

Summer Reading Programs

Adult Summer Check-Out Challenge (Adult Program)

Tuesday, July 2nd to Saturday, August 17th, During Library Hours

It's Back! This Summer, join the Library's Adult Summer Checkout Challenge and you will get a chance to win for every eight items you check out! Pick up your Checkout Challenge entry card at any branch starting on Tuesday, July 2nd. Once you've checked out eight items, you will be entered to win monthly prizes as well as our end-of-summer grand prize.



Teen Summer Escape 2019! (Teen Program)

Monday, June 24th to Saturday, August 24th, During Library Hours

Teens escape the summer heat by checking out any Cobourg Public Library movie, book, video game, graphic novel, magazine, or any other Library material. Scratch your scratch card at checkout for a chance to win a prize. Not a lucky winner? Enter your card for the grand prize! Check out our 5-minute escape room puzzles up in the Young Adult department on the 2nd floor for more chances.



Summer Reading Fun (Youth Services)

Tuesday, July 2nd to Saturday, August 17th, During Library Hours

Hey kids! The Library has great summer activities for you and your friends all summer long. Focusing on the natural world come and explore all three branches for some movin' and grovin', things with wings, space, weather and the elements. Through the TD Summer Reading Program explore endangered species, participate in an African photo safari, take a hike in the woods, or maybe deep sea exploration is your gig. Come check us out! It's easy - participate and receive a ballot to enter for three fabulous prizes at the end of the summer. Reading is fun!



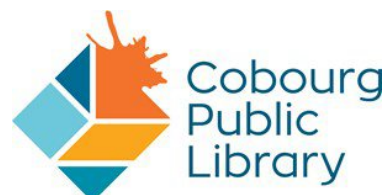
Volunteer at Your CobourgPL!

Join the #CobourgPL Volunteer Program today!
You can apply on our website: www.cobourg.ca/en/Library.aspx or by filling out an application in the Library. Volunteers enjoy perks from our partners at Cobourg McDonalds and Rainbow Cinema while they give back. For more information, contact Rachel Spence at 905-372-9271 x: 6240 or rspence@cobourg.library.on.ca



Closure Dates

July 1st - Canada Day
August 5th - Civic Holiday
September 2nd - Labour Day
Sundays from July 7th to September 1st



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Summer 2019...For You

June, July and August



NEW: Shelter Buddies Program
Every Wednesday from September 4th to October 9th
from 3:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., Program Room

Help your child improve confidence and literacy skills by reading to animals from the Northumberland Humane Society! Register by attending at the Library on Wednesday, August 7th from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. while visiting with the animals!



Kitten Shower Donation Drive
Saturday, June 1st, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.,
Rotary Room

Looking for an adoptable kitten? Look no further! We'll be hosting a drive for the Northumberland Humane Society where you can meet kittens, enjoy games, draws and refreshments provided by our friends at Just Brew It! If you're interested in donating items to the NHS their wish list can be found on their website:
<https://northumberlandhs.com/>

Second Annual Community Yard Sale - Cobourg

Saturday, June 22nd, 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Rotary Room and Outside the Library

Love a treasure hunt? So do we! Join us at our second annual Community Yard Sale on June 22nd, rain or shine. You never know what you'll find! Refreshments will be available for purchase at the event. If you'd like a space at the sale, please contact Rachel Spence at rspence@cobourg.library.on.ca or 905-372-9271 x: 6240.



Craft Supply Swap! - Cobourg

Saturday, July 20th, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Looking to try a new craft but don't want to invest a lot of money until you know if it works for you? Are you looking to downsize or move and have beautiful craft related items that need a new home? Come swap your stuff at the Library! Our Craft Supply Swap runs from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and items can be brought in starting at 9:00 a.m. Please only bring items that are in good condition that you would want to bring home. Please no opened paint, or items that are no longer usable. Items not picked up during the swap may be used for future Library programs, or donated to a local organization. Contact Jocelyn Gard to register at 905-372-9271 ext. 6249 or jgard@cobourg.library.on.ca



Long & McQuade Musical Petting Zoo - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, July 16th, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Instead of goats and rabbits, the Long & McQuade Music Instruments Petting Zoo includes trumpets, guitars and drums! This fully interactive, hands on program is facilitated by music professionals with the goal of educating and inspiring a love for music. No experience necessary! Registration required.



Colossal Kids! - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Thursday, July 18th, 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Rotary Room

Join personal trainer, Brandon Perry, owner and operator of Colossal Fitness for an hour of physical activities to get you moving. There will be exercises for different parts of your body as well as games of bowling, Twister and hula dancing. Registration is required. Ages 8 to 13.



Cobourg Farmer's Market! - Community Outreach Event

Saturday, July 20th 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Waterfront Rotary Park

Saturday, August 10th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Waterfront Rotary Park

On July 20th visit our community booth to find out what resources your Library has for you! On August 10th, stop by to enjoy a family story-time and fun craft.



Summer Kids Yoga! - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Thursday, July 25th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Program Room

Tuesday, August 20th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Program Room

Karma Yoga Kids is a fun opportunity for your child to exercise their mind, body and imagination. Your qualified yoga teacher will lead this session which is inspiring and wonderfully positive in teaching kids to relax while having fun. The class will include a combination of music, visual imagery and storytelling. Space is limited. Registration is required. Ages 4 and up.



Bat Chat - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Thursday, July 11th, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Cameco Room

Bat expert Dr. Christine Davy discusses the extraordinary life of bats and the important role they play in our local ecosystem. Learn the basic facts and dispel some of the common myths about bats. Limited Space available.



Little Ray's Reptile Zoo - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Friday, August 9th, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Calling all animal lovers! We'll have reptiles of all kinds visiting us from Little Ray's Reptile Zoo. (Think, slithery snakes and loving lizards). This is the perfect chance to learn more about how these cool creatures live from experienced professionals, while actually interacting with them!



PA Day Fun - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Friday, June 7th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

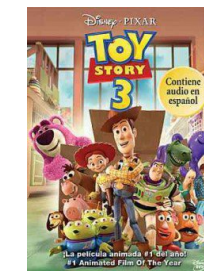
Join our Youth Services Coordinator, Rhonda Perry, for PA Day fun! Visit our Bewdley Branch Library for hilarious stories to split your sides and participate in fun craft activities.



PA Day Movie Afternoon: Toy Story 3 (Youth Services)

Friday, June 7th, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Program Room

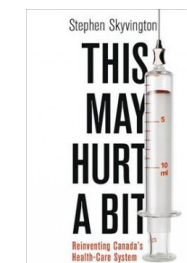
You've got a friend in me! Come watch Toy Story 3 before the new movie hits theaters! Join us on the final P.A. Day of the year for a movie and some popcorn. Friday, June 7th at 2:00 p.m. in the Children's Program Room.



Meet the Author: Stephen Skyvington (Adult Program)

Saturday, June 8th, 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Rotary Room

Join local author, Stephen Skyvington as he discusses his new book "This May Hurt a Bit: Reinventing Canada's Healthcare System." As one of Canada's best known health care policy experts, Stephen Skyvington brings an in-depth look at what's wrong with our current health care system, what can be done to fix it and what the implications may be of failing to do so. Registration is required.



Build Your Own Vision Board - Cobourg (Adult Program)

Wednesday, June 12th, 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Are you curious about vision boards? Have you ever wanted to make one of your own? Come to this low-stress Library program and start creating something that inspires you. Registration is required.



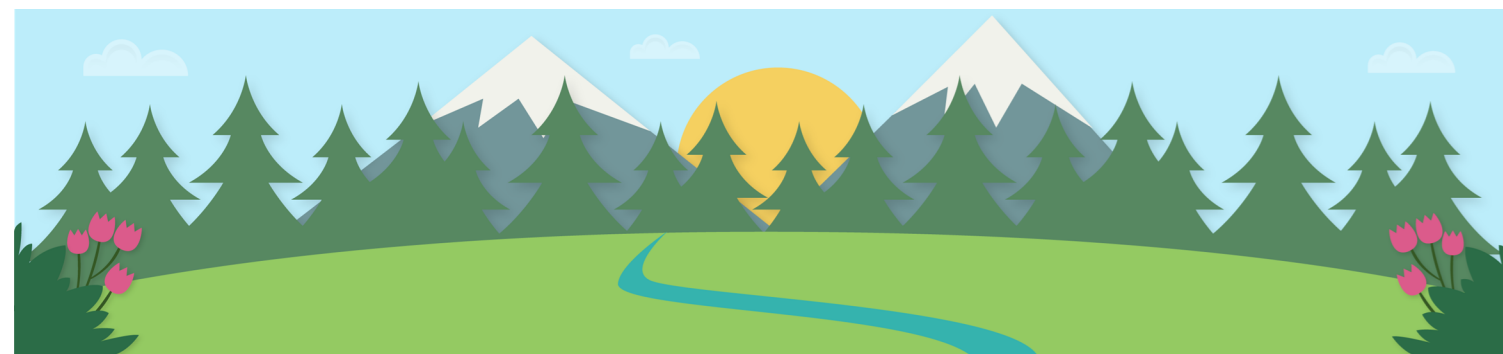
Gentle Hatha Yoga - Cobourg (Adult Program)

Thursday, June 13th, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Rotary Room

Have you ever wanted to try yoga? Now's your chance! Join Francesca, from Karma Lifestyle Yoga, and give it a try! This slow, gentle class will help bring peace to your mind and body. No experience necessary. Please dress comfortably and bring your own mat and a towel. Registration is required.



Never miss a program! Sign-up today, and we will email you a list of our upcoming programs each month! Visit our main webpage, and click on "Program Updates" under e-newsletters.



July 2019

Saturday Stories - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Every Saturday from July 6th to August 31st, 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

Join us in the Youth Services Department Saturdays during July and August for some family story time fun! This 45 minute program will have you clapping, laughing, stompin' and rompin'.

CPL African Photo Safari - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Monday, July 8th to Saturday, July 13th, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Bring your binoculars and join us for an African animal photo safari at the Library! If you spot all 12 animals you will receive a Summer Reading Club ballot and a prize.

Nature Rhymes - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, July 9th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., Program Room

Join us for a special edition of our popular Family Story Time program - Nature Rhymes. This 45 minute program will bring out your sillies and have us all celebrating our natural world through stories, songs and rhymes.

Nature Bingo - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, July 2nd to Wednesday, July 31st, During Library Hours

Win a prize for spending time outside the Library. Learn about your natural world as you participate in different nature activities or sightings to get a BINGO. Once you complete a full line, shout BINGO! Ages 6 to 12. Bring your completed bingo line to the Youth Services Department to receive a prize.

Family Craft Night: Build Your Own Bat House - Bewdley Branch

Thursday, July 18th, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Make a home for our local bats! Bring the family and make a bat house for your yard. Instruction and materials will be provided. One bat house per family. Registration is required.

Edible Bugs - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, July 23rd, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Program Room

Join us as we explore all things creepy...that you can eat! Learn about creepy crawlies and find out what is actually quite tasty. Yes: You get to eat bugs! Registration is required. Ages 7 to 12.

Eco Games Hour - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Thursday, July 25th, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Nature lovers: join us for some fun and educational eco-games! Learn how animals use their senses to help them to survive in nature. Registration is required. Ages 6 to 12.

A Hike in the Woods - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Monday, July 29th and Saturday, August 3rd, During Library Hours

Let the Youth Services Staff take you on an exploration in the woods without leaving the Library! Find the 12 camouflaged woodland flora and fauna to receive a Summer Reading Club ballot and win a prize!

Moon Landing Party - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Wednesday, July 24th, During Library Hours, Rotary Room

Celebrate Mooniversary! 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing. Celebrate with the us and participate with drop-in activities. Design a landing craft, create with moon paint, and other fun activities.

August 2019

Space Academy - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Saturday, August 3rd, During Library Hours

Are you interested in space and our solar system? Would you like to find out if you have what it takes to become a real astronaut? Join Youth Services staff to participate in challenges and activities in our Space Academy.

Deep Sea Exploration - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, August 6th to Saturday, August 10th, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Wear your beach gear and drop in for an underwater themed search and find activity. 12 sea creatures are hidden throughout the Youth Services Department. Find them all and receive a Summer Reading Club ballot and prize!

Butterflies and Hummingbirds - Gores Landing Branch (Youth Services)

Tuesday, August 6th, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, August 10th, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Come by to learn about types of butterflies and hummingbirds including why they are important and how to help them. Make a feeder to take home or check out one of our books on these winged jewels.

Ontario Endangered Species Hunt - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Monday, August 12th to Saturday, August 17th, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Did you know that many of Ontario's native plants and animals are endangered? Stop into the Youth Services Department to search for 12 of these endangered species and learn more about each of them. You will receive a Summer Reading Club ballot and a prize if you find all 12 of them!

Tie-Dye T-Shirt Day - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Wednesday, August 14th, 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Cameco Room

Come and learn how to tie-dye white t-shirts with us! We'll have green, red and yellow colours to choose from. Registration is required.

Rain Cloud Gravity - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Friday, August 16th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Join us in creating colourful clouds using watercolours and cotton balls. From there, we will make it rain! Registration is required.

CPL Kids Carnival - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Saturday, August 17th, During Library Hours, Program Room, Rotary Room and Outdoors

Step right up and join the fun. The Library carnival will be so much fun. Celebrate your reading achievements this summer. Enjoy popcorn, get a temporary tattoo, play games and much more!

YouTube "Try Not To" Challenge - Cobourg (Teen Program)

Tuesday, August 20th, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Program Room

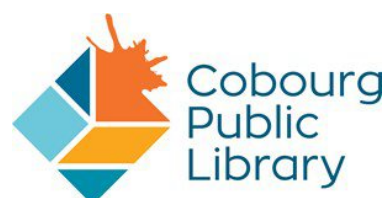
You've seen the YouTube sensation "try not to" videos, now try it in real life. Try not to sing, move, or react to your favourite songs!

K is for Kindness - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, August 27th, 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., Program Room

A back to school program discovering what it means to be kind to others. Just in time for the new school year or children starting school for the first time. Our 45 minute program introduces structure and routine, while sharing stories, songs, rhymes and fun activities. Space is limited. Registration is required.

Registration begins on May 27th, 2019. Register here: <https://calendar.cobourg.ca/library/>



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Ongoing Programs



Laughing With Baby - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Mondays, 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Youth Services Department

Drop-in and visit our unique baby story time! A 30-minute program of fun ideas you can do with your baby. Families welcome. Ages 0-24 months with a caregiver.



Needle Nuts Yarn Circle - Cobourg (Adult Program)

Every Monday, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Reading Room

Calling all knitters, crocheters, and other needle nuts. Bring your latest project, or work on a project for a local organization. Everyone is welcome and chatting is encouraged!



Monday & Friday Movies! - Cobourg (Adult Program)

Friday June 3rd to Monday, June 17th, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Join us in the Rotary Room for a free movie and refreshments on Monday and Friday. Ask at your local Branch for a complete listing. Returning in September.



Teen Advisory Group (T.A.G.) - Cobourg (Teen Program)

Tuesday, June 4th, Returning in September, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Program Room

Teens hang out with friends in our Program Room, eat snacks and make an impact at the Library. You may also receive community service hours. Refreshments will be provided.



Family Story Time - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Every Wednesday, 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

Everyone is welcome to our drop-in story time. In this program we share stories, activities, rhymes and a craft. Join us to help develop early school skills for your child. Themes include: police, Father's Day, cats and music. A special visit from Music with Jane on Wednesday, June 26th.



Homeschooling Families - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Wednesday, June 12th, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Rotary Room

Everyone is welcome to join homeschooling families for educational sessions with Library staff that highlight a different topic each month. Our Youth Services Department will provide subject resources for you to further explore. **June 12th** - Unsolved Mysteries. Watch for new monthly topics beginning in September.



Family Story Time - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Every Friday in June, Returning September 6th, 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Everyone is welcome for our 30 minute drop-in story time at the Bewdley Branch. Enjoy stories, songs, rhymes and a craft. Each week there will be a different theme. Join us to help develop early school skills for your child.



Read Your Way to the YMCA (Youth Services)

Monday, July 8th to Saturday, July 13th and Monday, July 29th to Saturday, August 3rd

This summer the Cobourg Public Library and YMCA Northumberland have teamed up to bring you the best of both organizations. Kids, visit the Library and participate in the TD Summer Reading Club activities and receive a free YMCA Northumberland day pass. Get rewarded for reading this summer! (While Supplies Last)

The Summer Fun Continues!

Shake, Rattle & Roll at Venture 13 - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Tuesday, June 18th, 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Join us for the whole morning as we visit Venture 13. Share stories, songs, and rhymes while learning what the Library has planned this summer. Stop by and participate in story time and a craft. Fun for the whole family!



Exam Stress Busters - Cobourg (Teen Program)

Wednesday, June 19th to Wednesday, June 26th, During Library Hours

Teens, stop by the Library during exam week for a quiet study space and stress busters!

Summer Fire Safety - Bewdley Branch (Youth Services)

Thursday, July 4th, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Fun summer bonfires and campfires can present any number of safety hazards. Learn how to stay safe with the Hamilton Township Fire Department! We'll be serving s'mores while you meet a Fireperson. Registration is required.



Ecology Garden Scavenger Hunt - Ecology Garden (Youth Program)

Wednesday, July 10th, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, Ecology Garden

Join us at the Cobourg Ecology Garden on Hibernia Street to partake in a lovely outdoor scavenger hunt! Fun will be had and prizes will be won! The rain date this year will be Thursday, July 11th. All are welcome.

NEW: STEAM Lab - Cobourg (Youth Services)

Friday's from June to August, During Library Hours, STEAM Lab (Previously Program Room)

The room is set-up for youth to drop-in anytime we're open to experience a new STEAM project! July 29th – Playdough Earth, August 1st – Tissue Paper Rainbows, August 8th – Slime Day!, August 12th – Storytelling stones and August 15th – Nature portraits.



We're Social!

If you haven't followed us on social media yet, now's the time. Learn about all of our upcoming programs, events and partnerships in one place.

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