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LIBRARY HOURS:

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

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Library Update

Hi everyone!

I'm Chloe and I'm excited to join the library team as the new Student Assistant. I will be here a few times a week helping out with children's programs, keeping the department organized, and welcoming all of you.

When I'm not in the library, you'll either find me sewing, baking, or cuddled up with a good book, and my dogs. I can't wait to meet each and every one of you, hear about your favourite reads, and help you explore all we have to offer. Be sure to step into the Children's Department to say "hi" the next time you visit!



MILL HOURS

Tuesdays: 3-6:30
Saturdays: 10-2:30

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ADULT PROGRAMS



Stirling MILL Ukulele Group (SMUG) Fridays at 10am

Join us weekly to play and sing together. Bring your own ukulele or just come and sing along! Ukuleles will also be available to play. No experience necessary. No registration required.

Yacking with Yarn Friday, Sept. 12th & 26th at 1pm

Drop in and join us to share about knitting, crocheting, embroidery, cross stitch or any fibre art that can travel. Whether you're a beginner or have advanced skills in the fibre arts, you're welcome to join us. No registration required.



Fuse Beads for Grown Ups Tuesday, Sept. 9th at 6pm

Remember those colorful little beads from childhood? They're back, only this time, with a grown-up twist! Join us for a relaxing evening of creativity as we design and craft with fuse beads (also known as Perler beads). No artistic experience is needed, just bring your imagination! All supplies are provided. Register online!



Creative Curiosity Club Wednesdays at 1pm

This is a space to make art simply for the joy of it, no rules, no pressure, and no experience needed. Each week we'll explore a new prompt, material, or technique, but the focus is on play, curiosity, and self-expression rather than perfection. All supplies are provided, just bring yourself and an open mind. No registration required.



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Bees Tues. Sept. 16th at 6pm

Bonnie & Kris of KR-Bee Honey & Beeswax Candles of Stirling, will be doing a presentation on Bees and Beekeeping. Discover the fascinating world of bees and the vital role they play in our environment. No registration required.

Library Book Club Tues. Sept. 16th at 2pm

Love talking about books but don't always want to read the same thing as everyone else? In this club, you pick your own book based on our monthly theme. At our meeting, we'll share what we read. It's all about connecting over stories, without the pressure of one set reading list. No registration required, new members always welcome.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



STORYTIME

Thursdays at 10:30am

Bring your little ones for a lively and engaging storytime session featuring books, songs, and interactive activities. Perfect for toddlers and preschoolers, Storytime encourages a love of reading, sparks imagination, and supports early learning — all in a warm and welcoming space. Recommended for ages 4 and under and their caregiver. No registration required.



DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Thursdays at 4:30pm

Adventure awaits! Join our all-ages, drop-in Dungeons & Dragons game, no experience necessary. Whether you're a seasoned hero or brand new to roleplaying, everyone is welcome at the table. Create characters, explore fantastical worlds, and work together to overcome challenges in this fun and beginner-friendly session. Dice, character sheets, and guidance provided. Just bring your imagination! No registration required.



After School Hangout Wednesdays at 4pm

Join us for a different activity after school each week! No registration required. Recommended for ages 5+

September 10th

Express your creativity by making a mosaic out of colourful corn kernels!

September 17th

Learn a new art technique called pointillism to create something artistic and unique!

September 24th

Who has what it takes to build the best spinning top out of Lego? We'll build and battle it out to determine the winner!

Take & Make Kit: Secret Message Flowers

Available Saturday, September 13th

Drop into the children's department to pick up a kit containing the supplies needed to create secret message flowers. All you need to provide are scissors and markers! While supplies last.

IN THE ART GALLERY & DISPLAY CASE SEPT-OCT



The Trenton Art Group has been active for over 30 years. Its members are dedicated to supporting the Trenton Hospital by donating 20% of their sales to the hospital. Their artwork is displayed at the hospital, showcasing their commitment. During the pandemic, they increased their donation to 50% of sales. Over the years, the group has participated in numerous exhibitions at local venues. Please stop in to see the beautiful pieces created by Arlene, Fern, Connie and Marguerite; four members of the Trenton Art Group!

Bill Pollick is a retired teacher who taught woodworking at Quebec High School for many years. His work has been on display in juried shows, such as Christmas in Pres'quile. Bill is a member of the Quinte Woodturners Guild, where new ideas and techniques are shared with talented turners. He spends many hours in his woodworking shop at his home in Stirling that he shares with his wife Arlene.

Bill is an active member of the Stirling and District Lions Club, volunteering many hours helping in various fund raising activities. He is the recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellowship, the highest honour a Lion can receive. Please enjoy his woodworking pieces located in the lobby display cabinet through September and October.

VON Fall Prevention for Seniors

Join us a FREE 12-week in-person group education and exercise program for seniors, hosted by VON. This workshop focuses on improving strength, balance, endurance, and overall health. Learn to minimize the risks of falls by making easy changes. For older adults who live in Stirling-Rawdon. Registration required.

For more information or to register call 833-355-6668 Ext. 105



Aging and the Sense Tuesday, September 2nd at 1pm

Join us on Tuesday, September 2nd at 1pm for "Aging and the Sense," presented by the Alzheimer's Society, which will highlight the changes that occur with aging, reflecting on what a person may experience physically as they age, and identifying issues related to activities of daily living. No registration required. Everyone welcome.



Good Food Bags & Good Baby Box

If paying in cash at the library, Good Food Bag and Good Baby Box orders need to be in by Wednesday, September 17th at 11:30am to receive your order on Tuesday, September 23rd.

Order and pay online by visiting:
<https://cdcquinte.com/pages/shop>

