



## Tuesday, October 5, 2021

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### Virtual Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 5 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Orangeville Public Library YouTube

Celebrate Fire Prevention Week with a storytime all about our brave firefighters. “Knowing the different sounds your smoke and carbon monoxide alarms make can save you, your loved ones, and your home,” Chief Morden says. “Get Loud! by testing your alarms every month to learn the sound they make and to ensure the batteries work.”

Join Shannon for stories and songs on OPL's [YouTube](#) channel. Don't forget to pick up your storytime craft kit from Mill St. featuring a fire activity book.

Orangeville Fire has planned lots of fun activities for [Fire Prevention Week](#)

## Wednesday, October 6, 2021

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### Toddlers On the Go

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 6 9:30 am - 10:15 am

Address: Village Green Park, 48 Hewitt St., Orangeville

Do you have a toddler that likes to move around and explore? Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin Wednesdays in Village Green Park for a fun filled 45 minutes of interactive games, songs and stories.

[Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

Remember to bring a towel or blanket to sit on. Recommended for age 5 and under.

### Infant Time in the Park

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 6 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: 48 Hewitt St., Orangeville

Get your infant ready for dynamic learning! Join Lesley and our Friends from EarlyON for interactive stories and songs. You are welcome to participate at the Village Green Park (48 Hewitt St.)

This is a great opportunity to meet other new parents so come join in on the fun! [Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

Remember to bring a towel or blanket to sit on. Recommended for age 2 and under.

## Friday, October 8, 2021

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### Virtual Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Date and Time: Friday, October 8 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Join Tanis for a virtual Teen Advisory Group (TAG) to catch up, meet other teens and learn about upcoming volunteer opportunities.

TAG is for ages 13 to 17.

[Register](#) to receive an event link.

## Tuesday, October 12, 2021

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### Virtual Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 12 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Orangeville Public Library YouTube

Celebrate Women's History Month with Ms. Shannon as she shares the stories of inspiring women. This week's craft kit will help foster your little ones pre-writing skills with a little sensory fun!

Join Shannon for stories and songs on OPL's [YouTube](#) channel. Available to watch when it is most convenient for you.

## Wednesday, October 13, 2021

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### Toddlers On the Go

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 13 9:30 am - 10:15 am

Address: Village Green Park, 48 Hewitt St. Orangeville

Do you have a toddler that likes to move around and explore? Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin Wednesdays in Village Green Park for a fun filled 45 minutes of interactive games, songs and stories.

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## Infant Time in the Park

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 13 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Village Green Park, 48 Hewitt St. Orangeville

Get your infant ready for dynamic learning! Join Lesley and our Friends from EarlyON for interactive stories and songs at the Village Green Park (48 Hewitt St.). This is a great opportunity to meet other new parents so come join in on the fun! [Register](#) in advance to let us know you are attending.

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## Friday, October 15, 2021

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### Teen Chronicles

Date and Time: Friday, October 15 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Book Club for teens age 13 to 17. Join peers to discuss your most recent reads and get great suggestions for your next page turner. This month the group will be discussing Romance novels.

[Register](#) to receive the Microsoft Teams link.

## Monday, October 18, 2021

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### Self-Esteem and Relationships

Date and Time: Monday, October 18 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

In partnership with the Youth Educators at Family Transition Place, the library is offering a new series of four in-person workshops for youth ages 13 to 17. Registrants can sign up for one, some, or all four of the sessions.

Dates: October 18, November 1, 15 and 29.

[Registration](#) is now open on the Family Transition Place website. Covid-19 safety protocols will be in place.

### Self-Esteem and Relationships - October 18, 2021

This workshop explores the connection between an individual's self-esteem and the relationships they have in th

eir life. The characteristics that would constitute a healthy and unhealthy relationship are examined along with ways to deal with unhealthy relationships in a safe and constructive manner. Self-esteem will be studied and discussed in terms of it being a protective factor for people to use as a way of making positive and healthy choices for themselves.

## Tuesday, October 19, 2021

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### Virtual Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 19 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Orangeville Public Library YouTube

Pete the Cat is one cool cat! Put on your cool shoes and shades for this storytime with Ms. Shannon, then pick up your craft kit to make your very own Pete the Cat.

Join Shannon for stories and songs on OPL's [YouTube](#) channel.

Early literacy tip: Encourage your little one to re-tell the story "Pete the Cat: I Love my White Shoes" by Eric Litwin featured in storytime.

### Orange thREADs

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 19 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Enjoy a virtual conversation about recent reads and all things fibre arts.

This meeting will be facilitated through Microsoft Teams. [Register](#) to receive the event link.

New to Orange thREADs? We are happy to guide you through the process of logging into the virtual meeting.

## Wednesday, October 20, 2021

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### Coffee, Conversation & Books featuring Steve Anderson

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 20 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 1 Mill Street

Join Deputy Mayor of Shelburne Steve Anderson for an inspiring discussion on his debut memoir "Driven to Succeed". Steve will share how he went from "the mean streets of Jane and Finch to the privileged seats of Town Hall", and the work he is doing to inspire youth to dream big.

This is a hybrid event and will be available both in-person at the Mill Street Library for a limited number of attendees and online as a Microsoft Teams event link.

Please [register in advance to attend in-person](#) at the Mill Street Library as space is limited (select Register Online in the yellow box to the left). Please Note: proof of Vaccine will be required to attend in-person events at the library.

If you would like to join the event through the virtual option, [register to receive the event link.](#)

Coffee, Conversation & Books is presented in partnership with Grand Valley and Shelburne Public Libraries.

## **Saturday, October 23, 2021**

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### **Storytime with Carolyn J. Morris**

Date and Time: Saturday, October 23 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: 87 Broadway, Orangeville, ON L9W 1K1

Enjoy a special fall storytime with local author Carolyn J. Morris in the circle outside Town Hall. Drop by to enjoy a socially distanced outdoor event.

Check out Carolyn J. Morris' [books](#) from the library. You can also discover the StoryWalk on display in storefronts along Broadway featuring Carolyn's book "Paisley's Pumpkin". Presented in partnership with the Orangeville BIA.

Don't miss the last outdoor Farmers' Market on Saturday, October 23 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Winter Market will run every Saturday from November 6 to April 23, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., inside the Town Hall.

## **Monday, October 25, 2021**

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### **Toddlers On the Go**

Date and Time: Monday, October 25 9:30 am - 10:15 am

Address: Cedarstone Park, 54 Quarry Dr, Orangeville, ON L9W 3S6

Starting October 25, Toddlers on the Go is now offered on both Monday and Wednesday each week. The Monday program is at a new park - Cedarstone Park - located at 54 Quarry Drive.

Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin for a fun filled 45 minutes of interactive games, songs and stories.

[Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

Remember to bring a towel or blanket to sit on. Recommended for age 5 and under.

## Infant Time in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, October 25 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Cedarstone Park, 54 Quarry Dr, Orangeville, ON L9W 3S6

Starting October 25, Infant Time is offered on both Monday and Wednesday each week. The Monday program is at a new park - Cedarstone Park - located at 54 Quarry Drive.

Get your infant ready for dynamic learning! Join Lesley and our Friends from EarlyON for interactive stories and songs. This is a great opportunity to meet other new parents so come join in on the fun! [Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

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## Tween Club

Date and Time: Monday, October 25 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Calling all Harry Potter fans! Join us for Tween Club on Monday, October 25 at 4 p.m. for lots of wizard school fun. [Register](#) to receive the event link.

## Tuesday, October 26, 2021

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### Virtual Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 26 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Orangeville Public Library YouTube

It's a marvelous monster mash in this silly storytime with Ms. Shannon. This week's craft kit features shape monsters so your little one can learn their shapes while creating their own marvelous monsters.

Join Shannon for stories and songs on OPL's [YouTube](#) channel.

Early Literacy Tip: Hide a shape monster behind your back and slowly describe it to your child so they can guess what shape it is.

## Wednesday, October 27, 2021

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### Toddlers On the Go

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 27 9:30 am - 10:15 am

Address: Village Green Park, 48 Hewitt St. Orangeville

Do you have a toddler that likes to move around and explore? Join us with our friends from EarlyON Dufferin Wednesdays in Village Green Park for a fun filled 45 minutes of interactive games, songs and stories.

[Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

Remember to bring a towel or blanket to sit on. Recommended for age 5 and under.

## Infant Time in the Park

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 27 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: Village Green Park, 48 Hewitt St. Orangeville

Get your infant ready for dynamic learning! Join Lesley and our Friends from EarlyON for interactive stories and songs at the Village Green Park (48 Hewitt St.). This is a great opportunity to meet other new parents so come join in on the fun! [Register](#) in advance to let us know if you are attending.

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## Virtual Storytelling series featuring Bella Carter

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 27 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Years ago, Bella Carter was determined to create a book that would educate others on Islamic culture and help her own daughter see a reflection of herself in children's literature. *Maariyah's Day* tells the story of a little girl who is Muslim, what her day looks like, and the questions her friends ask. Celebrate Islamic History Month as Carter shares more about what inspired her writing and reads from her book.

This event will be held virtually on Microsoft Teams. Please [register](#) in advance to receive the event link.

## Saturday, October 30, 2021

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### Islamic Heritage Month Virtual Speaker Panel

Date and Time: Saturday, October 30 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Microsoft Teams

Join the Orangeville Public Library and the [Muslims of Dufferin](#) as they celebrate Islamic Heritage Month. Community members of all ages and backgrounds are invited to listen to an informative panel discussion featuring speakers from the Muslim community:

- Muslims of Dufferin Imam, Yehya Soliman
- C.D.D.H.S. Muslim Student Association President, Soha Soliman
- Author of the Clear Quran, Sheikh Dr. Mustafa Khattab

Imam Soliman and Soha Soliman served as editors and supporters of Dr. Khattab's work on *The Clear Quran Series Dictionary*: "Introducing the world's first picture dictionary of the Quran's 2,000+ entries, with the goal

of empowering the majority of Muslims (who are not Arabs) to read the Quran in its original, rich Arabic form in just 4-6 months, without having to rely on translations. Five years in the works, this dictionary highlights the connection between all words that share the same root. It's very straightforward, not indulging in redundant details or overly academic discussions that make the book irrelevant. For anyone who has always aspired to have a personal connection with the Book of Allah in Arabic, this dictionary is a dream come true."

Learn through the eyes of an author, a student president, and local Muslim leader, about the importance of the history of Islam and faith, celebrating Islamic culture, and raising awareness in local communities.

[Register](#) to receive the event link and take part in this live presentation.

<https://calendar.orangevillelibrary.ca>