

March 2024

Lion's Head and Tobermory Branches

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	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
LH	Closed	9:30am-5pm	Closed	2pm-6pm	10am-2pm	9:30am-5pm	9:30am-2pm
TO	Closed	Closed	10am-1:30pm 2pm-5pm	10am-1:30pm 2pm-5pm	12-6pm	10am-2pm	10am-2pm

What's Happening

All BCPL Branches Closed Friday, March 29 for Good Friday, Sunday, March 31 and Monday, April 1 for Easter

Forest of Reading Program - December to April, ages 4-18

Register for this winter program to read from a select list of new books by Canadian authors. Stop by the library to choose a reading list, read 5 books from the list, then let us know your favourite! In April, you may vote for your favourite book from the list. Your vote combined with all the votes from across the province will determine the overall winners.

Children

Story Time Adventures

Tobermory Branch, Wednesday, March 6, 10:30am

Come along for a story time adventure with an Early Years Educator (EarlyON) and Bruce County Public Library Branch staff. Enjoy stories and activities based on your favourite children's picture books. Be creative and have fun engaging in a variety of art, literacy, and numeracy activities. Registration is required.

March Break - Just Beach

Sail Away - Lion's Head Branch, Monday, March 11, 11am, Ages 4-12

Tobermory Branch, Tuesday, March 12, 11am, Ages 5-12

What's a beach without boats? Set sail to the library for all things nautical!

Beach Ball Bonanza - Lion's Head Branch, Wednesday, March 13, 2pm, Ages 4-12

Tobermory Branch, Wednesday, March 13, 11am, Ages 4-12

Beach balls in the library! Join in for stories, games and silliness!

Ocean World - Lion's Head Branch, Thursday, March 14, 11am, Ages 4-12

Tobermory Branch, Thursday, March 14, 1pm, Ages 4-12

Let's explore the deep seas with activities, stories and more.

Pirate Sails and Mermaid Tales - Lion's Head Branch, Friday, March 15, 10am, Ages 4-12

Tobermory Branch, Friday, March 15, 11am, Ages 4-12

Arrr me hearties! We'll be mapping out a course to pirate adventure and mermaid magic! "Sea" you there!

Adult

Book Club - Lion's Head Branch, Fridays, 11am-12pm

BYOB - Bring Your Own Book! Not your traditional book club - bring what you are reading and discuss it with the group.

Beanstack

New Year, New Reads Challenge - January 23 - March 31

This adult program focuses on the new Canada Reads shortlist. Visit our online catalogue for a list of nominees.

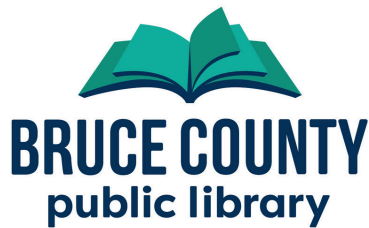
Read and Play Everyday

Read books and complete literacy-based activities to help get your child ready for school.

We've provided 250 suggested literacy activities on the themes: talk, play, sing, write, and read. It's important to remember that these activities are just suggestions. Feel free to tweak them to suit you and your child, or try something else altogether. Just remember still to tick off an activity, even if you tried something else, so you can complete the badges!

All programs are FREE unless otherwise noted. Donations to your library are gratefully accepted. Responsibility for the welfare and the behaviour of children using the library ultimately rests with the parent/guardian or an assigned caregiver.

Thank you for your understanding.



What's Happening March 2024

Community Volunteer Income Tax Program

Port Elgin, Kincardine, Chesley and Walkerton Library Branches are offering the opportunity for individuals with modest income to have their tax returns prepared for free by community volunteers. Clinics will begin in March and run through April.

Please contact your preferred Branch directly to learn more,
or to book an appointment.

Walkerton Branch: (519) 881-3240 or walib@brucecounty.on.ca

Port Elgin Branch: (519) 832-2201 or Pelib@brucecounty.on.ca

Chesley Branch: (519) 363-2239 or chlib@brucecounty.on.ca

Kincardine Branch: (519) 396-3289 or kilib@brucecounty.on.ca



Just Beach

March Break at the Library

Visit your local Branch during March Break for beach themed activities and special guests.



Seed Swap - Feb 24-March 10

In preparation for the return of Seed Libraries, you can pop into your local Branch to donate seeds or take some home. Donations ensure that Seed Libraries can continue to flourish in Bruce County.



Cricuts and 3D Printers

3D Printers: Chesley, Port Elgin and Teeswater Branches

Cricuts: Lucknow, Mildmay, Sauble Beach, and Southampton Branches

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