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MAY

Programs for all ages

What's Happening

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For Children

All branches of the Kingston Frontenac Public Library will be closed on May 23 for Victoria Day.

Children's Programs

Connect with other families, cultivate pre-literacy skills and nurture your child's love of books.

The following programs are offered regularly at our busiest branches. Please visit our website for locations, dates, times and registration.

Books for Babies

Family Storytime

Rhythm and Rhyme

Bedtime Stories

Play to Learn

LEGO My Library



The Art of Illustration Art Show

Come to this art show celebrating the work made by children 8 - 12 years old at The Art of Illustration program this spring.

Isabel Turner Branch

Tuesday May 17

7 to 8 p.m.

All ages. Drop in.



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.
- 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 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.
- 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.

P.A. DAYS



Footloose Friday

Sing, dance and get ready to shake a tailfeather! Music and movement fun!

Friday, May 20

Sydenham Branch - 10:30 a.m.

Ages 3 to 8. Drop in.

Magical Musical MAYhem!

We will fill the air with colourful scarves as we dance, juggle and move! Imagine merry-go-rounds and kaleidoscopes, Maypoles and delight. Play with our parachute, bean bags, ribbon sticks and our giant 'stretchy band'!

Friday, May 20

Central Branch - 10:30 a.m.

Ages 4 to 8. Drop in.

Mini-Worlds and Giant Challenges

Come in to play some of our giant games like Snakes and Ladders, Checkers, Hopscotch and more. After the games we challenge you to take your big ideas and create your own mini-world in a jar. Big or small it's all good fun!

Friday, May 20

Calvin Park Branch - 10:30 a.m.

Ages 6 to 12. Registration opens Saturday, May 7.

Washi Tape Projects

Discover the craft craze of washi tape. Each participant will receive a starter washi tape sticker kit, and have a chance to adorn their washi tape creations on personalized projects.

Friday, May 20

Isabel Turner Branch - 2 p.m.

Ages 9 to 12. Registration opens Saturday, May 7.

In the Community

Science Rendezvous

Science Rendezvous is a free family event offering hands-on science activities for children. Drop by the KFPL booth in the K-Rock Centre and get technical with our LEGO build table, make a working piano out of playdough and see a 3D printer in action! Remember to bring your library card, or ID to get one, and check out a few books while you are here.

Saturday, May 7

K-Rock Centre - 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For Teens & Adults

Register online at events.kfpl.ca or phone 613-549-8888.

Calvin Park TAG presents . . .

STAR WARS GAMES NIGHT

Drop in and join the Calvin Park Teen Advisory Group for an evening of games and crafts with a Star Wars twist!

TUESDAY, MAY 10

Calvin Park Branch - 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
All ages. Drop in.



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.

Storrington Branch

Thursday, May 26 @ 12 p.m.

Books & Beans: Coffeco, Kingston Centre

Monday, May 30 @ 7 p.m.



3D Printer Meet & Greet

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



**Saturday,
May 21**

**Wolfe Island Branch
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

Tech Tutors

Group Drop-In Sessions

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

Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

Calvin Park Branch **Isabel Turner Branch** **Central Branch**
(May 4 & 25) (May 11) (May 18)

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.



3D Design Mashup

Ever want to see a cat with the head of Batman? Dream of a flamingo with gorilla arms? What about a shark-lion hybrid? This youth program will involve using 3D design software to chop up 3D models and put the pieces together in fun new ways. Get creative, learn the essentials of 3D design, and have the chance to win a 3D print of your mashup masterpiece!



**Thursday,
May 19**

**Isabel Turner Branch
6 p.m.**

*For ages 10 to 19.
Registration required.*

THE JUVENIS FESTIVAL

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MAY 1-8 2016

This week long festival will give young people between the ages of 13 and 30 an opportunity to act, sing, dance, perform and showcase their artistic talents, as well as take free workshops and masterclasses to build on their interests and skills in the arts.

Juvenis Workshops Happening at the Library

Poetry

A creative writing workshop, led by Kingston's own Sarah Tsiang, that will explore what makes up a poem - imagery, line breaks, form and metaphor.

Sunday, May 1

Tett Centre for Creativity & Learning - 2 to 4 p.m.

Leader: Sarah Tsiang

Building Confidence Through Drama

This is a workshop on building confidence and learning to accept yourself as you are, as so many of us feel like we're not good enough, aren't good-looking enough, aren't smart enough, aren't in every sense...enough.

Wednesday, May 4

Central Branch, Wilson Room - 4 to 5:30 p.m.

Leader: Chantel Martin

Poetry Writing

Taking Your Story and Giving it to Others: A Writing Workshop with Andre Prefontaine. Poetry is a fearless confrontation with oneself.

This workshop's goal is not to enable a single piece of writing to stand strong, instead it is for the writer to feel capable throughout their journey.

Thursday, May 5

Central Branch, Kennedy Room - 4 to 6 p.m.

Leader: Andre Prefontaine

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Special Effects Makeup

This workshop will be teaching a range of techniques for stage and film special effects. Blood, guts, wounds, and prosthetics will be covered in this workshop with a hands on approach to learning.

Thursday, May 5

Central Branch, Wilson Room - 5:30 to 7 p.m.

Leader: Joey Hinds

Vocal (Masterclass)

Musical theatre is a coming together of two things: music and theatre. Often, singers get too encumbered by the notes on the page or the sound of their voice and forget that they are a character woven into a plot. This workshop will focus on technical aspects of producing the voice in order to serve the text and "tell the story."

Saturday, May 7

Central Branch, Wilson Room - 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Leader: Tim Stiff



Presented by KFPL Central Branch Teen Advisory Group

A film festival to showcase short films made by local teenagers.

The TAG has been hard at work learning about and creating films with Curious You, a Kingston-based production company. This process will culminate in a screening on Tuesday, May 3rd.

The film festival is open to submissions!

Tuesday, May 3

Central Branch - 6 to 7 p.m.

Doors open at 5 p.m. Screenings begin at 6 p.m.

For Teens & Adults. Drop in.

For all full list of Juvenis Festival workshops visit www.juvenisfestival.ca/workshops.php

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OUTLANDISH

SCOTTISH KINGSTON WALKING TOUR

ALL MAY

From an Italian villa to a sea captain's house and a downtown castle, Scottish history in Kingston is full of surprises. Join us for a self-guided walking tour of the downtown area, featuring the homes and haunts of Scots who shaped early Kingston. Beginning in May, pick up a copy at any library branch, or download from our website. It's free!

OUTLANDISH GALA ROB ROY PIPE BAND & HIGHLAND DANCERS

ISABEL BADER CENTRE

SATURDAY, MAY 14 FROM 2 - 3:30 P.M.

For all ages. Reserve your seat at www.kfpl.ca.

This exciting music and dance collaboration will kick off a series of Outlander-inspired events highlighting Scottish culture and featuring the Outlander theme song, and a mix of traditional and modern pieces against the stunning backdrop of Lake Ontario at the Isabel Bader Centre for the Performing Arts. Win a coveted Outlander prize pack, plus meet and greet the performers after the show.



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OUTLANDISH

HIGHLAND KNIT-ALONG

ISABEL TURNER BRANCH

WEDNESDAY FROM 7 - 8:30 P.M.

(MAY 4 - MAY 25)

For Teens & Adults. Drop-in.

Do you love the shawls Claire wears in the Outlander series? Drop in for a knit-along with a highland theme. Knitters at all levels are welcome to select a pattern and knit along with the group.

PUB TRIVIA NIGHT (THE TARTAN EDITION)

THE ALIBI

MONDAY, MAY 16 FROM 7 - 9 P.M.

For Adults. Drop in.

Join us downtown at The Alibi (293 Princess St) and put your knowledge to the test! Categories this time are inspired by the Outlander series. Prizes for the winning teams!

THE CELTIC KITCHEN

SIR JOHN'S PUBLIC HOUSE

THURSDAY, MAY 19 FROM 7 - 8 P.M.

For Adults. Reserve your seat at www.kfpl.ca.

Fans of Scottish cuisine, or those who are interested in food history, are invited to attend a free haggis tasting and slideshow presentation by food historian Paul Fortier from Kingston's own Sir John's Public House. The event will take place in the Great Hall located upstairs at the pub. Please note this location can only be accessed by stairs. A cash bar will be available for attendees to purchase their own beverages.

OUTLANDISH KIDS: BRAVE

ISABEL TURNER BRANCH

FRIDAY, MAY 20 FROM 10 - 11:30 A.M.

All ages. Drop in.

A family movie set in Scotland about a princess named Merida who is determined to follow her own path. She unknowingly unleashes chaos in her kingdom after making a wish. Rated PG.

HIGHLAND REGIMENTAL BROADSWORD

CENTRAL BRANCH

THURSDAY, MAY 26 FROM 7 - 8:30 P.M.

For Teens & Adults.

Reserve your seat at www.kfpl.ca.

Join Broadsword Academy Kingston and Ironwood Sword School for an informative talk and demonstration of Scottish Swordsmanship, as practiced in the 18th and 19th centuries. See and handle training weapons, then learn a thing or two from expert instructors.

ANTI-SCREENING: HIGHLANDER

CENTRAL BRANCH

MONDAY, MAY 30 FROM 6:30 - 8:45 P.M.

For Teens & Adults. Drop in.

There Can Be Only One! Join us for an anti-screening of the midnight action movie Highlander starring Christopher Lambert and Sean Connery. Outlander-themed colouring pages and refreshments will be available to enjoy during the event. Rated R.