

PROGRAM GUIDE

January/February, 2026

New Year, New-to-You Swap Meets

HOME ORGANIZATION SWAP

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 24,
11:00 A.M - 1:00 P.M.
SUNDERLAND BRANCH**



Donate gently used organizing items you no longer need to the Sunderland Branch during our open hours from January 3-21. Donors will receive an early bird ticket for early access to our Saturday, Jan. 24th Organizing Swap Meet.

Start the new year with a clear space and a clear mind! Think baskets, bins, jars, planners, calendars, hooks, or storage containers and swap them for something that might better fit your space or style. This fun and eco-friendly exchange is all about reducing waste, reusing what we have, and finding new ways to stay organized. We'll share simple tips for tackling clutter in the new year and showcase some of our favourite organizing books!

COZY CRAFT SUPPLY SWAP

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14,
11:00 A.M - 1:00 P.M.
SUNDERLAND BRANCH**



Donate your unused craft supplies to the Sunderland Branch during our open hours from January 22 -Feb 11. Donors will receive an early bird ticket for early access to our Saturday, Feb. 14th Craft Supply Swap Meet.

Knitters, crafters, and makers unite! Bring your unused craft supplies such as scrapbooking materials, washy tape, stickers, vinyl, yarn, ribbon, fabric, patterns, picture frames, canvases, or kids art kits and exchange them for something new to inspire your next project. A great way to kick off your creative goals for 2026. We'll be highlighting the crafting books in our collection and encouraging new hobbies. Craft away the winter blues!

FAMILY PROGRAMS



2026 WINTER OLYMPICS OPENING CEREMONY LIVE SCREENING



**CANNINGTON BRANCH
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6
2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
DROP-IN**



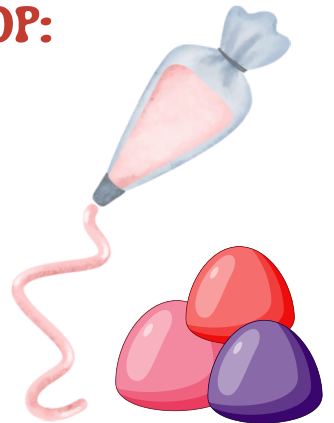
The library is hosting a live screening of the Olympic Opening Ceremony, featuring the spectacular performances, traditions, and Parade of Nations that officially begin the Olympic Games. Drop in to watch all or part of the ceremony and enjoy the excitement of this global celebration as it unfolds in real time.

This is a casual, come-and-go screening open to everyone. No registration required. Just stop by, get comfortable, and enjoy the show!



VALENTINE'S DAY STEAM WORKSHOP: BUILD A LOVE SHACK (AGES 5+)

**SUNDERLAND BRANCH
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10
4:00-5:00 P.M.
FEE \$5
REGISTRATION REQUIRED**




Design and decorate your very own "Love Shack" using gingerbread-house-style materials and plenty of festive flair. With cookies, icing, candies, and Valentine-themed decorations, participants can let their imaginations run wild while building a one-of-a-kind edible masterpiece.

This hands-on program encourages creativity, fine motor skills, and plenty of fun. Whether it's hearts, sprinkles, or extra icing, every Love Shack is guaranteed to be unique and delicious! All supplies will be provided, and creations can be taken home to share (or enjoy!).

Allergy Alert: This program involves food ingredients that may include common allergens such as wheat/gluten, dairy, and soy. The library cannot guarantee an allergen-free environment except for nuts. Please consider this when registering.

SPACE IS LIMITED. PAYMENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE REGISTRATION. REGISTER AT THE FRONT DESK OR ON THE LIBRARY WEBSITE.

READING BUDDIES (Grades 1-4)

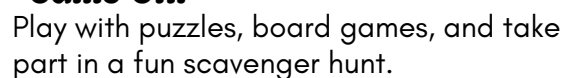
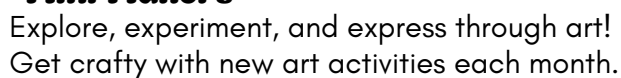


SUPER SATURDAYS

Squish, roll, and mold your way through a sensory play adventure! We'll provide the playdough and tools—bring your imagination.



Build your own world, one brick at a time!
Create towers, creatures, and more using our
library's LEGO collection.



FAMILY PROGRAMS

CREATIVE KIDS CLUB (GRADES 1-5)



BEAVERTON BRANCH
TUESDAY EVENINGS
JANUARY 6, 13, 20, 27,
FEBRUARY 3, 10
6:15-7:00 P.M.
DROP-IN

Each session offers a fun and engaging opportunity to experiment with a variety of materials. Whether your child loves to paint, fold, sculpt, or create with texture and colour, there's something for everyone. Please note: some projects may require several weeks to complete. Regular attendance is encouraged.

STORYTIME ADVENTURE (AGES 0-5)



CANNINGTON BRANCH
WEDNESDAY MORNINGS
10:00-10:45 A.M.
DROP-IN

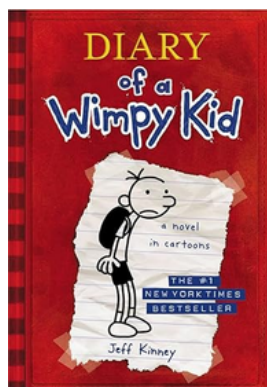
Join us for a fun program of movement, early literacy, creativity, and connection. Bring your own snacks to enjoy during the program.



JUNIOR BOOK CLUB (GRADES 5-8)

CANNINGTON BRANCH
4:00-5:00 P.M.
DROP-IN

Pick up a copy of our latest book at the Cannington Branch or place a hold for it to be sent down to your closest library branch.



FRIDAY,
JANUARY 23



FRIDAY,
FEBRUARY 27

BEAVERTON STORYTIME (AGES 1-JK)

BEAVERTON BRANCH
FRIDAYS AT 10:15 A.M.
DROP-IN

Families with children aged 1 to JK, learn and practice skills for school readiness in this fun and engaging storytime! Please bring your indoor shoes.



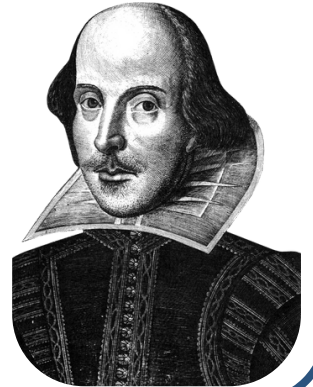
JANUARY 9, 16, 23, 30,
FEBRUARY 6, 13

ADULT PROGRAMS

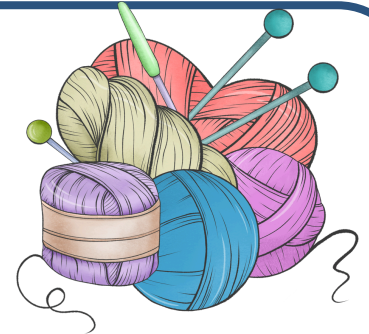


SHAKESPEARE CLUB SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7 10:30 A.M. - 12:20 P.M. CANNINGTON BRANCH DROP-IN

Join us for a lively reading and discussion of one of Shakespeare's greatest tragedies, *King Lear*. Explore themes of family, loyalty, and fate as we journey through this timeless tale.



FRIENDLY FIBER CIRCLE WEDNESDAYS 3:30-4:30 P.M. SUNDERLAND BRANCH DROP-IN



A welcoming social gathering for knitters, crocheters, and all fiber enthusiasts! Bring your projects, share ideas, and enjoy creating in a friendly, relaxed setting. This group also hosts *Sunderland Crafting for Community*, connecting volunteers, yarn, and tools to make handmade items for those in need. All skill levels are welcome!



GENEALOGY DROP IN TUESDAY JANUARY 27 & FEBRUARY 24 2:30-4:00 P.M. CANNINGTON BRANCH

Join this informal drop-in opportunity to get hands-on assistance with your genealogy research as well as access to Ancestry.ca and other library resources.



For assistance using our genealogy tools, email us at: familyhistory@brocklibraries.ca

ADULT PROGRAMS



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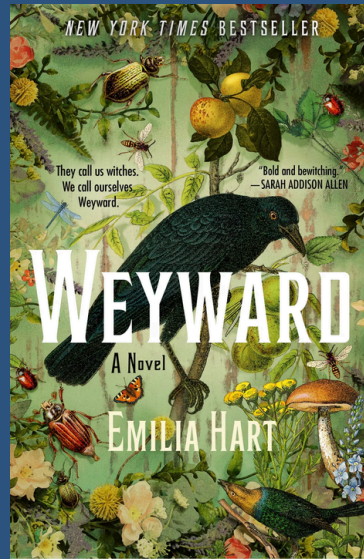
January 31, 2025

Sunderland Branch

10:00-11:00 a.m.

Drop-in

Pick up a copy at the Sunderland Branch or place a hold to have it sent to your closest branch. Check out Libby for more availability options (eBooks/audiobooks).



Weaving together the stories of three extraordinary women across five centuries, Emilia Hart's *Weyward* is an astonishing debut, and an enthralling novel of female resilience.



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TITLE TO BE DETERMINED

February 28

Sunderland Branch

10:00-11:00 a.m.

Drop-in

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Contact Information and Hours

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Hours

Monday Closed

Tuesday 10:00 AM – 7:30 PM

Wednesday 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Thursday 10:00 AM – 7:30 PM

Friday 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Saturday 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Sunday Closed

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Sunday Closed



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