-tac-toe. Settle in at 11:00 am and 2:00 pm for Stories in the Park.

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music and more!

Saturday, July 4 City Park - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

All ages. Drop in.



Bring a blanket and sunscreen and join us for a Booknic at Rotary Park. "Feast" on books and then enjoy free play with our new outdoor games (tic-tac-toe, jenga, bean bag toss, etc.). Rotary Park is located at 1280 Coverdale Drive at Lemoine Point.

# Monday, July 13 & Monday, August 10

Rotary Park - 10 a.m.

All ages. Drop in.

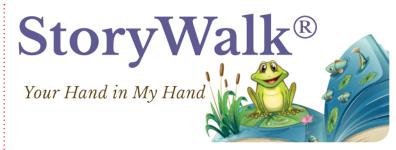
If rain, the program will be cancelled. The program will also be cancelled if temperatures (or the humidex) surpass 36°C or an air quality advisory has been issued.

#### **Princess Street Promenade**

Join us at our tent and sign up for the Summer Reading Clubs. Win prizes, play giant games, and check out our free digital music, video and magazine resources.

Saturday, August 1
Downtown Princess Street - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

All ages. Drop in.



StoryWalk with us! Enjoy the picture book *Your Hand in My Hand* while exploring the great outdoors. Pages from a picture book will be on display along a path so you can read as you walk. Afterwards, enjoy a craft together!

Wednesday, July 22
Lemoine Point Conservation Area - 10 a.m.
(Rain date - July 29)

All ages. Drop in.

Saturday, July 25
Oso Beach, Sharbot Lake - 10 a.m.
(If it's raining, bring your umbrella!)

All ages. Drop in.

The StoryWalk program is supported by the Friends of the Library.



#### Boys & Girls Club of Kingston Teddy Bear Picnic

We will be participating in this wonderful family event at Lake Ontario Park. Visit us at our tent to play with our DUPLO, create instruments for your teddy to play with our MaKey MaKey sets, and enjoy some quiet reading time together. You can sign up for a library card too! More details to come.

Saturday, August 22 Lake Ontario Park - 11 a.m to 4 p.m.

All ages. Drop in.

#### County of Frontenac 150th Fair

Drop by the library's tent throughout the day to build, create and explore! Make music on our Play-Doh piano, build with LEGO, make a stop-motion animated movie and more.

Saturday, August 29 Harrowsmith Fairgrounds - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m..

All ages. Drop in.

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#### Digital Design for 3D Printing

Learn about digital design technology used to create designs for 3D Printing. Great for beginners who want to learn more about using 3D printing!

Monday, July 13 & Monday, August 24

Isabel Turner Branch - 6 p.m.

Teens & Adults. Register.



# Intro to Arduino



Arduino allows you to build digital devices and interactive objects that can sense and control the physical world. Come to the Gates Training Room to learn the basics of Arduino software and hardware!

Saturday, July 11 Isabel Turner Branch - 2:30 p.m.

Teens & Adults. Register.

#### LEGO MOVIE MAKER

Learn how to use the Lego Movie Maker app to make your own movie magic. All materials provided — just bring your talent and inspiration.

Tuesday, July 7
Pittsburgh Branch
6 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.

Friday, July 10 Central Branch 2 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.

Friday, July 17 Calvin Park Branch 2 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.



#### Tuesday, July 21 Pittsburgh Branch 6 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.

Tuesday, August 4
Pittsburgh Branch
6 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.

# Friday, July 24 Isabel Turner Branch 2 p.m.

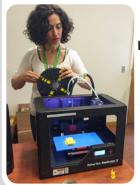
Ages 6 +. Register.

# Tuesday, August 18 Pittsburgh Branch 6 p.m.

Ages 6 +. Register.

# 3D Printer Meet and Greet

Come see the new 3D Printer in action! Ask questions and learn about the library's new technology. All ages. Drop in.



Saturday, July 4
Isabel Turner Branch - 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, July 18

Sydenham Branch - 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, August 1

Pittsburgh Branch - 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



# Intro to **Raspberry Pi**

Learn the basics of the Raspberry Pi — a low-cost, credit-card-sized computer that plugs into a computer monitor or TV and uses a standard keyboard and mouse. It is a capable little device that enables people of all ages to explore computing and to learn how to program in languages like Scratch and Python.

Saturday, August 8
Isabel Turner Branch - 2:30 p.m.
Teens & Adults. Register.

#### Mini Maker Faire

Join the Kingston Frontenac Public Library for hours of maker fun. Explore 3D printing, button making, duct tape art, Arduinos, MaKey MaKeys, & Raspberry Pi!

#### Friday, July 3

Sharbot Lake Branch, Oso Hall

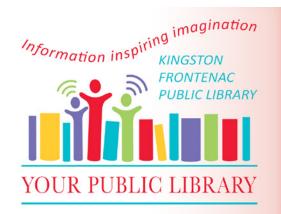
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

#### Friday, August 14

Cloyne Branch, Barrie Township Hall

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.







# What's Happening



# Group Sessions Introduction to Facebook

Introduction to using Facebook for social media.

Great for learners of all ages.

#### Monday, July 27

**Isabel Turner Branch, Gates Training Room** *6 p.m. Register.* 

#### **Discover Your 24/7 Library**

Introduction to the various digital services and online resources Kingston Frontenac Public Library has to offer. Great for learners of all ages.

#### Monday, August 10

**Isabel Turner Branch, Gates Training Room** *6 p.m. Register.* 

#### **Group Drop-In Sessions**

Bring your own laptop, e-reader, etc., and all of your questions!

#### Calvin Park

Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

(July 14, 28, August 11 & 25)

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Fridays at 2 p.m.

(July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21 & 28)

#### **One-on-One Appointments**

Make an appointment for a one-on-one lesson with a Tech Tutor. Call or visit a branch to book your appointment.