



# Kingston Frontenac Public Library December 2017 Special Events

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### **LEGO and Hot Chocolate**

Kingston Frontenac Public Library, the Engineering Society at Queen's University, and Engineering Wellness Events invite you to join us for LEGO and Hot Chocolate in the atrium of Beamish-Munro Hall. Relieve some stress and win great prizes by entering a building competition judged by KFPL's New Adult Advisory Board!

Friday, December 1, from 1:30 to 3:30 PM at Beamish-Munro Hall, Queen's University. For teens and adults. This is a drop in program.

### **LEGO My Library**

Come build and explore with our LEGO and DUPLO. All materials are provided. For children ages 2 and up. This is a drop in program.

### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Mondays at 6 PM running December 4 and December 11.

### **Rideau Heights Public School**

Wednesdays at 6 PM running December 6 and December 13.

### **STEM Punks**

Join the STEM Punk movement! Explore STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) with the Kingston Frontenac Public Library – discover new books, play with new technology, and explore new ideas.

### **Rideau Heights Public School**

Mondays at 6:30 PM running from December 4 - December 11. For ages 6 to 9. Registration opens October 28.

### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Wednesdays at 6:30 PM running from December 6 to December 13. For ages 6 to 9. Registration opens October 28.

### **Pirate Games Night**

Join Calvin Park's Teen Advisory Group for an evening of pirate-themed fun for the whole family!

Monday, December 4, at 6 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **KFPL Live: DNA Testing and Genealogy**

Joyce Fingland of the Ontario Genealogical Society will outline the types of SNA test results provided by Ancestry and by Family Tree DNA, and how to decide which will be most useful to you. Come and learn more about this popular topic!

Tuesday, December 5, at 7 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For adults. Registration opens required.

### **Monthly Maker Madness**

New Projects each month will explore technology, arts, crafting and more.

Saturday, December 16, at 2:30 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For teens. This is a drop in program.

### **Books and Beans**

Join us at Kingston Coffee House, Kingston Centre to enjoy a relaxed chat about books. Guests can come and talk about what they're reading and hear about what others are enjoying. Facilitated by library staff.

Monday, December 18, at 7 PM at Kingston Coffee House. For adults. This is a drop in program.

### **Nightmare Before Christmas**

The Rideau Heights Teen Advisory Group invite you to enjoy a spooky night of seasonal activities and a screening of The Nightmare Before Christmas.

Tuesday, December 19, from 6 to 8 PM at Kingston Community Health Centres. For teens. This is a drop in program.

### **Kids Holiday Events**

#### **Wrap and Roll**

Make your own designer holiday wrap, tags, and cards.

Saturday, December 9, at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 6 and up. Registration is required for this program.

#### **Jungle Bell Babies**

Parents and caregivers will enjoy a festive combination of stories, songs, rhymes and tickles!

Friday, December 15, at 10 AM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For newborns and pre-walking babies. This is a drop in program.

#### **A Festive Celebration!**

Stories, songs, and a puppet show for children five and under.

Wednesday, December 20, at 10 AM at the Calvin Park Branch. For ages 5 and under. This is a drop in program.

#### **Festive Family Storytime**

Through stories, activities and songs we will welcome the start of the holidays. For children of all ages; recommended for ages 6 and under.

Wednesday, December 20, at 10:30 AM at the Pittsburgh Branch. Registration is required for this program. Registration opens on December 9.

Saturday, December 23, at 10:30 AM at the Isabel Turner Branch. This is a drop in program.

#### **Reindeer Games**

Challenge your family and friends, participate in a circuit of reindeer games created by the Teen Advisory Group!

Thursday, December 21, at 6 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 6 and up.

### **Children's Holiday Concert with Gerry Mitchell**

Enjoy your favourite holiday tunes in this interactive children's concert for all ages.

Saturday, December 23 at the Calvin Park Branch, at 10:30 AM and 1:30 PM. Free tickets required. Tickets will be available at the branch one hour before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.

### **Family Movie: Ballerina**

A heartwarming animated ballet adventure.

Thursday, December 28, at 10 AM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Let It Snow**

Children two and up are invited to celebrate the magical winter season with snowy stories, songs, activities, and a craft.

Wednesday, January 3, at 10:30 AM at the Pittsburgh Branch. For ages 2 and up. Registration is required for this program. Registration opens on December 9.

### **Holiday Hours**

All branches will be closed December 24 to December 27 for Christmas and December 31 to January 2 for New Year's Eve and Day. Regular Hours will resume on Wednesday, January 3.

### **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 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](#).