# SUMER

### **NEWS & PROGRAMS AT LPPL**

Your library card is the key to a great summer ahead! Whether you're headed to the beach, hitting the road, or hanging out at home, your library has you covered:



- Join TD Summer Reading Club, plus Teen and Adult Reading Challenges.
- Borrow from the Library of Things, including fishing kits, NPCA and Ontario Parks day-use passes, pickleball kits, a telescope, and WiFi hotspots.
- Find the new **Bookmobile** all over Lincoln and Pelham.
- Attend **programs for all ages**, from story time to 3D printing to Big Blue Blocks.
- Stay connected with the **Digital Library**, with eBooks, audiobooks, news, movies, and more available anytime, from anywhere.

Scan to borrow a Yoto!





# **NEW THIS SUMMER!**

The Yoto Mini is a screen-free audio player for kids. Simply pop in a Yoto Card to listen to stories and music.
Compact and travelfriendly, there is no microphone, no screen, and no ads. Borrow a Yoto Mini kit to try or browse the selection of stories available on Yoto Cards to use on your own player.



# Early Literacy @ LPPL

All preschool programs are drop in and free.

### **Babies and Books**

### 0 - 15 months and caregivers

A fun and social time for babies and caregivers with stories, songs, and shakers!

Mondays, July 7 - August 11 (no session August 4) | 10:30 am | Fleming

### **Story Time**

### Ages 5 and under and caregivers

Enjoy stories, songs, and fun at the library!

Tuesdays, July 8, 22, 29 | 10:30 am | Fleming

Tuesdays, July 8 - August 12 | 10:30 am | Fonthill

Thursdays, July 17, 24, 31, August 14 | 10:30 am | Rittenhouse

### In the Garden!

### Ages 5 and under and caregivers

Get outside and play in the garden! Drop in each week for sensory play with water, soil, plants, and sunshine!

Mondays, July 7, 14, August 11, 18, 25 | 10 - 11 am | Rittenhouse

### **Preschool Social**

### Ages 5 and under and caregivers

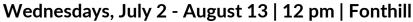
Meet in the children's area with your preschool child for unstructured play activities, where little ones and caregivers can meet and socialize with others.

Wednesdays | 10 - 11:30 am | Fleming

### **Babytime Social**

For babies 15 months and under and caregivers

Drop in for some baby fun and enjoy passive play with rattles, music, and toys.





### **Caterpillars & Butterflies Story Times**

For ages 5 and under and caregivers

Join us for special outdoor story times with local seniors to brighten their day!

Thursday, July 10 | 10:30 am | United Mennonite Home

4024 Twenty-Third Street, Vineland

Tuesday, July 15 | 10:30 am | Albright Manor 5050 Hillside Drive, Beamsville

Tuesday, August 5 | 10:30 am | The Jacob 5082 Alyssa Drive, Beamsville



### **Little Explorers**

For ages 3 - 5

Become a world explorer with your own creation of binoculars. Then play I Spy in the library.

Wednesday, August 6 | 10 - 11 am | Fonthill | Free; drop in.

### **Everybunny's Reading: Stuffie Adoption**

For Kindergarten to Grade 2

Beginning readers can gain confidence by adopting a stuffed bunny to read aloud to.

Thursday, July 3 | 10:30 - 11:30 am | Fleming | Free; registration required.

Thursday, July 3 | 1 - 2 pm | Fonthill | Free; registration required.

### **Reading Buddies**

For Kindergarten to Grade 2

This literacy program helps new and emerging readers build confidence and improve reading skills. Each child is paired with a teen volunteer for reading activities and literacy-based games.

Mondays, July 7 - August 18 (no session August 4) | 4 - 5 pm | Fleming Free; registration required.

# For Kids

### Mini Travel Journals

For all ages

Get ready to go! Make and decorate your own mini travel journal to use this summer, wherever you're headed.

Wednesday, July 2 | 1 - 2 pm | Fonthill | Free; drop in. Wednesday, July 2 | 2 - 3 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; drop in. Thursday, July 3 | 2 - 3 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in.

### Welcome Home! TD SRC

### **Wrap-Up Celebrations**

For ages 12 and under

Let's celebrate a great summer of reading! Drop in for travel-themed activities and free refreshments.

Friday, August 22 | 10 am - 4 pm | Fonthill Free; drop in.

Saturday, August 23 | 10 am - 4 pm | Fleming Free; drop in.



### **Big Blue Blocks: SUPERSIZED!**

For all ages

Get creative and see what you can build with 105 giant foam pieces!

Saturday, July 12 | 10 am - 2 pm | Fonthill

Free; drop in

Saturday, July 26, 10 am - 2 pm | Rittenhouse\*

Saturday, August 9, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Rittenhouse\* | Free; drop in

\*Outdoors weather permitting





Get ready to adventure around the world with TD Summer Reading Club (TD SRC), Canada's biggest, bilingual book club for kids of all ages, interests, and abilities!

### **HOW IT WORKS:**

For readers ages 12 and under
Register at your nearest LPPL
location starting June 23 and
receive your "Adventures Around
the World" map to track your
reading. Set your own reading
goal to complete. Check in each
week between July 7 and August
23 to receive a sticker, small
prize, and draw ballot.

Please contact your local branch to request materials in French and accessible formats (large print, open dyslexic, braille, and audio).



Free summer reading kits will be available at all locations starting June 23.



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### LET'S GO ON AN ADVENTURE!

Set off and explore a new continent each week. Learn about different people, places, cultures, animals, and landmarks found around the world. All programs are free and drop in for all ages.

July 7 - 12: North America

July 14 - 19: South America

July 21 - 26: Antarctica

July 28 - August 2: Africa

August 5 - 9: Europe

August 11 - 16: Asia

August 18 - 23: Australia



### **STEM Challenges**

Complete weekly challenges using STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math).

Tuesdays | During library hours | Fonthill and Maple Acre | Drop in

July 8: Build the CN Tower

July 15: Zipline over the Rainforest

July 22: Cross the Ice

July 29: Build the Great Pyramids

August 5: Make a Windmill

August 12: Build the Great Wall of China

August 19: Bridge Building



### **Let's Explore!**

Drop in each week to explore a different continent through fun activities.

Wednesdays | July 9 - August 20 | During library hours | All branches

### Art Attack Around the World

Make crafts and art based on the week's continent. Note: paint will be used.

Thursdays, July 10 - August 21 | 1 - 2 pm | Fonthill | Free; drop in

Thursdays, July 10, 24, August 14 | 2 - 3 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; drop in

Thursdays, July 17, 31, August 7, 21 | 2 - 3 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in

### Let's Make Bannock!

For ages 8 - 12

Learn how to make bannock: a type of fry bread made all around the world, especially by many Indigenous groups in North America.

Wednesday, July 9 | 2 - 3:30 pm | Lincoln Centre | Free; registration required.

### Stories from Around the World Puppet Show

Watch a fun puppet show featuring *Something's Wrong* by Jory John and *Why Frogs Have No Tails* (An adaptation of an Ashanti Folktale) by Susanna Holstein, followed by puppet making.

Wednesday, July 16 | 2 - 3 pm | Meridian Community Centre | Free; drop in. Tuesday, August 12 | 10:30 - 11:30 am | Fleming | Free; drop in.

### Family Trivia Night: World Snapshots

Recommended for families with children ages 6 and up

Play trivia based on descriptions and zoomed-in photos of landmarks, food, or other items from around the world. International snacks will be awarded as prizes!

Thursday, July 17 | 6 - 7 pm | Fleming | Free; registration required.

### **Therapy Tails**

Read and visit with the pups from Therapy Tails Ontario!

Fridays, July 11 & August 8 | 2 - 3 pm | Fonthill | Free; drop in Fridays, July 4, 18, 25, August 15, 22 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm Rittenhouse | Free; drop in

### <u>Drop-In Makerspace</u>

Explore and create in the makerspace! Race a maze with Sphero, launch a catapult with Dash, and learn basic coding with Ozobots. Plus, explore 3D printing. Equipment may vary by week and by branch.

Tuesdays, July 8, 22, August 5, 19 | 1 - 3 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in Wednesdays, July 16 & August 13 | 2 - 4 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; drop in Fridays, July 4 - August 15 (excl. July 25 )| 1 - 4 pm | Fonthill Free; drop in

# For Tweens/Teens

### **Bookish Rebels**

For Grades 6 - 8

Readers will meet with library staff who will help you select your own books based on your interests. We will provide a selection of popular titles, new books, as well as snacks!

Thursday, July 17 | 2 - 3 pm | Fonthill Free; registration required.

### **Chopped: Baking Challenge**

Receive three mystery ingredients you must use to create a sweet treat in a take-home kit. The winning entries will receive a fun prize. There will be two categories: ages 10 - 12 and 13 - 17.

Register by: July 12

Kit pick up: Starting July 18

Submissions due: August 9; send to bhead@lppl.ca

Winner announced: August 14

Free; registration required.

Take and Make: Boba Tea Kit

For ages 12 - 17

Fun and free, on your own schedule. Make a tasty boba tea to try this popular Asian beverage.

Register by: August 2 Registered kits will be available for pickup at all branches starting August 8.



# Pathstone Mental Health Walk-In Clinic

Get free counselling for children and youth 17 and under and their families. Walk in or by appointment. To book, call 1-800-263-4944.

Tuesdays
11:30 am - 7 pm
Meridian
Community
Centre, Fonthill

Thursdays 11:30 - 7 pm Fleming



### **Teen Book Talk**

For ages 12 - 17

Come enjoy a snack and meet with other teens to hang out and talk about the books you're reading.

Mondays, July 7 & August 11 | 4:30 - 5:30 pm Fonthill | Free; drop in

### **Teen Art Drop-In**

For ages 12 - 17

Come join us to create art in a variety of forms, including painting, bracelets, and drawing.

Monday, July 28 | 4 - 5:30 pm | Fonthill Free; drop in Wednesday, July 30 | 4 - 5:30 pm | Fleming Free; drop in

### Teen Makerspace Drop - In

For ages 12 - 17

Drop in to learn how to use equipment in the makerspace, for teens only.

Monday, July 14 | 4 - 6 pm | Fonthill Free; drop in Tuesday, August 12 | 4 - 6 pm | Fleming Free; drop in

# TEEN SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

It's simple: Read a book to earn a ballot toward the prize of your choice. The more books you read, the more chances to win. For readers ages 13 - 18.

#### **STARTING JUNE 23:**

Printed reading logs will be available at all branches. You can also submit ballots online via Beanstack.

### **BY SEPTEMBER 6:**

Return your reading log to your nearest LPPL branch. If participating online, be sure to submit all your ballots by midnight!



# **Pop-Up Libraries**

Find us out in the community every Tuesday this summer! Browse and borrow from the Bookmobile, play games, and take part in fun activities.



All park pop-ups run 1 - 4 pm and are subject to change based on weather.

July 8 | Angelina Prokich Park | 5045 Connor Drive, Beamsville
July 15 | Woodstream Park | 87 Spruceside Crescent, Fonthill
July 22 | Allan F. Gretsinger Pool | 4361 Central Avenue, Beamsville
July 29 | Woodstream Park | 87 Spruceside Crescent, Fonthill
August 5 | Jordan Lions Park | 2793 Fourth Avenue, Jordan
August 12 | Woodstream Park | 87 Spruceside Crescent, Fonthill
August 19 | Hilary Bald Park | 4485 Garden Gate Terrace, Beamsville
August 26 | Woodstream Park | 87 Spruceside Crescent, Fonthill

### **EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS**

Borrow a day-use pass to explore Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority (NPCA) sites and more than 100 provincial parks. Available at all branches, please visit the website for more details.

### Includes access to:

- Ball's Falls
- Binbrook
- Chippawa Creek
- Long Beach
- Rockway







# **BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE**

**WEEK ONE: JUNE - SEPTEMBER 2025** 

# **WEDNESDAYS**

(May 28, June 11, June 25, July 9, July 23, August 6, August 20, September 3, September 17)

- Community Care West Niagara 4309 Central Avenue, Beamsville 10 am - 12 pm
- Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 613
  141 Highway 20 East, Fonthill
  1:15 2:30 pm
- Lincoln Fire Station #64 (Campden) 3970 Fly Road, Campden 3:15 - 4:30 pm



## **THURSDAYS**

(May 29, June 12, June 26, July 10, July 24, August 7, August 21, September 4, September 18)

- Golden Horseshoe Estates
  - Visitor Parking Lots

Rebecca Lane: 10 - 11 am | Jeremy Lane: 11 am - 12 pm

- 952 Foss Road, Fenwick 1:15 - 2:30 pm
- Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 612 5545 King Street, Beamsville 3:15 - 4:30 pm

Please note the schedule is subject to change. For cancellations and current information, contact the library or visit lppl.ca/bookmobile.



**WEEK TWO: JUNE - SEPTEMBER 2025** 

# **MONDAYS**

(June 2, June 16, June 30, July 14, July 28, August 11, August 25, September 8, September 22)



### **Old Pelham Town Hall**

491 Canboro Road, Fenwick 12 - 2 pm



### Meridian Community Centre (MCC)

100 Meridian Way, Fonthill 3:15 - 4:30 pm



### First Presbyterian Church

602 Metler Road, Fenwick 5:15 - 6:30 pm

Scan to sign up for a free library card, or get one on the Bookmobile!





# **WEDNESDAYS**

(June 4, June 18, July 2, July 16, July 30, August 13, August 27, September 10, September 24)



### Village of Hope Niagara

2450 South Service Road, Lincoln 12 - 2 pm



### **Lincoln Fire Station #4 (Jordan)**

3763 Nineteenth Street, Jordan Station 3:15 - 4:30 pm



### **Tintern Church of Christ**

4359 Spring Creek Road, Vineland 5:15 - 6:30 pm





### Fonthill Branch Parking Lot\*

43 Pelham Town Square, Fonthill 5:30 - 7:30 pm

(June 19, July 3, July 17, July 31, August 14, August 28) \*Branch will be closed



# **Tech and Makerspace**

### **Tech Time**

Book a free 30-minute appointment to get basic tech help on your device. Book by calling the library or online.

Tuesdays | 4 - 6 pm | Fleming | Free; registration required.

Wednesdays | 10 am - 12 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; registration required.

Thursdays | 2 - 4 pm | Maple Acre | Free; registration required.

Fridays | 10 am - 12 pm | Fonthill | Free; registration required.

### **3D Printer**

Book a free one-hour appointment to learn how to use the 3D printer. Book by calling the library or online.

Tuesdays | 6 - 8 pm | Fleming | Free; registration required.

Fridays | 2 - 5 pm | Fonthill | Free; registration required.

### **Memory Lab**

Book a free one-hour appointment to learn how to preserve, convert, and digitize photos and videos. Please note users must supply their own storage device. Book by calling the library or online.

Wednesdays, July 2, 30, August 27 | 2 - 5 pm | Rittenhouse

Free; registration required.

Saturdays, July 12, 26, August 9, 23 | 2 - 5 pm | Rittenhouse

Free; registration required.



Scan to go to PressReader!



With your library card, get unlimited, instant access to more than 7,000 newspapers and magazines from around the world.

- 1. Download the app or go to PressReader.com.
- 2. Select Sign In, then choose Library or Group.
- 3. Search for and select "Lincoln Pelham Public Library."
- 4. Enter your full library card number (no spaces) and PIN. (Hint: try the last four digits of your phone number.)
- 5. Click "Log in" and start reading!

### For Adults

### **Knit and Chat**

Bring your projects and enjoy conversation by the fireplace.

Mondays | 10 am - 12 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in

### **Tuesday Morning Crafters**

Bring your projects and enjoy conversation and community.

Tuesdays | 10 am - 12 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; drop in

### **TGIF Crafters**

Bring your knitting, crocheting, or any portable craft for an afternoon of conversation and fun.

Fridays | 1:30 - 3:30 pm | Fonthill | Free; drop in

### **English Conversation Circle**

Join us for a weekly conversation circle to improve your English. You will have the opportunity to practice listening, speaking, vocabulary, and pronunciation. All levels of English are welcome for a fun time to meet other newcomers.

Tuesdays | 6:30 - 7:30 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in

### **Adult Story Time**

Celebrate summer with stories and activities! For teens and adults of all ages and abilities.

Mondays, July 14 & August 11 | 1 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in

### **Create and Chat**

Make a summer craft, plus enjoy a social atmosphere. For teens and adults of all ages and abilities.

Mondays, July 28 & August 25 | 1 pm | Fleming | Free; drop in

### **Connect & Care Memory Cafe**

Find peer support and participate in activities for care partners and loved ones living with dementia.

Thursdays, July 10, 1 - 2 pm | August 14, 1:30 - 2:30 pm | Rittenhouse | Free; drop in Thursdays, July 31 & August 28 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm | Fonthill | Free; drop in



### A Hand Along the Way

A monthly grief support group. In partnership with Rose Cottage Visiting Volunteers. To register, contact RCVV at 289-566-9588 or info.rcvv@gmail.com.

Tuesdays, July 7 & August 5 | 10 am - 12 pm Rittenhouse | Free; registration required.

### **End-of-Summer Social & Book Swap**

Come share what you've been reading this summer and find your next book! Bring up to six books to swap. Please ensure books are in good condition to be passed along to the next reader. Refreshments provided.

Monday, August 25 | 6 - 8 pm | Fleming Free; drop in

Note: this event will be outdoors under the shade sails, weather permitting.

Thursday, August 28 | 2 -4 pm | Fonthill Free; drop in

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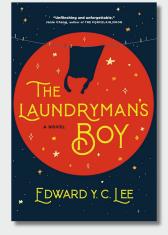




IN CONVERSATION WITH EDWARD Y.C. LEE

Friday, October 3 | 7 - 9 pm First Ontario Performing Arts Centre, St. Catharines Free tickets available September 2025 at OneBookOneNiagara.ca









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### **Locations & Hours**

### Fleming Branch

5020 Serena Dr, Beamsville 905-563-7014

Mon - Thurs: 10 am - 8 pm Fri: 1 - 5 pm | Sat: 10 am - 5 pm

### Maple Acre Branch

781 Canboro Rd, Fenwick 905-892-5226

Tues, Thurs, Fri: 11 am - 6 pm

Wed: 1 - 8 pm | Sat: 12 - 4 pm

### **Fonthill Branch**

43 Pelham Town Sq, Fonthill 905-892-6443

Mon, Tues, Thurs: 10 am - 8 pm

Wed, Fri: 10 am - 5 pm | Sat: 10 am - 2 pm

#### Rittenhouse Branch

4080 John Charles Blvd, Vineland 905-562-5711

Mon - Thurs: 10 am - 8 pm Fri: 1 - 5 pm | Sat: 10 am - 5 pm

### All branches will be closed July 1, August 4, and September 1.

#### Please note:

- Program fees are non-refundable unless a program is cancelled or rescheduled by Lincoln Pelham Public Library.
- If fees ever present a barrier to participation, or should you require assistance or accommodations related to you or your child's ability to attend a program, please contact Susan by phone: 905-562-5711 or email: programmers@lppl.ca.
- Children 10 years of age or under attending Library programs or events must have a caregiver present in the Library. Where Library programs or events are held outside of the Library building, the caregiver must remain within visual range of children.

### Land Acknowledgment

We acknowledge these are the traditional lands and territories of the Hatiwendaronk, Haudenosaunee, and Anishinaabeg, including the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and the Six Nations of the Grand River, many of whom continue to live and work here today. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties (No. 3) and by the Dish with One Spoon Wampum agreement.

Lincoln Pelham Public Library recognizes the contributions and stewardship of all Indigenous Peoples, including First Nations, Métis, and Inuit. We are committed to celebrating and sharing stories from Indigenous communities and creating space for education and dialogue as we collectively acknowledge hard truths and work toward reconciliation.



