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## PROGRAM LISTINGS

### Adult

#### **The Great Big Clothing Swap** **Remember, if you don't have items to donate, you are still welcome to attend the swap.**

All ages

Swapping is easy. Drop off gently used clothing and/or accessories at the library between after February 20. On the day of the event leave with a bag of new-to-you items from your community. The leftover items will be donated to local charities. Please remember, this event is for charity. We are working towards a more sustainable world, and your contribution helps. The more you recycle clothes, the less waste you create, and the more you provide for those in need.

**Sat, Mar 3/1 PM-4 PM**

#### **Movie Matinee**

##### ***Battle of the Sexes***

Rated PG

The true story of the 1973 tennis match between World number one Billie Jean King and ex-champ and serial hustler Bobby Riggs. Starring Emma Stone, Steve Carell and Elisabeth Shue.

**Wed, Mar 7/1:30 PM**

Free tickets given out 60 min before event

#### **Social Media and Your Business** **with CEED's Jill Davies**

Join Jill Davies from CEED (Centre for Entrepreneurship Education and Development) for an introductory level presentation outlining the steps and information needed to starting your own business, effective ways to promote your business through social media, and what platforms will be effective. In partnership with the Centre for Entrepreneurship Education and Development (CEED).

**Thu, Mar 8/2 PM-3 PM**

#### **Movie Matinee**

##### ***Breathe***

Rated PG

The inspiring true love story of Robin and Diana Cavendish, an adventurous couple who refuse to give up in the face of a devastating disease. Their heartwarming celebration of human possibility marks the directorial debut of Andy Serkis. Starring Claire Foy, Hugh Bonneville and Andrew Garfield.

**Wed, Mar 21/1:30 PM**

Free tickets given out 60 min before event

#### **ATLANTIC MASTER GARDENERS**

##### **Ask a Master Gardener**

Take advantage of the wisdom and experience of our guest garden experts. They will be available to answer questions and discuss anything and everything you've wanted to know about plants. In partnership with Atlantic Master Gardeners Association.

**Sat, Mar 24/1 PM-3 PM**

#### **Movie Matinee**

##### ***Roman J. Israel***

Rated PG

Roman J. Israel, Esq., a driven, idealistic defense attorney, finds himself in a tumultuous series of events that lead to a crisis and the necessity for extreme action. Starring Denzel Washington, Colin Farrell, and Carmen Ejogo.

**Wed, Mar 28/1:30 PM**

Free tickets given out 60 min before event

#### **Bridge**

Meet and play with other bridge enthusiasts. Some experience is necessary. Mondays except holidays.

**Mondays/10 AM-12 PM**

#### **English Conversation Group**

Practice English and meet new friends while learning about local community and culture. You will discuss current events and topics of personal interests in a fun and relaxing atmosphere. This is a free program. To register, please call 902-490-2636, ext. 3.

**Tuesdays/10 AM-11:30 AM**

Registration required

#### **Needle Niche**

Join us for an evening of stitchery and conversation. Share patterns, stitches, yarn, advice, and projects, and draw inspiration from the library's crafty resources. From beginner to advanced, everyone is welcome.

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### **Practical Guide to Observing the Night Sky with Tony Schellinck**

After completing this course the participant should have a greater appreciation of and knowledge about what objects there are to see in the night sky and how to find and observe them. Topics covered include: how to find your way around the summer, fall, winter and spring night skies; how to observe the moon and planets; and what galaxies, globular clusters, open clusters can be found. In partnership with Seniors College Association of Nova Scotia (SCANS).

**Wednesdays/10 AM-12 PM**

Runs until March 7

### **Sirtaki Dance with Ozgur Akgun**

Join us and learn the art of Sirtaki dance. You'll feel like you're dancing the night away in the warm Mediterranean, by the sea. Sirtaki dance expresses feelings by physical and emotional movements and attitudes. Let's dance together under the same spirit, regardless of age or gender. All levels are welcome.

**Wednesdays/7 PM-8:30 PM**

Begins March 14, Registration required

### **Citizenship Preparation Course**

This course will help participants feel confident and prepared prior to taking the Citizenship test. The course will address topics in the Citizenship test study guide, Discover Canada, making the information both accessible and interesting for participants. The course will be engaging and offer an open, respectful environment, where newcomers have an opportunity to discuss and explore questions pertinent to their future in Canada. In partnership with Canadian Museum of Immigration at Pier 21 In partnership with Canadian Museum of Immigration at Pier 21.

**Saturdays/11 AM-2 PM**

Runs until April 7, Registration required

## **Kids**

### **Fun Zone**

Ages 7-11

Drop in and join us for all things FUN! We'll have craft supplies, games, PS4, Minecraft, and more. There's something for everyone. Snacks are provided.

**Fri, Mar 2/3:30 PM-4:30 PM**

### **PD Day Movie**

***Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie***

All ages (Rated G)

Watch this movie on our big screen.

**Fri, Mar 9/1:30 PM**

Group registration required, Free tickets given out 30 min before event

### **Brilliant Labs Workshop**

Ages 9-12

Join Brilliant Labs for a hands-on STEAM workshop. Topics may include 3D design and printing, coding, robotics, green screen, circuits, and more. Brilliant Labs is a not-for-profit organization that encourages creativity, technology-integration and entrepreneurship in Nova Scotia's youth and communities. In partnership with Brilliant Labs.

**Tue, Mar 13/12 PM-1:30 PM**

Registration required

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**Tue, Mar 13/2 PM-3:30 PM**

Registration required

### **Talent Show**

Ages 5-18 for performers

Have you ever wanted the opportunity to get up on stage and show the world your fabulous talent? Well, this is your big chance! All acts are welcome! We simply ask that you register your act before March 13. Registration for acts is required.

**Tue, Mar 13/2:30 PM-3:30 PM**

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### **Lego Challenger**

Ages 5+

Can you build upside down? Can you build something that flies? See how many Lego challenges you can complete!

**Wed, Mar 14/10:30 AM-11:30 AM**

Registration required

### **Movie**

#### ***Wonder***

All ages (Rated PG)

Based on the New York Times bestseller, *WONDER* tells the incredibly inspiring and heartwarming story of August Pullman, a boy with facial differences who enters fifth grade, attending a mainstream elementary school for the first time.

**Wed, Mar 14/1:30 PM**

Group registration required, Free tickets given out 60 min before event

### **Stuffie Sleepover Drop-Off**

All ages

Have you ever wondered what your teddy bear gets up to while you're asleep? Drop off your bear or other stuffed friend at the library for an exciting sleepover with other toys. When you pick up your stuffie the next day, stay for our Teddy Bear Picnic and see the shenanigans from the night before. Full schedule: Stuffie drop-off, Thursday, March 15/9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Information Desk. Teddy Bear Picnic and stuffie pick up, Friday, March 16/10:30 a.m. Psst...Don't worry if your child doesn't want to drop off their stuffie for the sleepover. We still want you to come and enjoy the Teddy Bear Picnic on Friday.

**Thu, Mar 15/9 AM-3 PM**

Registration required

### **Escape Room**

Ages 7+

Work in teams to solve puzzles and figure out clues. Can you escape the Library Escape Room?

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**Thu, Mar 15/11 AM-11:45 AM**

Registration required

### **Teddy Bear Picnic and Stuffie Sleepover Pick-up**

All ages

This Teddy Bear Picnic is for everyone. Enjoy stories, crafts, and more. See what the stuffies got up to at the Stuffie Sleepover. Schedule: Stuffie drop off, Thursday, March 15/9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Information Desk. Teddy Bear Picnic and stuffie pick up, Friday, March 16/10:30 a.m. Psst...Don't worry if your child didn't bring a stuffie for the sleepover. We still want you to come and enjoy the Teddy Bear Picnic.

**Fri, Mar 16/10:30 AM-11:15 AM**

Group registration required

### **March Break Movie**

#### ***Despicable Me 3***

All ages (Rated PG)

Watch this movie on our big screen. Popcorn will be served.

**Fri, Mar 16/1:30 PM**

Group registration required, Free tickets given out 30 min before event

## **Preschoolers**

### **Baby's First Books Drop-In**

Ages 0-18 months

Treat your little one to the experience of books, rhythm of music, and fun of group play. Caregiver must be present.

**Thursdays/10:30 AM-11:15 AM**

No program March 15 and 22, Free tickets given out 30 min before event

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### **Family Drop-in**

Ages 0-5

Families! Enjoy a variety of activities together, including stories and songs.

#### **Fridays/10:30 AM-11:15 AM**

No program March 16, 23, and 30, Free tickets given out 30 min before event

### **Read-A-Jig-Jig**

Ages 0-5

Read a Jig Jig and away we'll go with music, songs, crafts and more.

#### **Saturdays/10:30 AM-11:15 AM**

No program March 17 and 24, Free tickets given out 30 min before event

### **Just for Me! Storytime**

#### **One-on-One Literacy**

Ages 0-5 years

Every learner is different. The trick is to find what works and grow from there. At the Library, we have many ways to draw in young learners of varying interests and capabilities, and Just for Me lets you choose. We have active and digital options to fit different attention spans or shyness. We have spaces with minimal noises for creating a calm learning experience. And we have a passion for getting every child ready to read. Call us at 902-490-4068 to book your one-one-one session.

#### **By appointment only/open hours**

Registration required

## Teens

### **Murder Mystery**

#### **After Hours**

Ages 14-18

Won't you join us for an evening of mystery, suspicion, and... murder!? It'll be the sort of night where Professor Plum gets caught holding a bloody candlestick in the conservatory. This promises to give you nightmares! (Don't worry, it won't be THAT scary ;)

#### **Thu, Mar 15/8:45 PM-10:30 PM**

Registration required

### **Connect the Dots**

#### **Led by the Youth Project**

Ages 18 and Under

LGBTQ youth and friends, drop in on the third Tuesday of every month, make connections and have fun! Led by the Youth Project. For more information, call 902-429-5429. In partnership with The Youth Project.

#### **Tue, Mar 20/6 PM-8 PM**

### **Hot Topics**

Ages 14-18

Discuss a new "hot topic" (ie racism, mental health, body image etc.) each week in a safe, supportive environment. We will provide the snacks and the topics each week. No program on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

#### **Tuesdays/7 PM-8:30 PM**

### **Young Moms**

Ages 23 and under

Are you a young mom who would like to spend some time learning and socializing with other young moms and their children in your community?

Join us for snacks, socializing, learning, sharing, and playing.

#### **Wednesdays 3PM-4:30PM**

No program March 14

### **WTN**

#### **(Woodlawn Teen Night)**

Ages 13-18

Thursday nights are kind of a big deal around here. That's cause it's Teen Night! We've got snacks, games, art, performance, movies, and more. Come check us out. Oh, and did I mention it's totally free?!

#### **Thursdays/6 PM-8 PM**