

West Lincoln Public Library

OCTOBER 2019

**CANADIAN
LIBRARY MONTH**

A Visit Will Get You Thinking.



Autumn 2019!

Fall into a great book @ WLPL!

Days are getting shorter and the weather is cooling down. Now is the perfect time to grab a coffee or tea from our coffee bar, curl up by the fireplace and 'leaf' through a magazine, newspaper or book.

Looking for something to do? Look no further!

From a workshop with author Barbara Fanson on getting your book published, to Art History Lectures with Kenneth J. Gordon, there is a lot to learn this autumn. Partnerships with McNally House, Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority and the Smithville Medical Centre are also contributing to some awesome programs!

Meditations, Seed Saving and Garden Club meetings, Kids in the Library Kitchen, book clubs, Reading Readiness and Babies, Books & Bubbles are also back this fall.

Janine from My Painted House has two exciting workshops planned and Tamara Verma will be here for an evening of Sanskrit mantra chanting. Community Garden Network's Erin Riseing will be at WLPL for a food preserving workshop where you can get hands-on experience canning quick pickles, and Ruth Monkman will be hosting two make and take card workshops! Join Pure Magic Vacations' Marie Radassao to learn about the latest and greatest Disney destinations. Herbalist Elizabeth Boyd will also be back for a talk on herbal teas.

A weekly Teen Tea Time and monthly Family Fun Nights are two of our latest program offerings.

Our Friends of the Library will be having a meet and greet in Smithville during Ontario Library Week, October 21-26. Be sure to stop by and say hi!

For more information on these and other great programs, visit our website, follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter or call the library at 905-957-3756 (Smithville), 905-692-4290 (Caistorville), 905-386-6792 (Wellandport).

REGISTRATION FOR PROGRAMS: Please register in advance for all programs. Registration is required unless indicated.



"It is the mission of West Lincoln Public Library to ensure equitable access to popular and reference materials in a variety of formats, for all members of the community. We are committed to encouraging young children to develop an interest in reading."

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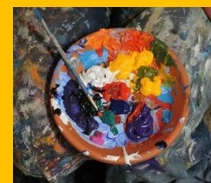
Julie Adams

Sue Langdon

Pat Nelson

Karen Parker

Wendy Wilson



Calling all artists!

**West Lincoln Public Library
wants you!**

We are looking for two-dimensional works to exhibit at Smithville branch.

Artists at all stages of their career will be considered.

Visit

www.westlincolnlibrary.ca/friends.htm#art for more information.



September Events



Caistorville

- LEGO at the Library!** Saturdays all day, all month! Free.
- Knitting Circle** - Tuesdays @ 2:30pm, Free.
- Teen Tea Time** - Wednesdays @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Reading Readiness** - Fridays @ 10:30am, starting September 27, \$2 for 10 sessions.
- Storytelling Yoga** - Thursday, September 19 @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Book Club** - Wednesday, September 25 @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Gravity Painting** - Thursday, September 26 @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Therapy Tails** - Saturday, September 28 @ 10:30am, Free.



Smithville

- LEGO at the Library!** Saturdays all day, all month! Free.
- Therapy Tails** - Mondays @ 6:30pm starting September 9, Free.
- Arm Chair Art History with Kenneth J. Gordon** - Mondays @ 6:30pm starting September 16, \$50 for 8 sessions.
- Knitting Circle** - Wednesdays @ 1:30pm starting September 25, Free.
- Reading Readiness** - Wednesdays & Thursdays, starting September 25 @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions .
- Babies, Books & Bubbles** - Wednesdays starting September 25 @ 11:30am, Free.
- Conservation in Niagara: Experiencing Nature in your Backyard with NPCA** - Thursday, September 12 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Healthy Living @ the Library: Diabetes 101 with Smithville Medical Centre** - Thursday, September 19 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Get Your Book Published with author Barbara Fanson** - Monday, September 23 @ 6:00pm, Free.
- Death, Something to Talk About - End game film screening and discussion with McNally House** - Thursday, September 26 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Family Fun Night! Fort Competition** - Friday, September 27 @ 6:00pm, Free.

Wellandport

- LEGO at the Library!** Saturdays all day, all month! Free.
- Seed Library** - Now is the time to harvest and drop off your seeds for next year's gardens!
- Pickleball, Tennis & Badminton Equipment** - Pick up a set and get out on the court. Free.
- Reading Readiness** - Wednesdays starting September 25 @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.
- Book Club** - Wednesday, September 25 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Therapy Tails** - Saturday, September 28 @ 10:30am, Free.

Smithville Branch Now Open Sundays!

1:00pm-5:00pm

Are you looking for the perfect space to hold a shower, birthday party, or other special event?

We may be able to help!

The Smithville library program room and board rooms at all branches are available for private rental.

Check out our website at <https://www.westlincolnlibrary.ca/room-rental.htm> or give us a call for rates.



October Events

Caistorville

- LEGO at the Library!** Saturdays all day, all month! Free.
- Knitting Circle** - Tuesdays @ 2:30pm, Free.
- Teen Tea Time** - Wednesdays @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Flexibility & Mobility** - Wednesdays @ 8:00pm, Free.
- Reading Readiness** - Fridays @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.
- Labyrinth and Sound Meditation** - Thursday, October 10 @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Sanskrit Mantra Chanting with Tamara Verma** - Thursday, October 17 @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Pumpkin Painting** - Saturday, October 19 @ 10:30am, \$2.
- Elections Canada 2019** - Monday, October 21. Don't forget to vote!
- El Dia de los Muertos Paint Night** - Thursday, October 24 @ 6:30pm, \$2.
- Book Club** - Wednesday, October 30 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Smithville

- LEGO at the Library!** Saturdays all day, all month! Free.
- Therapy Tails** - Mondays @ 6:30pm, Free.
- Arm Chair Art History with Kenneth J. Gordon** - Mondays @ 6:30pm, \$50 for 8 sessions.
- Knitting Circle** - Wednesdays @ 1:30pm, Free.
- Reading Readiness** - Wednesdays & Thursdays @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.
- Babies, Books & Bubbles** - Wednesdays @ 11:30am, Free.
- Book Club** - Wednesday, October 2 @ 3:00pm, Free.
- Death, Something to Talk About; Author Debi Goodwin at Grimsby Public Library*** - Wednesday, October 2 @ 7:00pm.
- Conservation in Niagara: Drinking Water Protection with NPCA** - Thursday, October 10 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Food Preservation Workshop with Erin Riseing** - Make and take quick pickles - Thursday, October 17 @ 1:00pm, \$5.
- Kids in the Library Kitchen; Spooktacular Bone Soup** - Friday, October 18 @ 6:00pm, \$2.
- Smithville Stitchers** - Saturday, October 19 @ 10:00am, Free.
- Death, Something to Talk About; What Really Matters at the End of Life* TED Talk and discussion with McNally House** - Thursday, October 24 @ 1:00pm, Free.
- Family Fun Night! Mini Golf in the Stacks (BYO putter if you have one!)** - Friday, October 25 @ 6:00pm, Free.
- Death, Something to Talk About; Children's Grief Storytime and Craft with McNally House*** - Monday, October 28 @ 6:00pm, Free.



Saturday, October 5, 2019

FREE celebration of arts and culture across the Township of West Lincoln. Pop into Caistorville, Smithville & Wellandport branches to collect a stamp on your passport! Stay for three fun make and take workshops!

Caistorville - Autumn Candy Kabobs. • **Smithville** - Harvest Hot Cocoa Mix.
Wellandport - Wildflower Seed Bombs.

The Smithville stop is generously sponsored by our Friends of the Library volunteers.

October Events continued

Wellandport

LEGO at the Library! Saturdays all day, all month! Free.

Seed Library - Now is the time to harvest and drop off seeds for next year's gardens!

Pickleball, Tennis & Badminton Equipment - Pick up a set and get out on the court. Free.

Reading Readiness - Wednesdays @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.

Seed Savers and Garden Club Meeting - Thursday, October 3 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Herbal Tea Talk with Elizabeth Boyd - Tuesday, October 22 @ 7:00pm, Free.

Vintage Painted Lanterns with My Painted House - Thursday, October 24 @ 6:30pm, \$45.

Therapy Tails - Saturday, October 26 @ 10:30am, Free.

Book Club - Wednesday, October 30 @ 1:00pm, Free.

REGISTRATION FOR PROGRAMS: Please register in advance for all programs. Registration is required unless indicated; fees must be paid upon registration.

Death, Something to Talk About



This free program is part of an ongoing initiative of McNally House and their community partners that encourages meaningful conversation about death, dying, grief, and loss.

Visit any West Lincoln Public Library branch to pick up a set of the three series titles in this reading initiative. Join us in Smithville for the events listed below.

- **End Game Film Screening & Discussion** - Thursday, September 26 @ 1:00pm.
- **Author Night with Debi Goodwin at Grimsby Public Library** - Wednesday, October 2 @ 7:00pm.
- **What Really Matters at the End of Life TED Talk** - Thursday, October 24 @ 1:00pm.
- **The Invisible String Children's Grief Storytime & Craft** - Monday, October 28 @ 6:00pm.
- **When Dinosaurs Die Children's Grief Storytime & Craft** - Monday, November 25 @ 6:00pm.
- **Sick Boy Film Screening & Discussion** - Thursday, November 28 @ 1:00pm.

November Events

Caistorville

LEGO at the Library! Saturdays all day, all month! Free.

Knitting Circle - Tuesdays @ 2:30pm, Free.

Teen Tea Time - Wednesdays @ 6:30pm, Free.

Flexibility & Mobility - Wednesdays @ 8:00pm, Free.

Reading Readiness - Fridays @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.

Handmade Cards Workshop with Ruth Monkman - Thursday, November 7 @ 6:30pm, \$18 for 3 cards.

Labyrinth and Sound Meditation - Thursday, November 14 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Storytelling Yoga - Thursday, November 21 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Book Club - Wednesday, November 27 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Glitter Roses Children's Craft - Saturday, November 30 @ 10:30am, Free.

Smithville

LEGO at the Library! Saturdays all day, all month! Free.

Therapy Tails - Mondays @ 6:30pm, Free.

Knitting Circle - Wednesdays @ 1:30pm, Free.

Reading Readiness - Wednesdays & Thursdays @ 10:30am, \$2.

Babies, Books & Bubbles - Wednesdays @ 11:30am, Free.

Smithville Stitchers - Saturday, November 2 @ 10:00am, Free.

Arm Chair Art History - begins Monday, November 4 @ 6:30pm, \$50 for 8 sessions.

Book Club - Wednesday, November 5 @ 3:00pm, Free.

Conservation in Niagara: How to Help Our Native Pollinators with NPCA -

Thursday, November 14 @ 1:00pm, Free.

Handmade Cards Workshop with Ruth Monkman - Friday, November 15 @ 5:30pm, \$12 for 2 cards.

Healthy Living @ the Library: Mind Your Mental Health with Smithville Medical Centre -

Thursday, November 21 @ 1:00pm, Free.

Family Fun Night! Adventure Zone Scavenger Hunt - Friday, November 22 @ 6:00pm, Free.

Death, Something to Talk About Children's Grief Storytime and Craft with McNally House -

Monday, November 25 @ 6:00pm, Free.

Death, Something to Talk About Sick Boy Film screening and discussion with McNally House -

Thursday, November 28 @ 1:00pm, Free.

Wellandport

LEGO at the Library! Saturdays all day, all month! Free.

Reading Readiness - Wednesdays @ 10:30am, \$2 for 10 sessions.

Seed Savers & Garden Club Meeting - Thursday, November 7 @ 6:30pm, Free.

Book Club - Wednesday, November 27 @ 1:00pm, Free.

Galvanized Bucket Arrangement with My Painted House - Thursday, November 28 @ 6:30pm, \$50.

Therapy Tails - Saturday, November 30 @ 10:30am, Free.

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Friends Corner

Love your Library? Become a friend!

We are a group of volunteers who love our library and support it in many ways.

You can become a member if you are 18 years of age and over and a resident of West Lincoln Township.

As a member you will meet new people, share your talents and skills, and have fun!
Members contribute to the community, attend events and support fundraising activities.

Friends of the Library will have a membership drive during Ontario Library Month in October and we look forward to meeting you.

Have questions?

Email us at friendsofwlpl@gmail.com



Caistorville Library

9549 York St., Caistorville, ON

905-692-4290

caistorville@westlincolnlibrary.ca

Monday - closed
Tuesday 2pm-5pm
Wednesday 6pm-9pm
Thursday 6pm-9pm
Friday 10am-4pm
Saturday 10am-4pm
Sunday - closed



Smithville Library

177 West St., Smithville, ON

905-957-3756

smithville@westlincolnlibrary.ca

Monday 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 10am-5pm
Wednesday 10am-5pm
Thursday 10am-5pm
Friday 3pm-8pm
Saturday 10am-5pm
Sunday 1pm-5pm



Wellandport Library

5042 Canborough Rd., Wellandport, ON

905-386-6792

wellandport@westlincolnlibrary.ca

Monday 6:30pm-8:30pm
Tuesday 6:30pm-8:30pm
Wednesday 9am-4pm
Thursday 6:30pm-8:30pm
Friday - closed
Saturday 9am-4pm
Sunday - closed

