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STIRLING-RAWDON PUBLIC LIBRARY'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



Library Update

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate a young patron of ours who has been using our library most of her life!

Each year the Stirling-Rawdon Public Library takes part in the Grade 8 Graduation at the Stirling Public School by presenting the Stirling Library Bursary Award. This award is given to one Grade 8 student, chosen by school staff, who has demonstrated an interest in reading ability by showing a strong work ethic. We were honored to know this year's deserving recipient very well and couldn't have been more thrilled to recognize Sophie Rawluk through this award. Congratulations to Sophie and all the Grade 8 graduates as your elementary school years come to a close and you start a new chapter in high school!

Now that school is out, we look forward to all the kid's programming that is planned for the summer and the noise, laughter, mess and glitter that comes with it!

HOURS:

- Sunday, Monday CLOSED
- Tuesday - Thursday 10-7
- Friday, Saturday 10-3

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Upcoming Programs & Events

PLEASE NOTE
THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED
ON FRIDAY, JULY 1ST FOR
CANADA DAY

TD Summer Reading Club

Free, fun reading-related activities for children all summer long! Register so you can track your summer reading and access free e-books and online activities.

Amiibo Take & Make Kit
Available July 5th



Musical Instrument Petting Zoo

July 9th 11-1:30pm

Get hands on and personal with a violin, a guitar, a mandolin or ukelele; there will be drums, shakers and tambourines...and a whole lot more! Children of all ages will have the opportunity to see, touch, play and hear some of the instruments that the Stirling M.I.L.L has to offer.

Paper Airplane Launcher Take & Make Kit

Available July 15th



Library Arcade

Saturday, July 23rd 11-1pm

For one day only the library will be an arcade! Play arcade games like Pac-Man, check out the virtual Pinball station and play Nintendo Switch games like Mario Kart and Super Smash Go!

Library Artists

Tuesdays 2-4pm

Express your artistic creativity every Tuesday throughout the summer! We will be learning about a famous artist or art style and then will create a work of art in that style.

Fair Crafts

Wednesdays 11-1pm

Want to enter a craft into the Stirling Fair? Not sure what to make or how to enter? Drop into the library every Wednesday until August 10th when we will be making junior homecraft projects to enter into the Stirling Fair! Continue to drop in on Wednesday mornings to make crafts until August 31st

STEAM Challenges

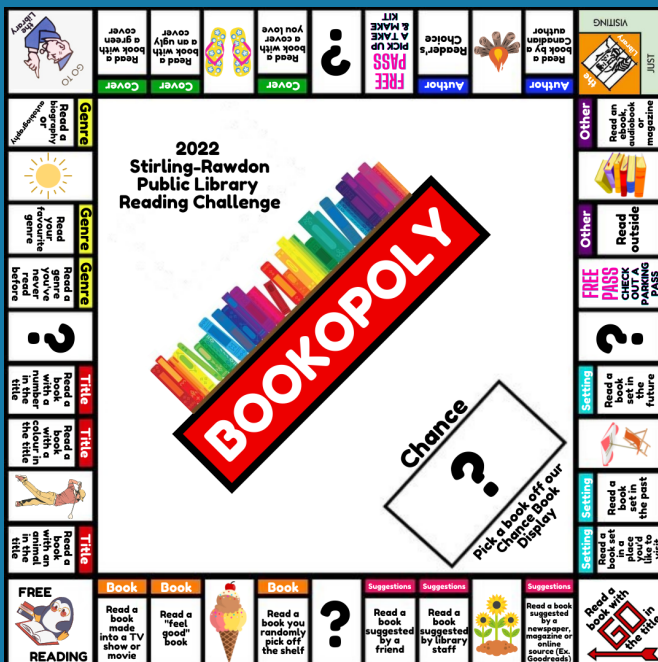
Thursdays

Drop into the library on Thursdays for fun, hands-on activities that explore STEAM concepts and spark wonder, creativity and discovery.

Neverending Storytime

Month of July

Help us create a story, one word at a time! In the children's department



Bookopoly

2022 Summer Reading Challenge

For Kids and Adults! Are you up for a bookish challenge? If so, get ready for a summer-long game of Bookopoly!

Pick up a game board at the library and read your way around the board to complete challenges and win prizes.

Art Gallery Show

July & August

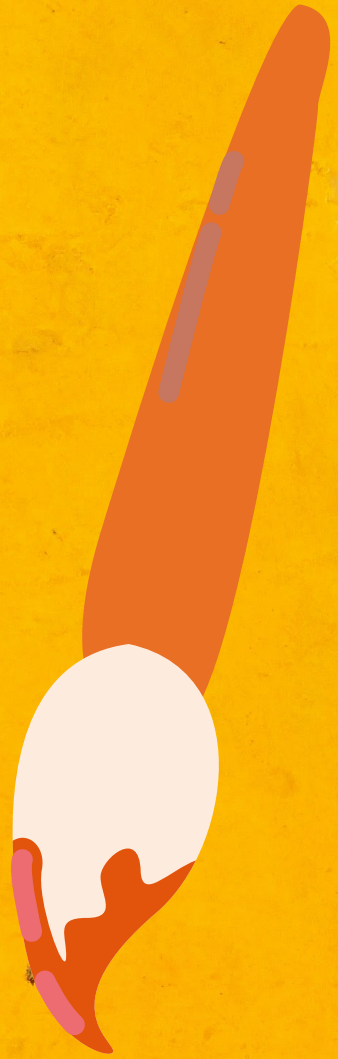
'The Group of Eleven'

Please stop by the Gallery over the summer months to enjoy the artwork of Stirling's 'The Group of Eleven'. The group meets Tuesday mornings in Stirling at the Train Station to share their love of painting and drawing. They work in many media including watercolours, pen and ink, pastels, acrylics and mixed media. New members are always welcome.

For further info. call 613-395-2344.

Members

Liz Coxwell, Ardith Irvine, Marilyn Kelley, Barb McLean, Arlene Pollick, Jill Purcell, Nancy Sherk, Connie Squires, Maureen Zahorbynsky, Gail Spry, Fern Tucker.

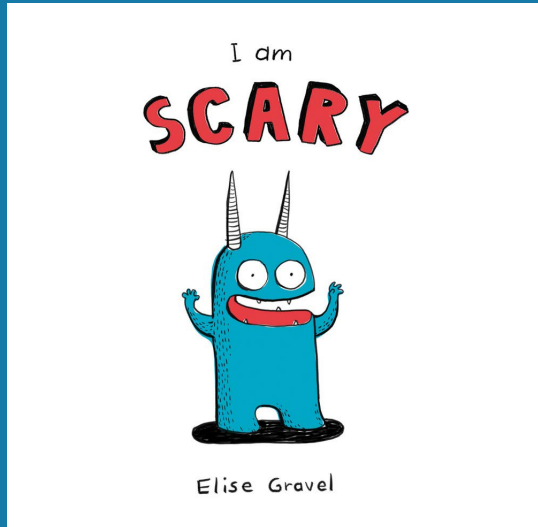


We're Looking For Art Gallery Volunteers!

We are seeking a few individuals who have a passion for visual arts to volunteer with our Art Gallery. If you are interested in assisting us by seeking potential local artists to feature, helping with show changeovers and organizing opening receptions, please contact us!



STORYWALK



July 14th to Labour Day

Come check out our Storywalk this summer! We have received this Storywalk thanks to the TD Summer Reading Club. It features the story "I am Scary" by Elise Gravel. In this sweet little book, a monster tries to scare a young child. But the child insists the monster is not scary but actually quite huggable. Elise Gravel is an award winning author and illustrator well known for her odd critters and unusual drawing style.

Alzheimer Society

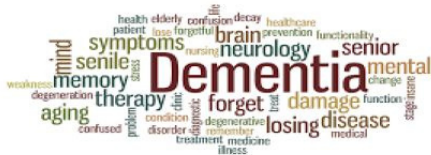
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Brain Health
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Dementia & Brain Health Summer Library Learning Series

Stirling - Rawdon Library

Select Fridays – 10:30a.m.

This 4-part learning Series will include 1-hour presentations on:

1. **What is Dementia?/Alzheimer Society Resources & Staff** (Friday, July 8)
2. **Dementia Friendly Communities**(Friday, July 15)
3. **Finding Your Way** (Friday, August 5)
4. **Brain Health & Ways to Lower Risk of Dementia** (Friday, August 12)

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