



# Kingston Frontenac Public Library June 2019 Special Events

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## For All Ages

### Film français Belle et Sébastien

En pleine Deuxième Guerre mondiale, dans les Alpes françaises, les habitants d’un petit village vivent dans la crainte des soldats allemands. Sébastien, qui vit dans la montagne avec Angéline et qui passe ses journées à se promener avec César, se lie d’amitié avec un énorme chien blanc, qu’il nomme Belle, et qui terrorise les éleveurs de moutons des environs. Alors que les Allemands tentent de découvrir qui aide des Juifs à passer clandestinement en Suisse, les villageois, Sébastien, Belle, Angéline et le Docteur Guillaume joignent leurs efforts afin de confronter les Nazis.

Vendredi, le 7 juin, 14h00 – 16h00, Calvin Park. Gratuit et pour tous les âges!

### MyKFPL: Public Photo Shoot

Come out to the library for a photo shoot, and tell us why you love your public library! Photos and quotes will be included in future KFPL promotional materials.

Saturday, June 8, from 2 – 3 PM at the Pittsburgh Branch. For all ages. You must register for this program.

## Children’s Events

### Toddler Tinker Time: Loose Parts Play

Let’s build imagination, expand creativity and get curious with loose parts play! In this exploratory program, families are encouraged to work with a variety of materials to co-create new learning experiences!

### Calvin Park Branch

Monday, June 3, at 10:30 AM. For children ages 18 months – 3 years. You must register for this program.

### **Central Branch**

Monday, June 17, at 10:30 AM. For children ages 18 months – 3 years. You must register for this 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.

### **Dunham Park**

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM running from June 4 to August 27. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **McCallum Park**

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM running from June 5 to August 28. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **City Park**

Thursdays at 10:30 AM running from June 6 to August 29. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Rainbow Storytime!**

Come get ready for Kingston Pride and celebrate families of all kinds with a variety of LGBTQ+ stories and inclusive fun! Everyone is welcome! This event will include free rainbow face-painting for children.

Saturday, June 8, at 10:30 AM at the Central Branch. For all ages. You must register for this program.

### **TD Summer Reading Club 2019**

Registration for the Summer Reading Club opens on Saturday, June 15. Register and pick up your reading notebook, web access code and stickers.

### **Live at the Library: Thousand Islands Playhouse Young Company**

Celebrate the launch of the TD Summer Reading Club with a performance by the Young Company!

Saturday, June 15, at 10 AM at the Isabel Turner Branch. Recommended for ages 5 and up. Free tickets required. Tickets will be available at the branch half an hour before show time. Limit of 6 tickets per person.

### **Teen Events**

#### **Pride Clothing Workshop for Teens!**

Drop in and design, paint, and stencil fabulous headbands, sashes, and buttons for Kingston Pride! Want to go big? Bring your own T-shirt and make use of our materials. This will be a safe and inclusive space where all are welcome – bring your friends!

Thursday, June 13, at 6:30 PM at the Central Branch. For teens. This is a drop in program.

## **Adult Events**

### **Struggle Without Rest: Traveling Exhibit**

The “Struggle Without Rest: The Spanish Fly in Canada” exhibition commemorates the centennial of the Spanish flu pandemic. The panels in this exhibition provide a rare glimpse at some of the compelling local stories that illustrate this “defining moment” in Canadian history.

#### **Central Branch**

Monday to Thursday from 5 – 9 PM. Saturdays from 9 AM to 5 PM. Running from June 1 to June 29. For all ages. This is a drop in program. No exhibit on Saturday, June 8 and Thursday, June 13.

### **Struggle Without Rest: Remembering the “Forgotten Pandemic” of 1918-19**

Join Neil Orford of Defining Moments Canada for a deeper exploration of the history explored in the Struggle Without Rest exhibit.

Tuesday, June 25, at 7 PM at the Central Branch. For adults. Registration opens on June 15.

### **Genealogy Drop-Ins**

Drop in to the Central Branch any Tuesday evening to work on your family tree, explore research sources and share strategies with others. Our local history librarian and members of the Kingston Branch on Ontario Ancestors (formerly the Ontario Genealogical Society) will be on hand to answer questions and offer assistance. Bring your laptop or tablet and learn about your ancestors!

#### **Central Branch**

Tuesdays, from 6:30 – 8:30 PM running from May 7 to June 11. For adults. This is a drop in program.

### **KFPL Live: Writing About Lady Franklin**

Erika Behrisch Elce talks about her two books on Jane, Lady Franklin, whose husband Sir John led the Franklin Expedition lost in the Arctic in 1845.

Saturday, June 8, at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For adults and teens. You must register for this program.

### **Books and Beans: Pride Edition**

Teens, new adults, and adults are invited to join us for a special Pride Week edition of our caffeinated book discussion mixer, “Books and Beans.” Join us for coffee, tea, and a friendly discussion about great LGBTQ+ literature, movies, and more!

Monday, June 10, from 6 - 8 PM at the Central Branch. For adults and teens. This is a drop in program.

### **Dear Baba: A Daughter’s Story Through Letters**

Listen to author Maryam Rafiee discuss her attempts to communicate with her father during his imprisonment in Iran. In her book, Dear Baba, Maryam shows through letters and recording what she wishes she could tell her father, and how to strengthen hope and bonds in the face of oppression.

Saturday, June 22, at 2 PM at the Central Branch. For adults and teens. This is a drop in program.

### **KFPL Live: Fraud Awareness**

Every week we hear about a new form of fraud, usually spread by phone or email: ransomware, extortion, phony Canada Revenue Agency or bank calls, and more. Tom Cheel from the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre outlines the most common types of fraud and how to protect yourself. This presentation will be of particular use to seniors.

Wednesday, June 26, at 2 PM at the Isabel Turner Branch. For adults. Registration opens on June 15.

Thursday, June 27, at 2 PM at the Sydenham Branch. For adults. Registration opens on June 15.

### **Aric McBay: Building Movements and Fighting to Win**

Join local author and activist Aric McBay, who will discuss the elements of successful resistance movements and how to sustain the momentum of future movements.

Saturday, June 29, at 2 PM at the Central Branch. For adults and teens. You must register for this program.

### **Sewing Programs**

#### **Create Your Own Tote Bag**

Bring your own fabric and thread, and Open Studios' Mandi Coulter will walk you through the steps of creating your very own tote bag. Basic sewing skills are required.

Tuesday, June 11, at 11 AM at the Central Branch. For adults and teens. You must register for this program.

Tuesday, June 25, at 1 PM at the Central Branch. For adults and teens. You must register for this program.

#### **How to Use a Sewing Machine**

Mandi Coulter from Open Studios will be sharing her sewing expertise in this hands-on workshop. Learn how to use either one of KFPL's sewing machines or bring your own.

Tuesday, June 18, at 1 PM at the Central Branch. For adults. Registration for this program opens on June 8.

### **Outreach Events**

#### **Party in the Park**

Offering two storytimes, at 11:30 and 1:30, for children and families at Cataraqui Woods Elementary School.

Saturday, June 1, from 11 AM to 3 PM at Cataraqui Woods Elementary School located at 1255 Birchwood Drive. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

#### **Community Fair and Pride Parade**

Visit KFPL's information booth to learn about library services and LGBTQ+ resources at Kingston Prides premier event!

Saturday, June 15, from 10 AM to 6 PM at Confederation Basin located at 6 Clarence Street. For adults. This is a drop in program.

### **Kingston National Indigenous Peoples Day**

Join KFPL at Kingston National Indigenous Peoples Day to celebrate culture and learn about Indigenous library resources.

Friday, June 21, from 12 to 4 PM at Confederation Park. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Skeleton Park Arts Festival**

Come visit the library's booth at the Skeleton Park Arts Festival. The Skeleton Park Arts Festival is a free, grassroots, multi-disciplinary art experience.

Saturday, June 22, from 1 AM to 5 PM at McBurney Park. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **Puppet Show at the Market**

Drop by our booth at the Sharbot Lake Farmers' Market. Children can enjoy a puppet show at 11 AM.

Saturday, June 22, from 10 AM to 1 PM at the Sharbot Lake Farmers' Market. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

### **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 9 years old, you must remain in the library while he or she attends our program.

If your child is 10 years or older, they may visit the library independently. Youth ages 12 or older and may act as a caregiver for younger siblings.

For Free Ticket events, tickets will be available at the branch half an 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](#).