

# **Kingston Frontenac Public Library October 2016 Special Events**

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Registration for early winter storytimes begins on Saturday, October 29 at 9 AM. Visit on online at <u>www.kfpl.ca/programs-and-events</u> or call 613-549-8888 for locations, dates and times. Pick up our P.A. Day flyer for details on events for the whole school year.

#### **Culture Days: Chinese Folk Dancing**

Enjoy several traditional Chinese dances, performed by folk dancers from the Chinese Cultural Association Kingston and District.

Saturday, October 1 at 2 p.m. at the Isabel Turner Branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

#### Teen Drop-In

Come out for tons of fun activities such as button-making, duct tape art, PS4, LEGO and board games. Snacks provided.

#### **Calvin Park Branch**

Mondays at 3 PM running from October 3 to October 31. No program on October 10. For teens. This is a drop in program.

#### **Claymation at the Central Branch**

Make animated Claymation movies! Over three weeks, design and create sets and clay figures, develop storyboards and film movies. Filming will be done in small groups of 2 or 3, with one iPad per group. Bring your story ideas and we will provide the rest! Registration opens on Saturday, September 3.

#### Central Branch – Session 2

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM running from October 4 to October 18. For ages 8 to 13.

#### **LEGO My Library**

Come build and explore with our LEGO and DUPLO. All materials provided.

#### **Isabel Turner Branch**

Wednesdays at 6 PM running from October 5 to October 19. For ages 2 and up. This is a drop in program.

#### **Financial Planning for Students and New Adults**

Join Taylor Farrell and Lily Zhu from the Investors Group for a discussion on financial planning for students and new adults, including budgeting, student loans, part-time employment and more.

Tuesday, October 11 at 7 PM at the Calvin Park branch. For teens and adults. This is a drop in program.

#### Genealogy at KFPL: Ancestry Library Edition and More

Learn how to access Ancestry Library Edition, and other online tools, to build your family tree. Jo Stanbridge (KFPL's Local History and Genealogy Librarian) will give a slideshow and talk, along with handy tips for using the computer to enhance your genealogy research.

Thursday, October 13 from 6 PM to 8 PM at the Parham branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

#### Family Storytime Celebrating Indigenous Children's Stories

Join the Kingston Indigenous Language Nest for a special program launching our new Indigenous language collection. Enjoy games, songs, stories and a puppet show.

Saturday, October 22 at 10:30 AM at the Isabel Turner branch. For all ages. This is a drop in program.

#### **Career InSight: Speed Mentoring for Local Youth**

A group mentoring event facilitated by the InSight Youth Mentoring Program and the Kingston Frontenac Public Library. Local youth are invited to meet and converse with representatives from various fields. Workshops will provide additional insight into current job prospects and how to begin training for your dream job.

Wednesday, October 26 at 3:30 PM at the Isabel Turner branch. For teens. This is a drop in program.

#### **Book Club with a Difference**

Join us for a relaxed conversation as we share thoughts about the books we are reading or have recently enjoyed.

Thursday, October 13 at 12 PM at the Storrington Branch. For adults.

Monday, October 31 at 7 PM for Books and Beans at Coffeeco Kingston Centre. For adults.

#### Women's Coding Workshops

Learn to code by developing projects in a mentored and guided environment. These workshops are targeting women, but all genders are welcome. No prior experience required.

Saturday, October 22 from 12 PM to 4 PM at the Central branch. For adults. You must register for this program.

#### In the Community

#### Kingston VegFest Saturday, October 22 from 11 AM to 5 PM at St. Lawrence College. For all ages. This is a drop in event.

#### Baby, Bump and Beyond Kingston

Saturday, October 22 from 9 AM to 4 PM at the Tett Centre. For all ages. This is a drop in event.

#### Helen Humphreys Presents: Poetry Showcase

Kingston Poet Laureate Helen Humphreys introduces a line-up of new local poets reading their own work. All of the poets have been mentored by Helen through her many writing workshops and one-on-one sessions through the Poet-in-Residence program at KFPL over the past year and a half.

Monday, October 24 at 7 PM at the Central branch. For teens and adults. This is a drop in program.

#### **Financial Planning for Retirement**

Join Nicolus Blunt and Anne Gillis from Kingston Community Credit Union as they present ways to maximize saving for your retirement as well as how to make the best use of your financial resources if you're already retired and finding your finances are beginning to pinch.

Thursday, October 27 at 7 PM at the Isabel Turner branch. For adults. This is a drop in program.

## Harry Potter and the Cursed Child

Join us for a group reading of scenes from Harry Potter and the Cursed Child plus a spot of Harry Potter trivia. Attendees are encouraged to submit their names to the Sorting Hat upon arrival, and we shall draw for parts based on your preferred level of participation. Between scenes we shall compete at Harry Potter trivia to see whose knowledge of the magical world runs deepest. And naturally, come in costume for a chance to win!

Thursday, October 27 at 7 PM at the Screening Room. For teens and adults. This is a drop in program.

Anne Frank A History for Today International Traveling Exhibition from Anne Frank House, Amsterdam Anne Frank's story is revealed through images and words, encouraging visitors to consider the effects of prejudice, discrimination, exclusion and violence. Open to all ages, recommended for adults and youth in grades five and up.

Presented in partnership with Anne Frank House, Amsterdam through the generous sponsorship of anonymous donors.

Running September 26 to November 26 at the Central Branch. Please visit our <u>website</u> for exhibition hours.

#### **Music for Anne**

The Kingston Jewish Community Choir, Dolce Trio and pianist Clare Gordon will perform a selection of classical and Hebrew pieces in a musical evening of remembrance.

Thursday, October 20 at 7:30 PM at the Central branch. 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 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 in 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 <u>website</u>.

# **Holiday Information**

All branches of the Kingston Frontenac Public Library will be closed on Monday, October 10 for Thanksgiving.