



Kingston Frontenac Public Library June 2015 Program Flyer

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Children’s Programs

Stories in the Park – June 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 head or air quality advisory. Cancellations will be posted on the KFPL Twitter feed, Facebook page and website. Stories in the Park is for all ages and is a drop in program.

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 AM running from June 2 to June 30.

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.

Wednesday at 10:30 AM running from June 10 to June 24.

Cataraqui Woods Park

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

Thursdays at 10:30 AM running from June 4 to June 25.

Live at the Library

Thousand Islands Playhouse – Rose’s Clothes

Enjoy the Young Company Touring Production of “Rose’s Clothes” – a playful tale about messing up, dressing up, and growing up. Great for kids from JK to Grade 5!

Saturday, June 13 at the Isabel Turner Branch at 10:30 AM and 2 PM. This is for All ages. This event requires Free Tickets. Tickets will be available at the branch one hour before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.

Theatre Workshop

Register for a cast-led children’s workshop and enjoy the opportunity to engage in fun, imaginative, drama-related activities.

Saturday, June 13 at the Isabel Turner Branch from 3 PM to 3:50 PM. For ages 5 and up. Registration opens on May 30, at 9 AM.

Family Storytime

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

Calvin Park branch

Saturdays at 10:30 AM running from June 6 to June 27. This is a drop in program.

For Teens

Beads

Celebrate World Refugee Day! Join us for games and activities to gain new awareness. Find out what you can do to support refugees around the world!

Tuesday, June 2 at the Isabel Turner Branch at 6 PM. For teens ages 12 and up. You must register for this program.

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 and Beans at Coffeeco Kingston Centre

Monday, June 1 at 7 PM.

Books and Beers for Twentysomethings: Tir Nan Og

Monday, June 8 at 7 PM.

Books and Beans at Coffeeco Market Square

Monday, June 15 at 7 PM.

Storrington branch Book Club with a Difference

Thursday, June 18 at 12 PM.

Books and Beers at Portsmouth Tavern

Tuesday, June 23 at 7 PM.

Little Counters

Little Counters is a free workshop to show early childhood educators, caregivers and others who offer parent-child programs how to use purposeful play with children from birth to 5 to promote mathematical thinking and get them ready for formal math instruction.

Wednesday, June 24, from 1 PM to 3 PM at the Isabel Turner branch. Registration is required. To register email Debbie Nesbitt-Munroe, Early Literacy Specialist at dnesbitt@klandskills.ca.

KFPL Live

Monthly Speakers' Series

Join us each month for an engaging and informative evening. Featuring a variety of guest speakers, interviews, Q&A, panel discussions and presentations with different themes each month.

June – The First Green Wave: Pollution Probe and the Origins of Environmental Activism in Ontario

Presented by Ryan O'Connor. Come hear author Ryan O'Connor talk about the growth of the environmental movement in Ontario, beginning with the 1969 founding of Pollution Probe at U of T. His new book *The First Green Wave* shows how Probe's early battles with Toronto City Hall and Ontario Hydro led to today's waste reduction initiatives and energy policies, and inspired a whole generation of environmental activists.

Wednesday, June 17 at 7 PM at the Central Branch.

Hand-Powered Makers

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, June 25 from 12 PM to 2 PM at the Central branch in the Boucher room. This is a drop in program. Bring your own brown bag lunch.

Summer Reading for Everyone

Join the TD Summer Reading Club 2015

Beginning on June 13, children up to the age of 12 are invited to register for the TD Summer Reading club online or in person at any of KFPL's 16 branches. Help your children connect to their local public library, foster a love of literacy and help retain their reading skills over the summer.

On June 13, join us at the Isabel Turner Branch to launch the Summer Reading Club with performances of *Rose's Clothes* by the Thousand Islands Playhouse.

Visit www.kfpl.ca for more information.

Teen Summer Reading Challenge

Sign up for the Kingston Frontenac Public Library's Teen Summer Reading Challenge at www.teens.kfpl.ca for a chance to win over \$500 worth of weekly prizes. Hashtag TeenSRC

Grand Prize: \$100 gift card to Chapters Indigo

Second Place: \$75 gift card to Chapters Indigo

Third Place: \$50 gift card to Chapters Indigo

Running from June 13 to August 29

Summer Book-It List

Summer Book-It List (hashtag summerbookitlist) is an online summer reading contest open to adults living in Kingston or Frontenac County. There will be one prize given out each week and a grand prize of an iPad Mini at the end of the summer.

Every Wednesday, a new challenge will be posted. You will receive one chance to win (both the weekly prize and the grand prize) for every challenge you complete. For extra chances to win, refer a friend or share your challenge entries on Twitter, Facebook, or Instagram @ KFPL with the hashtag summerbookitlist.

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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 is 7 to 11 years old, you must remain in the library while he or she attends our program.

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.

For more information visit our [website](#).