



Tuesday, November 1, 2022

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 1 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Address: Alder Street library - 275 Alder StreetAlder Street library - 275 Alder Street

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Recommended for age 5 and under.

ESQ STEM Club Intermediate

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 1 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: VirtualVirtual

Join the ESQ Team for the **A-Mazing Race** virtual workshop.

X marks the spot! Participants will design and build their own treasure maze game using simple circuit components and craft materials. Your LED will light up when you find the treasure!

This virtual session presented by the University of Waterloo Engineering Science Quest (ESQ) is for children in grades 4 to 5.

Please [register](#) to receive the livestream link to participate at home. NOTE: this session requires participants to pick-up a kit of supplies ahead of time from the library to take part. Once registered, a library staff member will be in touch to coordinate pick-up.

Storytelling Series in Honour of Remembrance Day

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 1 07:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Address: Alder Library, 275 Alder Street or Live StreamAlder Library, 275 Alder Street or Live Stream

Join us as we listen to stories of service and sacrifice with members of our Canadian Armed Forces.

Please [register](#) to attend either the in-person event or to receive the Microsoft Teams link to tune in from home.

After Hours Write Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 1 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Alder Library, 275 Alder StreetAlder Library, 275 Alder Street

We've put together an exciting, exhilarating, engaging and enthralling writing workshop facilitated by local author Anthony Carnovale.

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Thursday, November 3, 2022

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

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Every Child Ready to Read with Babies

Date and Time: Thursday, November 3 01:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

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Saturday, November 5, 2022

Family Storytime

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All ages are welcome.

Monday, November 7, 2022

Adventures in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, November 7 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Address: Every Kids Park, 30 Lawrence Ave. Every Kids Park, 30 Lawrence Ave.

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

Meet in Every Kids Park at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

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ESQ STEM Club Senior

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 8 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Virtual Virtual

Join the ESQ Team for the **Bright and Eco-Friendly House** virtual workshop.

On no! Our power went out due to electrical overloads. Participants will learn how to build a night-activated circuit in order to prevent electrical overloads in a house. They will also explore how to distribute light inside a house by designing and building a model house.

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Thursday, November 10, 2022

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Friday, November 11, 2022

Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Date and Time: Friday, November 11 04:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Address: 275 Alder Street - Alder Library275 Alder Street - Alder Library

Join Tanis for fun activities and to learn about volunteer opportunities at the library. Meet at the Alder Street branch.

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

Saturday, November 12, 2022

Family Storytime

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Tuesday, November 15, 2022

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

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Orange thREADs

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 15 01:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Address: 275 Alder Street - Alder Library275 Alder Street - Alder Library

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

Orange thREADs meet on the third Tuesday of every month.

ESQ STEM Club Junior

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 15 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Virtual Virtual

Join the ESQ Team for the **Keep Breathing** virtual workshop.

Breathe in and HOLD! 1, 2, 3 phew! Participants will learn about how humans breathe in air by making a model of lungs and watching how the breathing process happens inside our bodies.

This virtual session presented by the University of Waterloo Engineering Science Quest (ESQ) is for children in grades 2 to 3.

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Thursday, November 17, 2022

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime

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Saturday, November 19, 2022

Family Storytime

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Sunday, November 20, 2022

Trans Day of Remembrance Screening & Vigil

Date and Time: Sunday, November 20 04:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Address: 655 Riddell Road, Orangeville ON655 Riddell Road, Orangeville ON

Meet at Dufferin Child and Family Services (DCAFS) to observe the annual Transgender Day of Remembrance on November 20 to honour the lives of trans and gender diverse people that have been lost to transphobia.

A vigil will be held followed by a screening of the short film *Passing*, and discussion. An arts-based activity will conclude the event.

This program is presented in collaboration with the DCAFS 2SLGBTQ+ Youth Group Glow.

Monday, November 21, 2022

Adventures in the Park

Date and Time: Monday, November 21 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

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Tuesday, November 22, 2022

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ESQ STEM Club Intermediate

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 22 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Virtual Virtual

Join the ESQ Team for the **Run the Marble** virtual workshop.

Become an engineer for the day and learn about the engineering design cycle. Participants will explore gravity and energy transformations by designing and building a marble run track that goes on and on and...ON!

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Thursday, November 24, 2022

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Every Child Ready to Read with Babies

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Make a Will Month Information Session

Date and Time: Thursday, November 24 01:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Address: Orangeville Senior Centre, 26 Bythia St. Orangeville Senior Centre, 26 Bythia St.

Every November the Ontario Bar Association, an organization of 16,000 lawyers, judges, notaries, law teachers, and students, celebrates Make a Will Month. It is 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 Georgia Swan, Vice President, Tax and Estate Planner with TD Wealth, and Michele Fisher, Executive Director of the Dufferin Community Foundation (DCF). Georgia, a certified specialist in taxation law and estates and trusts law, will speak to the very important topics of wills, estate planning and powers of attorney. Michele will discuss how through the DCF, individuals can leave a charitable legacy, while still making sure that their loved ones are protected.

Please note that this session is to provide general legal information and not legal advice specific to any individual or situation.

Queer Village Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, November 24 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Address: Alder Library, 275 Alder Street Alder Library, 275 Alder Street

Join Orangeville Public Library and Queer Village for our book club! This month we are reading Cloud Atlas by David Mitchell.

Cloud Atlas is made up of a set of six interconnected tales that span generations and continents to illustrate the basic human condition.

Please [register](#) to reserve a copy of the book.

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.

Friday, November 25, 2022

Teen Chronicles

Date and Time: Friday, November 25 04:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Address: 275 Alder Street - Alder Library 275 Alder Street - Alder Library

Join in on the conversation with OPL's Teen book club. Teen Chronicles meets at the Alder Street Library. Each month has a different theme.

Lead a book chat in 2022 to earn community service hours.

Saturday, November 26, 2022

Family Storytime

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Sunday, November 27, 2022

Words the Orangeville Way 2022

Date and Time: Sunday, November 27 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Address: Orangeville Town Hall, 87 BroadwayOrangeville Town Hall, 87 Broadway

Save the date for Words the Orangeville Way 2022!

Join the Orangeville Public Library in partnership with [BookLore](#) as we present an afternoon looking back to the past. The 2022 Words the Orangeville Way literary lineup infuses local and history. Orangeville's own freelance writer Bernadette Hardaker will moderate a panel discussion between authors Eva Jurczyk, Hugh Brewster & Laurie McGaw, and Carol Newall whose most recent books touch on themes of determination and female achievement.

Eva Jurczyk's debut novel, *The Department of Rare Books and Special Collections*, is a mystery told from the point of view of Liesl Weiss, a librarian who works with historical and rare books in a university library set in Toronto.

Carol Newall's recently released biography, *Outside the Gate: A True Story of a British Home Child in Canada*, is Winnie Cooper's story of love and loss, pain and joy told by her granddaughter to reveal a troubling chapter of Canadian and British history.

Hugh Brewster and illustrator Laurie McGaw's junior biography, *Unsinkable Lucile*, tells the story of how a farm girl from rural Ontario named Lucy Duff Gordon became the queen of fashion and survived the Titanic.

Please note: registration is now full for this event. Add your name to the [waitlist](#) and staff will contact you should a spot become available.

Light refreshments, book sales and signing to follow the panel discussion.

Monday, November 28, 2022

Tween Club

Date and Time: Monday, November 28 04:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Address: 275 Alder Street - Alder Library275 Alder Street - Alder Library

A monthly after school club dedicated to all things tween. Join Nicole for fun DIY activities, games, and crafts for ages 8 to 12.

November - board games

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ESQ STEM Club Senior

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 29 06:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Address: Virtual Virtual

Join the ESQ Team for **Python Trivia** virtual workshop.

It's time for some trivia takedown! Participants will troubleshoot an online trivia game using Python to learn about statements, comments, and conditions in programming and how they work with each other.

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Wednesday, November 30, 2022

Check It Out Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 30 07:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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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 group selected *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry* by Rachel Joyce for the November meeting.

The Check It Out Book Club is currently full. Please add your name to the [waiting list](#).

<https://calendar.orangevillelibrary.ca>