



Saturday, November 1, 2025

Butterfly Bereavement Project

Date and Time: Saturday, November 1 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Drop in to create a butterfly for Butterfly Bereavement Project at the library. Bethell Hospice will be here to guide a workshop, while facilitating meaningful dialogue about the grief experience and memorializing the person who has died. All are welcome, children are encouraged to participate as well.

The Butterfly Bereavement Project is an annual initiative that aims to educate the community on grief and bereavement services, directly support bereaved individuals, and increase awareness about National Grief & Bereavement Day (November 18) and National Children's Grief Awareness Day (November 20).

Bethell Hospice, in partnership with the Headwaters Health Care Centre, Hills of Headwaters Collaborative, Town of Caledon, Town of Orangeville, and Orangeville Public Library will be hosting an art exhibit, where commemorative butterflies will be displayed in honour of loved ones. Butterflies represent hope and symbolize transformation, and each butterfly in the exhibit represents a loved one. Orangeville's art installation will be at the Mill library.

Hispanic Latin American Heritage Month Movie

Date and Time: Saturday, November 1 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Celebrate Hispanic Latin American Heritage Month with a movie screening of *Nunca es tarde / It's Never Too Late* (El Salvador).

This romantic comedy tells the story of Ale (played by Cristina Meléndez) and Diego (Henry Urbina). The two grew up as neighbors and forged a friendship during their childhood, which blossomed into unrequited love in their teens. However, life separates them when Diego goes to study in Spain.

Twenty years later, Diego returns to El Salvador with a family secret that has kept him at arm's length. Ale, who is in the midst of preparing for her best friend's wedding, unexpectedly reunites with him. The film explores the themes of love, friendship, and the importance of family, as the protagonists confront their emotions and the traditions that surround them.

The film is in Spanish with English subtitles.

This movie is not suggested for young children and parental discretion is advised.

Please register in advance to attend this program by emailing libraryprograms@orangeville.ca.

Presented in partnership with the Hispanic Canadian Heritage Council (HCHC) and LATAFF - the Toronto Latin American Film Festival.

Monday, November 3, 2025

Adventures in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, November 3 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt St.

Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin for songs, stories and a craft in the park.

Meet at Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt Street, at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, November 4, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 4 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Alder Street Library, 275 Alder Street

Take part in this interactive program that has something for everyone. Sing songs, listen to stories and rhymes, and play games that encourage literacy and learning.

Talking, singing, reading and playing are the key skills and fun ways to help your child get ready to read. Developing early literacy skills makes it easier for children to learn to read once they begin school, and helps to foster a lifelong love of reading and learning. No registration is required.

Recommended for age 5 and under. This is a drop-in program.

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Thursdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Mill Library.

Wednesday, November 5, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 5 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Give your child a jumpstart to a love of reading by engaging in fun, interactive activities with your baby. This is a drop-in program for newborns to 18 months.

There will be time to socialize with other new parents after the program.

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This program is also offered at 10:30 a.m on Fridays at the Alder Street library.

Thursday, November 6, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Thursday, November 6 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Alder Library.

Expert in the Library - Honouring our Heroes

Date and Time: Thursday, November 6 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill

In honour of Remembrance Day, Lieutenant Colonel Ron Alkema will share the history and stories of the soldiers whose names are inscribed on the Dufferin County Memorial to the fallen of the Great War in Alexandra Park.

Please [register](#) to reserve your spot.

Friday, November 7, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Friday, November 7 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Identification Clinic

Date and Time: Friday, November 7 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Do you need to replace or obtain legal Canadian identification? The Dufferin County Law Association in partnership with the Library is hosting an Identification Clinic at the Mill Street location on Friday, November 7 from 4:30 to 6 p.m. This is a drop in program.

For more information contact library@dufferinlawyers.com

Assistance with obtaining:

- Social Insurance Number
- Canadian Birth Certificates
- Verification of Status or Record of Landing for clients born outside of Canada (ROL)
- Ontario Photo ID
- Canadian Marriage Certificate (MC)
- Canadian Death Certificate (CDC)

The ID Clinic doesn't assist with:

- Passport
- Driver's License
- Permanent residence card
- Citizenship Card

Sunday, November 9, 2025

Headwaters Writers Guild

Date and Time: Sunday, November 9 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Headwaters Writers Group is a local writing group that meets bi-weekly at the Mill Street Library to encourage, motivate and inspire fellow writers. New and experienced writers of any genre are always welcome (18 years or older).

For more information, please email hwg5.writers@gmail.com

Monday, November 10, 2025

Adventures in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, November 10 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt St.

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Meet at Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt Street, at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, November 11, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 11 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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After Hours Write Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 11 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

The After Hours Write Club is a writing workshop facilitated by local author Anthony Carnovale. Meet at the Mill Street Library at 7 p.m.

Please register in advance to attend this program and don't forget to pack your writing supplies and, if you're like Anthony, a good cup of coffee. If the form is unavailable to register, please email libraryprograms@orangeville.ca to have your name added to the meeting list.

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

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Thursday, November 13, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

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Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Alder Library.

Friday, November 14, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Friday, November 14 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Teen Advisory Group

Date and Time: Friday, November 14 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Alder Street Library, 275 Alder Street

Join Tanis for fun activities and to learn about volunteer opportunities at the library.

The Teen Advisory Group (TAG) provides an opportunity for local youth to share their ideas about the library's teen programs, services and collection. Members can earn high school community service volunteer hours.

Tuesday, November 18, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 18 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Orange thREADs

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 18 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Mill Street Library, 1 Mill Street

Share your passion for reading and all things fibre arts with Orange thREADs. Join this friendly group for an afternoon of conversation and connection. New members are always welcome.

Orange thREADs meet on the third Tuesday of every month.

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 19 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

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Thursday, November 20, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Thursday, November 20 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Alder Library.

Queer Village Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, November 20 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Mill Street Library, 1 Mill Street

Meet at the Mill Street Library - 6:30 p.m. social; 7:00 p.m. book discussion

It takes a village to support the village! With various community partners, Queer Village hosts events geared towards 2SLGBTQ+ people and their allies who want to meet in safe spaces where everyone is welcome. Follow @dufferincountyqueervillage on Facebook and Instagram to stay informed about upcoming events. Please note, Queer Village events are intended for adults 18+. Thank you for your understanding.

The book club is currently full. Please add your name to the [waitlist](#) to be notified should a spot become available.

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Friday, November 21, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Friday, November 21 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Sunday, November 23, 2025

Headwaters Writers Guild

Date and Time: Sunday, November 23 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

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For more information, please email hwg5.writers@gmail.com

Monday, November 24, 2025

Adventures in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, November 24 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt St.

Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin for songs, stories and a craft in the park.

Meet at Village Green Park, 53 Hewitt Street, at 10 a.m.

After School Club

Date and Time: Monday, November 24 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

A monthly After School Club for ages 7 to 12 at the Mill St. Library. Fun DIY activities, games and crafts.

This is a drop in program. Please note, guardians of children 9 and under must remain in the library for the duration of the program. Thank you for your cooperation.

Tuesday, November 25, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 25 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Thursdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Mill Library.

After Hours Write Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 25 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

The After Hours Write Club is a writing workshop facilitated by local author Anthony Carnovale. Meet at the Mill Street Library at 7 p.m.

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Wednesday, November 26, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 26 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

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Check It Out Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 26 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Jump into the world of books with the Check it Out Book Club. This club will utilize our library Book Club in a Bag kits and discussion guides to explore a wide range of genres.

The Check It Out Book Club is currently full. Please add your name to the [waiting list](#). If the form is unavailable, please email libraryprograms@orangeville.ca to express your interest in having your name added to the waitlist.

Next Chapter Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 26 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

The Next Chapter Book Club is a general interest book club that meets bi-monthly at the Mill Street Library.

The Book Club is currently full. Please add your name to the [waiting list](#). If the form is unavailable, please email libraryprograms@orangeville.ca to express your interest in having your name added to the waitlist.

Thursday, November 27, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

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Every Child Ready to Read Storytime is also offered on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. at the Alder Library.

Make a Will presentation

Date and Time: Thursday, November 27 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Do you have a will? November is Make a Will Month. It's an opportunity for members of the legal community to help educate the public about the importance of having a will and having it done by a lawyer.

Joining us is Anub Simson, a lawyer who lives and practices in Orangeville, for a presentation on wills, estate planning and powers of attorney. The program is presented in partnership with the Ontario Bar Association.

Please [register](#) in advance. Please note that this session is to provide general legal information and not legal advice specific to any individual or situation.

Friday, November 28, 2025

Every Child Ready to Read Babies

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Teen Chronicles

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Alder Street Library, 275 Alder Street

Chat about your favourite books, discover new ones and meet friends. The Teen Chronicles Book Club meets monthly at the Alder Library.

Teens can earn volunteer hours by leading one of the meetings or writing book reviews.

<https://calendar.orangevillelibrary.ca>