

## Tuesday, October 1, 2024

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### Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 9:00 am

Address: 368 King St., Port Colborne (and others)

Are you an ally against abuse?

Get your daily raffle ticket in support of Birchway Niagara and you will change lives this November during Woman Abuse Prevention Month. For sales locations and prize information, visit: [www.birchway.ca/raffle](http://www.birchway.ca/raffle)

Only \$10 for 30 chances to win! Early bird deadline is October 14!

Get yours at the following Port Colborne locations:

Royal LePage – 368 King St.

Super Mario's Pizza – 281 King St.

39 Hers – 197 Main St. W.

### Bookmark Contest

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Bookmark Contest

Submit a bookmark design for a chance to be our featured artist for the month. Available in the Children's Room.

For ages zero to 12. Drop-in. Free.

### Resume Refresh with PC Works

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Resume Refresh with PC Works

Tuesdays

September 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2024.  
October 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29, 2024.  
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Bring in a copy of your resume (paper/digital) and get tips to improve it. [PC Works](#) will help refresh and optimize your resume to highlight your skills to match your employment goals. Don't have a resume? PC Works can help get you started.

Drop-in. Free.

## Baby Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Baby Time

Tuesdays  
September 10 & 17, 2024.  
October 1, 8 & 15, 2024.  
10:15 a.m. to 10:45 am.

Meet new friends, sing songs, and enjoy stories with the your one.

For ages zero to two. Free.  
Pre-registration required.

## Speak with a Registered Dietician

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Speak with a Registered Dietician

Tuesday, October 1, 2024.  
10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Have questions about nutrition and diet? Speak with a Registered Dietician from Bridges Community Health Centre.

## Bridges Community Health Centre Programs and Services

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Bridges Community Health Centre Programs and Services

Tuesday, October 1, 2024.  
2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Learn about free programs and services offered by Bridges CHC with Health Promoter Lori.

## Wednesday, October 2, 2024

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### Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 2 9:00 am

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### Kid's Craft Cart

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 2 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Kid's Craft Cart

Wednesdays  
September 18 & 25, 2024  
October 2, 9, 16 23 & 30, 2024.  
3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

We bring the craft supplies; you bring the creativity. Create something unique to you at our Craft Cart.

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## Thursday, October 3, 2024

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### Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

Date and Time: Thursday, October 3 9:00 am

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## Open House: Touch-a-Truck & Fire Prevention Kick-Off

Date and Time: Thursday, October 3 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 1 & Killaly Street West, Port Colborne.

Join us **Thursday, October 3 from 4-7 p.m.** to touch-a-truck and learn more about fire prevention at our Open House! A chance for kids to learn about fire safety and to have an up-close, hands-on opportunity to see and touch heavy equipment, fire trucks, and meet the people who operate these machines and serve the community.

Kids of all ages and their parents are invited to this FREE event featuring a variety of vehicles, Fire Department obstacle course, live burn and fire safety carnival games.

## Friday, October 4, 2024

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### Port Colborne Farmers Market

Date and Time: Friday, October 4 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Market Square

Port Colborne Farmers Market every Friday morning. Over 50 vendors. Where farm, food and culture meet.

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## **Saturday, October 5, 2024**

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### **Story Time with Shelly**

Date and Time: Saturday, October 5 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## **Story Time with Shelly**

Saturdays

September 7 & 28, 2024.

October 5, 12, 19, & 26, 2024.

10:30 to 11:30 a.m..

Meet us in the Children's Room for a fun, free, family time.

All ages. Free. No registration required.

### **Pflag Niagara**

Date and Time: Saturday, October 5 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Pflag Niagara

Saturdays

September 14, 2024.

October 5, 2024.

11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Wondering what all the fuss is about pronouns? Struggling to keep track of all of the letters in 2S&LGBTQQIA + and what they mean? Maybe you have questions but aren't sure if you'll say the right thing or use the correct terms, or you want to know more about how you can be a better ally to the community. Pflag Niagara is here for you!

All are welcome to stop by, ask questions, and chat with us.

Drop-in. Free.

## Sunday, October 6, 2024

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### Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

Date and Time: Sunday, October 6 9:00 am

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## Monday, October 7, 2024

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## Take and Makes

Date and Time: Monday, October 7 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Take & Makes

Pick up a free Take & Make craft kit each week this fall. Available while supplies last.

For all ages. Free.

## Scavenger Hunts

Date and Time: Monday, October 7 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Scavenger Hunts

Find all of the scavenger hunt items and win a small prize. This program runs in the Children's Room every day with a new theme each week.

Drop-in. Free.

## Birchway Niagara (Formerly Women's Place)

Date and Time: Monday, October 7 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Birchway Niagara (Formerly Women's Place)

Monday, September 9, 2024.

Monday, October 7, 2024.

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Learn about communication, boundaries, safety planning, and healthy relationships. Learn how to help someone

who may be experiencing abuse.

Drop-in. Free.

## Lego Club

Date and Time: Monday, October 7 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Lego Club

Mondays

September 9, 16 & 23, 2024.

October 7, 21, & 28, 2024.

3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Complete a challenge, follow a pattern, or use your imagination to make something new – however you like to build, you're sure to create something amazing at Lego Club!

For ages five+. Free.

Drop-in.

## Tuesday, October 8, 2024

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### Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

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### Resume Refresh with PC Works

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## Baby Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 8 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Baby Time

Tuesdays

September 10 & 17, 2024.

October 1, 8 & 15, 2024.

10:15 a.m. to 10:45 am.

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For ages zero to two. Free.

Pre-registration required.

## Wednesday, October 9, 2024

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## Allied Against Abuse Daily Raffle

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## Ontario Seniors Dental Care Program

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 9 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Ontario Seniors Dental Care Program

Wednesdays  
September 4, 2024.  
October 9, 2024.  
10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Learn about eligibility and enrollment in the [Ontario Seniors Dental Care Program \(OSDCP\)](#) with Valerie Wehlann. The Government of Ontario developed the OSDCP to provide free dental care for low-income seniors (65 and older). Valerie works as the Dental Health Community Worker at [Bridges Community Health Centre](#).

Valerie can also be reached at 905-871-7621 ext. 2245 for any additional dental assistance related questions.

Drop-in. Free.

## Kid's Craft Cart

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 9 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

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## Thursday, October 10, 2024

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## **Dungeons and Dragons**

Date and Time: Thursday, October 10 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## **Dungeons and Dragons**

Thursday, September 26, 2024.

Thursday, October 10, 2024.

4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Calling all adventurers – only true heroes need apply! Beware: danger lurks around every corner, and not all who set out will return.

For ages 13 to 17.

Pre-registration required. Free.

## **Adult Board Game Night**

Date and Time: Thursday, October 10 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## **Self-Serve Board Games**

Thursday, September 12, 2024.

Thursday, October 10, 2024.

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Two can play that game... or three, or four! Drop in to browse the Game Cart and play some tabletop games, including Catan, Scrabble, Codenames, Qwirkle, and more.

For ages 18+. Free.

Drop-in.

## Port Colborne Farmers Market

Date and Time: Friday, October 11 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Market Square

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## PD Day Activity: Friendship Bracelets

Date and Time: Friday, October 11 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## PD Day Activity: Friendship Bracelets

Friday, October 11, 2024.

10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Make a bracelet for a friend or one to keep for yourself.

For ages six to 12. Drop-in.

Free

## Free Skate presented by Algoma Central Corporation

Date and Time: Friday, October 11 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 550 Elizabeth Street, Port Colborne, ON, L3K 5W3

Thanks to Algoma Central Corporation, we are proud to present the following free skate at the Vale Health & Wellness Centre. For the full schedule, visit <https://www.portcolborne.ca/Free%20Skating%20-%20Updated%202024.pdf>

## Saturday, October 12, 2024

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### Story Time with Shelly

Date and Time: Saturday, October 12 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Story Time with Shelly

Saturdays

September 7 & 28, 2024.

October 5, 12, 19, & 26, 2024.

10:30 to 11:30 a.m..

Meet us in the Children's Room for a fun, free, family time.

All ages. Free. No registration required.

## Sunday, October 13, 2024

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## Monday, October 14, 2024

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### Take and Makes

Date and Time: Monday, October 14 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Take & Makes

Pick up a free Take & Make craft kit each week this fall. Available while supplies last.

For all ages. Free.

## Scavenger Hunts

Date and Time: Monday, October 14 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Scavenger Hunts

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Drop-in. Free.

## Tuesday, October 15, 2024

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### Resume Refresh with PC Works

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 15 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Resume Refresh with PC Works

Tuesdays

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### Baby Time

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 15 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Baby Time

Tuesdays

September 10 & 17, 2024.

October 1, 8 & 15, 2024.

10:15 a.m. to 10:45 am.

Meet new friends, sing songs, and enjoy stories with the your one.

For ages zero to two. Free.  
Pre-registration required.

## Wednesday, October 16, 2024

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### Kid's Craft Cart

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 16 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Kid's Craft Cart

Wednesdays

September 18 & 25, 2024

October 2, 9, 16 23 & 30, 2024.

3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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## Thursday, October 17, 2024

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### Senior Citizens Advisory Committee

Date and Time: Thursday, October 17 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Senior Citizens Advisory Committee

Thursdays

September 19, 2024.

October 17, 2024.

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The Senior Citizens Advisory Committee advises City Council with respect to establishing policies, services and structures that support and enable seniors to live in security, enjoy good health and continue to participate fully in society. Stop by the library to learn about local programs, services, and resources for older adults.

Drop-in. Free.

## Friday, October 18, 2024

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## Port Colborne Farmers Market

Date and Time: Friday, October 18 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Market Square

Port Colborne Farmers Market every Friday morning. Over 50 vendors. Where farm, food and culture meet.

## Paranormal Ghost Tours

Date and Time: Friday, October 18 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 296 Fielden Avenue

Join us at the Roselawn Centre for another year of Paranormal Ghost Tours! The Paranormal and Historical Association of Niagara will be leading two groups each night through Roselawn, using paranormal equipment to communicate with the other side.

Spots are limited, tickets are \$25.00/person and can be purchased online through the link below. Participants must be 18+ years old.

## Ladies Night at the Rink: Supporting Port Colborne Wave Girls Hockey!!

Date and Time: Friday, October 18 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 550 Elizabeth Street Port Colborne

Join us for an exciting night out at the Vale Health and Wellness Centre as we cheer on the Port Colborne Sailors Junior Hockey Club! 🎉 There will be live, Junior Sailors hockey and additional events throughout the game showcasing the Port Colborne Wave Girls Hockey Association. All ticket holders will be entered into a draw for a chance to win official PWHL Toronto swag! 🏒 The event supports the Port Colborne Girls Hockey Association, with \$8 from every ticket helping young girls play the game they love at affordable rates.

## Paranormal Ghost Tours

Date and Time: Friday, October 18 9:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 296 Fielden Avenue

Join us at the Roselawn Centre for another year of Paranormal Ghost Tours! The Paranormal and Historical Association of Niagara will be leading two groups each night through Roselawn, using paranormal equipment to communicate with the other side.

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## Saturday, October 19, 2024

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## Port Colborne Lions Annual Food Drive

Date and Time: Saturday, October 19 8:30 am - 1:00 pm

Address: 484 Barrick Road

The Port Colborne Lions Club annual food drive is Saturday, October 19th. This event is so crucial to help those in need in our wonderful Port Colborne community. If you can lend a helping hand by donating or coming to volunteer then please show up to Christian Life Assembly Church for 8:30 a.m. High school students can receive community service hours for participation. Any help is appreciated. Please have your donation on your doorstep in a VISIBLE place for 9 am. To volunteer or if you have any questions then contact Lion Laura at 289-407-0106

## Story Time with Shelly

Date and Time: Saturday, October 19 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Story Time with Shelly

Saturdays

September 7 & 28, 2024.

October 5, 12, 19, & 26, 2024.

10:30 to 11:30 a.m..

Meet us in the Children's Room for a fun, free, family time.

All ages. Free. No registration required.

## Book Launch Day: Defy by Sara de Waard

Date and Time: Saturday, October 19 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Book Launch Day: Defy by Sara de Waard

Saturday, October 19, 2024.

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Join local author Sara de Waard for the launch of her second young adult book, **Defy**. Following de Waard's first release (award-winning **White Lies**), **Defy** explores the hard decisions that must be made when confronting societal injustices, interwoven with the emotional turmoil and life altering changes that accompany grief and adolescence as Darius fights back against a corrupt medical system that sacrifices the many to protect the powerful few. **Defy** is a dystopian drama and is recommended for all readers aged 12+.

This special event is open to the public with an author reading, refreshments and book signings starting at 2pm. Limited copies of **White Lies** and **Defy** will be available for purchase.

All are welcome. Drop-in. Free.

## Paranormal Ghost Tours

Date and Time: Saturday, October 19 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 296 Fielden Avenue

Join us at the Roselawn Centre for another year of Paranormal Ghost Tours! The Paranormal and Historical Association of Niagara will be leading two groups each night through Roselawn, using paranormal equipment to communicate with the other side.

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## Monday, October 21, 2024

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### Take and Makes

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Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Take & Makes

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### Scavenger Hunts

Date and Time: Monday, October 21 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Scavenger Hunts

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Drop-in. Free.

## Port Colborne Public Library Book Club

Date and Time: Monday, October 21 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Port Colborne Public Library Book Club

Introducing the Port Colborne Public Library Book Club! Pre-register to join us and stop by the library to pick up a copy of our book.

- Monday, October 21, 2024. 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.
  - Join us for a discussion of *The Women in the Castle* by Jessica Shattuck.

Limited spaces. Pre-register. Free.

## Lego Club

Date and Time: Monday, October 21 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Lego Club

Mondays

September 9, 16 & 23, 2024.

October 7, 21, & 28, 2024.

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## Tuesday, October 22, 2024

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## Resume Refresh with PC Works

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Drop-in. Free.

## Craft Circle

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 22 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Seniors' Craft Circle

Tuesday, September 24, 2024.

Tuesday, October 22, 2024.

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Bring your own project and join the circle to enjoy a time of socializing and crafting. Don't have a project? Grab some supplies from our Craft Cart and get started!

For ages 18+. Free.

Drop-in.

## Wednesday, October 23, 2024

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## Kid's Craft Cart

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 23 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

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## Thursday, October 24, 2024

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### Service Canada

Date and Time: Thursday, October 24 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Service Canada

Next sessions:

Tuesday, September 17, 2024, 10:00 am to 1:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 24, 2024, 10:00 am to 12:00 p.m.

Service Canada can help you apply for programs and services:

- Old Age Security (OAS)
- Canada Pension Plan (CPP)
- Employment Insurance (EI)
- Social Insurance Number (SIN)
- My Service Canada Account (MSCA).

Drop-in. Free.

### Teen Board Game Night

Date and Time: Thursday, October 24 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

### Teen Board Game Night

Thursday, September 26, 2024.

Thursday, October 24, 2024.

4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

It's game on at the library! Test your skills with our strategy, drawing, and word games or bring your favourite game to play. Bring some friends and get ready to roll!

For ages 13 to 17. Drop-in. Free.

## Friday, October 25, 2024

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### Port Colborne Farmers Market

Date and Time: Friday, October 25 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Market Square

Port Colborne Farmers Market every Friday morning. Over 50 vendors. Where farm, food and culture meet.

## Lantern Tours

Date and Time: Friday, October 25 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: Port Colborne Historical and Marine Museum (280 King St.)

Lantern Tours are back, and with three new spooky stories!

Join us at the Port Colborne Museum for a night of chills and thrills as actors tell tales of Port Colborne in our historic buildings. You won't want to miss it!

Tours are available at 6:30pm, 7:00pm, and 7:30pm on both October 25 and 26.

**Tickets need to be booked in advance**, \$5.00/person, call 905-228-8055 or email [sloane.mcdowell@portcolborne.ca](mailto:sloane.mcdowell@portcolborne.ca) to book your spot!

## Saturday, October 26, 2024

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### Story Time with Shelly

Date and Time: Saturday, October 26 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Story Time with Shelly

Saturdays

September 7 & 28, 2024.

October 5, 12, 19, & 26, 2024.

10:30 to 11:30 a.m..

Meet us in the Children's Room for a fun, free, family time.

All ages. Free. No registration required.

### Speaker Series - Kaboom! Stories of Explosions in Port Colborne's Past

Date and Time: Saturday, October 26 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 286 King St.

Join us to hear presenter Michelle Vosburgh, Ph. D, present about some of Port Colborne's explosive history!

## FREE ADMISSION

Contact [archives@portcolborne.ca](mailto:archives@portcolborne.ca) for more info.

### Movies in the Gym

Date and Time: Saturday, October 26 5:30 pm

Address: 550 Elizabeth Street, Port Colborne, ON, L3K 5W3

Join the City of Port Colborne and the Port Colborne YMCA for movies in the gym! Starting in October and continuing until April, seven movie nights will be held in the YMCA gym. This week's movie will be Hotel Transylvania (PG). While these flicks are perfect for all ages, parental guidance is recommended for our youngest viewers. Doors to the show will open at 5:30 p.m. with movies starting at 5:45 p.m.

For more information and full schedule, visit: <https://www.portcolborne.ca/en/recreation-and-leisure/movies-in-the-gym.aspx>

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## Sunday, October 27, 2024

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### Free Skate presented by Elite Developments

Date and Time: Sunday, October 27 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 550 Elizabeth Street, Port Colborne, ON, L3K 5W3

Thanks to Elite Developments, we are proud to present the following free skate at the Vale Health & Wellness Centre. For the full schedule, visit <https://www.portcolborne.ca/Free%20Skating%20-%20Updated%202024.pdf>

## Monday, October 28, 2024

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## Take and Makes

Date and Time: Monday, October 28 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Take & Makes

Pick up a free Take & Make craft kit each week this fall. Available while supplies last.

For all ages. Free.

## Scavenger Hunts

Date and Time: Monday, October 28 9:30 am

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Scavenger Hunts

Find all of the scavenger hunt items and win a small prize. This program runs in the Children's Room every day with a new theme each week.

Drop-in. Free.

## Documentary Films

Date and Time: Monday, October 28 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Port Colborne Public Library 310 King St.

## Documentary Films

Bring a friend or two and join us for an afternoon of film-watching. Enjoy a lively discussion. Presented the last Monday of the month, January to December, 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

### 2024 Season

Monday, October 28, 2024. 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Join us for a screening and discussion of a documentary film:

- Unarchived (2022, 84 min.)
  - In community archives across British Columbia, local knowledge keepers are hand-fashioning a more inclusive history. Through a collage of personal interviews, archival footage and deeply rooted memories, the past, present and future come together. History is what we all make of it.

Pre-registration is required. Contact the library for more information: 905-834-6512. Free.

## Lego Club

Date and Time: Monday, October 28 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

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## Lego Club

Mondays

September 9, 16 & 23, 2024.

October 7, 21, & 28, 2024.

3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Complete a challenge, follow a pattern, or use your imagination to make something new – however you like to build, you're sure to create something amazing at Lego Club!

For ages five+. Free.

Drop-in.

## Environmental Speaker Series

Date and Time: Monday, October 28 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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## Environmental Speaker Series

Join us this fall for the City of Port Colborne's Environmental Awareness Speaker Series, presented by the Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC). This dynamic series is designed to ignite your passion for conservation, sustainability, energy conservation, and empathy for local watersheds. Our goal is to inspire action and provide valuable insights that you can apply in your daily life and within our community. Whether you're a seasoned environmental advocate or just beginning to explore these topics, you'll leave each session with practical takeaways and a renewed commitment to making a difference. Don't miss this opportunity to connect, learn, and contribute to a more sustainable future for Port Colborne! This series has been generously sponsored by Jungbunzlauer Canada Inc.

Pre-registration required. Free.

- September 23, 2024. 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
  - Conservation in Niagara: Taking Action for Nature
    - Presenter: Natalie Green, Manager of Climate Change & Special Programs, Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority
- October 28, 2024. 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
  - Residential Electrification: Taking Steps for a Sustainable Future
    - Presenter: Tim Lamb, EAC Member & Electrification Advocate
- November 25, 2024. 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
  - Building Empathy for Local Watersheds
    - Presenter: Dr. Julia Baird, Canada Research Chair & Professor at Brock University

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