



# Kingston Frontenac Public Library July and August 2018 Special Events

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## **For All Ages**

### **3D Printer Meet and Greet**

Come see the 3D printer in action! Ask questions and learn about the library’s 3D printing technology.

Saturday, July 21, from 1 to 4 PM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Saturday, August 18, from 1 to 4 PM at the Pittsburgh Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Family Maker Madness**

New projects each month will enable families to explore technology, arts, crafting and more.

Saturday, July 21, at 2:30 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Saturday, August 18, at 2:30 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **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 and other fun technology!

Friday, August 17, from 1 to 3 PM at Kennebec Hall, Arden. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Friday, August 31, from 1 to 3 PM at the Sydenham Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Family Movies**

Join us for a movie screening! Because of potential allergies, please do not bring snacks from home. All movies are rated PG. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Monday, July 9, at 2 PM we will be screening Hotel Transylvania 2.

Monday, July 16, at 2 PM we will be screening Peter Rabbit.

Monday, July 23, at 2 PM we will be screening Emoji Movie.

Monday, July 30, at 2 PM we will be screening A Wrinkle in Time.

#### **Calvin Park Branch**

Friday, August 3, at 2 PM we will be screening Ferdinand.

Friday, August 10, at 2 PM we will be screening My Little Pony.

Friday, August 17, at 2 PM we will be screening Paddington 2.

## **For Children**

### **Baby and Me**

Stories, songs, rhymes and tickles for newborns and pre-walkers. Parents and caregivers will learn, and practise, fun and simple ways to incorporate early literacy skills in the home. Bring along your child's TD Summer Reading Club notebook and log the books listened to! For newborns and pre-walking babies.

#### **Pittsburgh Branch**

Tuesdays at 10:15 AM running from July 3 to August 7. You must register for this program.

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Mondays at 10 AM running from July 9 to August 20. There will be no program on August 6. This is a drop in program.

### **Stories in the Park**

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. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

**Dunham Park**

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM running from July 3 to August 28.

**McCallum Park**

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM running from July 4 to August 29.

**City Park**

Thursdays at 10:30 AM running from July 5 to August 30.

**STEM Start**

Explore and discover! Blending simple experiments with stories and songs, the program will introduce STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) concepts to young scientists. For ages 3-5.

**Calvin Park Branch**

Wednesdays at 3 PM running from July 4 to August 8. You must register for this program.

**LEGO My Library**

Come build and explore with our LEGO & DUPLO. Every week there will be a new building challenge. All materials are provided. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

**Isabel Turner Branch**

Wednesdays at 6 PM running from July 4 to August 8.

**Sydenham Branch**

Mondays at 10:30 AM running from July 9 to August 20. There will be no program on August 6.

**Parachute in the Park**

Shake it high and shake it low! Plenty of songs and activities to enjoy with the parachute. This activity strengthens muscles and promotes language learning, all while participants are having fun. For ages 6 and up. This is a drop in program.

**Shannon Park**

Wednesdays at 6 PM running from July 4 to July 25.

**Rhythm and Rhyme**

Through rhythm, rhyme and movement, children three and under will naturally develop language and increase their ability to hear the smaller sounds in words. Experience hands-on play with bells, rhythm sticks, scarves, shakers and more. For ages 3 and under. This is a drop in program.

**Isabel Turner Branch**

Thursdays at 10 AM running from July 5 to August 9.

**Calvin Park Branch**

Mondays at 10 AM running from July 9 to August 20. There will be no program on August 6.

### **Bedtime Stories**

Children of all ages are invited to put on their PJs for an evening storytime full of dreamy stories and songs. Developing early literacy skills is never a snooze at the library! For children of all ages; recommended for ages 6 and under.

### **Pittsburgh Branch**

Thursdays at 6:30 PM running from July 5 to August 9.

### **Family Storytime**

The whole family is encouraged to participate actively in stories, songs and movement activities to maximize your child's opportunity to learn socialization and pre-reading skills for life. For children of all ages; recommended for ages 6 and under. This is a drop in program.

### **Sydenham Branch**

Fridays at 10:30 AM running from July 6 to August 10.

### **Calvin Park Branch**

Saturdays at 10:30 AM running from July 7 to August 25.

### **Play to Learn**

Move your body! Jump, skip, hop and more in our active program. Through play-based activities and interactive books, children two years and up will develop their physical confidence.

### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Fridays at 10:30 AM running from July 6 to August 10. You must register for this program.

### **StoryBrunch**

Breakfast with books! Enjoy a nutritious snack while also eating up some wonderful stories, songs and activities. For children of all ages; recommended for ages 6 and under. First-come, first-served, while supplies last. Snacks provided by Loving Spoonful. Following StoryBrunch, join Loving Spoonful for their free Cooking With Families program. Parents and kids will learn how to make easy, healthy, affordable recipes together. Take home meals or ingredients after each workshop! Contact Thea by phone at 613-507-8848 to register for the Cooking with Families class.

### **Rideau Heights Branch**

Fridays at 11 AM running from July 6 to August 10. This is a drop in program.

### **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. For ages 6-9.

### **Rideau Heights Branch**

Mondays at 2 PM running from July 9 to August 20. This is a drop in program. There will be no program on August 6.

**Isabel Turner Branch**

Mondays at 6:30 PM running from July 9 to August 20. You must register for this program. There will be no program on August 6.

**Pinterest Challenge: While Supplies Last!**

Join us for a new Pinterest challenge each week! For ages 9 to 12. This is a drop in program.

**Isabel Turner Branch**

Thursday, July 5, at 2 PM we will be making button crafts.

Thursday, July 12, at 2 PM we will be making ozobots and circuits.

Thursday, July 19, at 2 PM we will be making #kindnessrocksproject.

Thursday, July 26, at 2 PM we will be making ripped-from-the-pages-art.

Thursday, August 2, at 2 PM we will be making silhouette magazine art.

Thursday, August 9, at 2 PM we will be making origami and paper toys.

**Summer Art Studios!**

Join us for art-making this summer. Bring your imagination and we will supply everything else! Come to one or more of our four studio evenings, but register for each individually. For ages 9 to 13. You must register for this program.

**Calvin Park Branch**

Tuesday, July 10, at 6:30 PM we will be making wire and bead bugs.

Tuesday, July 17, at 6:30 PM we will be making ink and watercolour images.

Tuesday, July 24, at 6:30 PM we will be making tissue paper collages.

Tuesday, July 31, at 6:30 PM we will be making clay figures.

**Words from the Wild**

Hear it from the animals themselves in this STEM-inspired storytime. Each week features a different animal and ecosystem, with a fun mix of stories, crafts, and interactive science! For ages 4 to 7. This is a drop in program.

**Isabel Turner Branch**

Wednesday, August 1, at 10:30 AM we will be exploring slithering snakes.

Wednesday, August 8, at 10:30 AM we will be exploring rare rainforests.

Wednesday, August 15, at 10:30 AM we will be exploring wandering whales.

Wednesday, August 22, at 10:30 AM we will be exploring gigantic giraffes.

### **Puppet Show Extravaganza! July Tour**

Kingston Frontenac Public Library's own puppeteers will perform two puppet shows: Tiger and Turtle and Yak and Dove. For events requiring free tickets, tickets will be available at the branch 30 minutes before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person. For drop-in events, admission will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Tuesday, July 17 at the Calvin Park Branch at 10:30 AM and 2 PM. For all ages. Free tickets required.

Wednesday, July 18 at the Wolfe Island Community Garden at 11 AM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Thursday, July 19 at the Pittsburgh Branch at 2 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Thursday, July 19 at the Isabel Turner Branch at 6:30 PM. For all ages. Free tickets required.

Friday, July 20 at Sydenham Branch at 2 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Puppet Show Extravaganza! August Tour**

Kingston Frontenac Public Library's own puppeteers will perform two puppet shows: The Nanny Goat's Rap and The Monkey and the Crocodile. For events requiring free tickets, tickets will be available at the branch 30 minutes before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person. For drop-in events, admission will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Tuesday, August 7 at the Wolfe Island Branch at 2 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Wednesday, August 8 at Max Jackson Park located at 15 Oak Street at 10:30 AM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Wednesday, August 8 at the Rideau Heights Branch at 2:30 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Thursday, August 9 at the Calvin Park Branch at 10 AM and 2 PM. For all ages. Free tickets required.

Friday, August 10 at Isabel Turner Branch at 2 PM. For all ages. Free tickets required.

### **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. Please bring your free TD Summer Reading Club booklet to track your reading. Kids can sign up for the entire week or for individual days.

#### **Calvin Park Branch**

August 13 to August 16 at 1:30 PM. You must register for the program.

#### **Rideau Heights Branch**

August 20 to August 23 at 1:30 PM. You must register for the program.

### **Live at the Library**

The Live at the library lineup is supported by the Friends of the Library. For free ticket events, tickets will be available at the branch 30 minutes before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.



### **Peter Persona's Precarious Picnic**

Peter's comedic style combines ventriloquism, costume changes and witty songs to create a fun-filled show that the entire family will enjoy. Remember to stay for the meet-and-greet after the show!

Monday, July 9, at 10:30 AM at the Rideau Heights Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

Monday, July 9, at 2 PM at the Sydenham Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Randy the Magicman**

Join Randy as he teaches you the tips and tricks of amazing magic. Just one lesson and you'll take home three amazing skills that will turn anyone into a great magician!

Wednesday, July 11 at 1:30 PM and 2:30 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 6 and up. You must register for this program.

### **Marianne Trenka**

Marianne Trenka is a circus artist and character performer who entertains both locally and internationally. The show will include acrobatics, the incredible use of hula hoops and plenty of audience participation.

Wednesday, July 18 at 1 PM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. Free tickets are required.

### **Magician Chris Pilsworth**

During this fast-paced magic production, the audience will "ooh" and "aah" at the incredible mysteries presented. They will also have many laughs during the comedy portions of the performance. The show finished with a spectacular illusion that is simply amazing to see!

Tuesday, July 24 at 10:30 AM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. Free tickets are required.

Tuesday, July 24 at 2 PM at the Sydenham Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Long and McQuade Musical Petting Zoo**

Instead of goats and rabbits, the Long and McQuade Instrument Petting Zoo includes horns, trumpets, drums and guitars. This is a fully interactive, hands-on program, with professional supervision, for kids who are aspiring musicians! No experience necessary.

Wednesday, July 25 at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 6 and up. You must register for this program.

### **Hands-On Exotics**

Get a close-up and intimate interaction with a variety of exotic animals. For children 6 and up. Tickets are required and are valid for only one show.

Friday, July 27 at 1 and 2:30 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 6 and up. Free tickets are required.

### **Tread On It! With Jeff Mann**

Printing T-shirts with car parts – from automatic transmissions to tires. Using unwanted house paint, recycled T-shirts and car parts rescued from the junkyard, Jeff Mann brings Tread On It! to town and provides an active, hands-on, creative environment to explore block printing, stenciling and rolling with giant car-part rolling pins.

There's no sitting still for this activity. Make sure to wear clothing suitable for this activity and to bring your own articles of clothing (socks, T-shirts, etc.) to print on.

Monday, August 13, at 11 AM at the Rideau Heights Branch. For ages 8 to 12. You must register for this program.

Monday, August 13, at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 8 to 12. You must register for this program.

### **Paper Bag Princess The Musical**

To Be Determined Theatre Company performs one of the most renowned children's stories! Action-packed and filled with live music, singing, audience interaction, and adventure, this fun adaptation is recommended for children ages 3 and up.

Wednesday, August 15 at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 3 and up. Free tickets are required.

### **Celtic Rathskallions**

Engaging and delightful, shows by the Celtic Rathskallions are entertaining as well as informative. The group will entertain you with familiar favourites like I's the B'y, The Unicorn Song, The Rattlin' Bog and many more. Before you know it you will be clapping, singing and even step dancing along with them.

Thursday, August 16, at 11 AM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. Free tickets are required.

### **Summer Reading Club Wrap-Up Carnival**

Join us in the Lions Civic Gardens (behind the Isabel Turner branch) for the TD Summer Reading Club Wrap-Up Carnival! We're celebrating your passion for reading with a musical concert featuring family folk artist Andrew Queen and the Campfire Crew, along with face painting and more! Bring along your TD SRC notebook and receive a free ribbon wand (while supplies last)!

Friday, August 24, at 10:30 AM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Summer Reading Club Wrap-Up Party with Andrew Queen**

Join us for the TD Summer Reading Club wrap-up party! We're celebrating your passion for reading with a musical concert. Andrew Queen and the Campfire Crew are a family folk band that sing their hearts out and craft interactive musical storytelling performances that kindle the magic and memories of summer camp.

Friday, August 24, at 2 PM at the Calvin Park Branch. For all ages. Free tickets are required.

## **Summer Reading for Everyone!**

### **TD Summer Reading Club**

Don't forget to join the TD Summer Reading Club. Running from June 23 to September 1. Registration is now open! Register and pick up your reading notebook, web access code and stickers.

### **TD Summer Reading Club: Share Your Passion, Share Your Stories**

Kids ages 8 to 12 are encouraged to bring their reading notebooks and update us on their progress! Share current reads and hear recommendations from fellow book enthusiasts and staff. Enjoy snacks, activities,

trivia, prizes and more. Although this check-in is not mandatory, it is a wonderful way to motivate and encourage young readers.

Tuesday, July 10, at 10:30 AM at the Calvin Park Branch. For ages 8 to 12. This is a drop in program.

Tuesday, August 21, at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For ages 8 to 12. This is a drop in program.

### **Summer Reading Challenge for Teens, New Adults, and Adults**

Every week from July 2 to August 26, a series of themed challenges across three skill levels will encourage participants to read, write, and explore their community in new ways! By completing these challenges and sharing their experiences, participants will earn ballot entries for up to \$500 in weekly and cumulative prizes, in recognition of their hard work! Sign up now at [read.kfpl.ca](http://read.kfpl.ca)!

## **Teen Events**

### **Coder Dojo**

Learn the languages of the future and develop your coding skills by developing web pages, apps and games in a fun and mentoring club environment.

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM running from July 3 to August 7. For ages 10 to 18. You must register for this program.

### **Get the Lead Out: Monthly Manga, Comics and Writers' Workshop**

New mini-projects each month will help you hone your writing and drawing skills. Bring your own projects and materials, and work creatively in an encouraging, open studio environment.

Thursday, July 5, at 6 PM at the Calvin Park Branch. For teens. This is a drop in program.

Thursday, August 9, at 6 PM at the Calvin Park Branch. For teens. This is a drop in program.

## **Adult Events**

### **Books and Beers**

Every month we will gather to enjoy a refreshing beverage and discuss books and other media in relation to a monthly theme, but feel free to come gab about anything that has got you excited!

Wednesday, July 25, at 6 PM at The Grad Club. For adults. This is a drop in program.

Wednesday, August 29, at 6 PM at The Grad Club. For adults. This is a drop in program.

### **Technology Drop-In Session**

Bring your laptop, tablet, e-reader, etc., and all of your questions to the Community Room at Isabel Turner!

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Tuesdays from 6 to 8 PM running from July 3 to August 28. For adults. This is a drop in program.

## **Outreach Events**

### **StoryWalk at Lake Ontario Park**

Enjoy the picture book I Am Canada while exploring Lake Ontario Park. Pages from the picture book will be displayed along the accessible trail so you can read as you walk. In case of rain; temperatures (or the humidex) surpassing 36 degrees Celsius or if an air quality advisory has been issued, the program will be rescheduled to Friday, July 20.

Friday, July 13, from 10 AM to 12 PM at Lake Ontario Park. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Sydenham Lakes and Trails Festival**

This exciting event features cycling, canoeing, a community lunch, and more. Kingston Frontenac Public Library's giant lawn games – chess, snakes and ladders, jenga and more – will round out the day's activities. Enjoy a street concert on Mill Street until 4 PM following the event in the park.

Saturday, July 14, from 9:30 AM to 1 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Frontenac Farmers' Market**

Meet us at the Frontenac Farmers' Market for a puppet show at 11 AM and to chat with staff about programs and services offered by the library.

Saturday, July 21, from 11 AM to 12 PM, at Princes Charles Public School, located at 6875 Highway 28 in Verona. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **StoryWalk at Bon Echo Art Exhibition and Sale**

Meet us at the park! The Bon Echo Provincial Park annual Art Exhibition and Sale takes place July 28 to 30 at the park. Join us for a StoryWalk on Saturday afternoon and chat with staff about programs and services offered by the library, including the Go Explore #InFrontenac backpacks.

Saturday, July 28, from 12 to 2:30 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **KFPL at the Princess Street Promenade**

Kingston Frontenac Public Library is joining a host of downtown merchants and community groups at the 2018 Princess Street Promenade. Be sure to drop by our booth to engage in some hands-on activities and to learn about our library services and coming events!

Saturday, August 4, from 10 AM to 5 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **KFPL and Memorial Centre Night Market**

The Night Market is a celebration of local food and agriculture sponsored by the Memorial Centre Farmers' Market and Loving Spoonful. There will be live music and many vendors including our KFPL mobile library tent with giant lawn games for the whole family to enjoy!

Thursday, August 23, from 6 to 8:30 PM. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

## **Holiday Hours**

All branches of the Kingston Frontenac Public Library will be closed on Monday, July 2 for Canada Day and Monday, August 6 for the Civic Holiday.