## Saturday, February 1, 2025

#### **Hockey Day**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 1 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Bud Brown Park, Bond Head

A celebration of community hockey returns to Bradford West Gwillimbury on Saturday, February 1st, 2025. The sixteenth annual Hockey Day in BWG will take place at the Bud Brown Park with an outdoor hockey tournament. Age division U7 teams from the BWG Minor Hockey Association compete against each other in fun miniturnament. Participants will receive a medal.

Upstairs in the Auditorium there will be hockey themed games, face painting and the Bradford Lions serving co ffee, hot chocolate and pancakes as a fundraiser (cash only).

#### Friends of the Library Book Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, February 1 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Café Area / Zima Room

Come stock up on summer reads • Great books at bargain prices

We are happy to accept your donations for the Book Sale. However, please keep in mind that we do not accept magazines, textbooks, encyclopedia sets, Reader's Digest volumes or sets, or any items that are torn, damaged, or musty/moldy.

You can drop off your donations at the Library during our regular hours. Please check with staff at the Service Desk when you arrive and they will direct you regarding where to leave your donations. Thank you for thinking of us!

#### **World Hijab Day**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 1 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Presented by the Ahmadiyya Muslim Women's Association

**Location: Atrium** 

Join us in celebrating World Hijab Day with a unique and interactive experience! Explore the beauty and meaning behind the hijab by trying one on yourself. Learn about its significance, ask questions, and engage in meaningful conversations about modesty, diversity, and cultural understanding.

All are welcome to participate in this free event. Come with curiosity and leave with a deeper appreciation for the values of inclusion and respect that unite us all.

We look forward to seeing you there!

## Sunday, February 2, 2025

#### Friends of the Library Book Sale

Date and Time: Sunday, February 2 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Café Area / Zima Room

Come stock up on summer reads • Great books at bargain prices

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You can drop off your donations at the Library during our regular hours. Please check with staff at the Service Desk when you arrive and they will direct you regarding where to leave your donations. Thank you for thinking of us!

#### Jack de Keyzer - Builders of the Blues

Date and Time: Sunday, February 2 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

#### Travel through Blues history when Jack de Keyzer returns to BWG Library

Come on by for some live music with BWG favorite Jack de Keyzer.

# Monday, February 3, 2025

## **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Monday, February 3 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

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

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

#### Picture Book Club (Ages 6-8yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 3 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Join Andréa every month to explore the best

new picture books.

## **Side Hustle Support Group**

Date and Time: Monday, February 3 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Do you have a small side business or are you planning to start one? Are you looking for additional support and conversation?

Join other small business owners for peer support and guest speakers. We will discuss topics such as finance, m arketing etc.

#### **ADHD Hacks**

Date and Time: Monday, February 3 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Location: Zima Room

Time management and organization can be a struggle for folks with ADHD. We can relate!

Come and explore the library's resources, learn from others who have the same issues as you, and share your su ggestions for how to deal with executive dysfunction and get the "boring stuff done."

For teens and adults.

## Tuesday, February 4, 2025

#### **Family Law Clinic**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Calder Room

Book an appointment with a Family Law Lawyer for a free consultation. A lawyer will be at the Library once a month, on the first Tuesday of the month.

To book an appointment, send an email to FLSbradford@yahoo.com

Please note, that a limited number of appointments are available each month.

Presented in partnership with My Sister's Place.

### **Crafting a Story (ages 2 - 5)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Start with a story, then use that inspiration (and our craft supplies) to create something unique. Dress for a mess!

### **Homework Help**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

## **Co-Create Art (Ages 7-12)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Location:

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

You'll create one masterpiece but in two parts. For kids ages 7-12.

Please note: Capacities are limited.

#### **Board Game Battle**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

#### Reads and Rhymes (1-5yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Andréa

#### **Regular Council and Committee of the Whole**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 4 7:00 pm

Address: Zima Room, Library and Cultural Centre, 425 Holland Street West

## Wednesday, February 5, 2025

## **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

# **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Location: Zima Room

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### Tween Time (9-12yrs)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

WEDNESDAY, January 8 • 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Join Gail for fun activities each month. This month is all about sn

owflakes.

SATURDAY, January 25 • 1 - 2 p.m. Bring your mug for hot chocolate-related activities!

#### **Duck Dash**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

#### **Crafty Corner**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

### **Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 5 7:00 pm

Address: Large Engineering Boardroom, 305 Barrie Street, Unit 2

## Thursday, February 6, 2025

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

### **SMDHU Breastfeeding Support Group**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

A free support group that provides parents a place to talk, share experiences, and encourage each other, in the company of a Public Health Nurse

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

## Jeopardy Showdown

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

#### Virtual Ventures

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

#### **Chess Night (All Ages)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 6 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Join fellow chess players for a few friendly battles on the board.

Free, drop-in!

Want some coaching to become a better chess player? Check out the Featured Resources on <u>our Brainfuse site</u> f or live chess tutoring and more!

Free with your Library card.

## Friday, February 7, 2025

#### **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 7 9:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 7 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

## Film Screening for Black History Month

Date and Time: Friday, February 7 1:30 pm - 7:30 pm

#### **Location: Playing continuously in the Atrium**

At the height of the golden age of reggae, some of Jamaica's brightest stars left their homeland behind to shine t heir light in an unlikely hub of Caribbean creativity: Toronto.

Getting their sound to catch on in Canada wasn't easy. These innovators of rhythm and rhyme had to work again st racism, scarce resources and an industry that stigmatized reggae music. But that didn't stop them from transf orming the city into a reggae hotspot. With a powerful message of love and a revolutionary spirit behind them, t hese visionaries faced the pressure head on—and thanks to them, you can still feel the infectious beats of Bathu rst Street and Eglinton Avenue reverberating all over the world.

**Sounds & Pressure: Reggae in a Foreign Land** is a captivating five-part anthology series that chronicles the musical and geographical journeys of Nana McLean, Johnny Osbourne, Leroy Sibbles, Jerry Brown and duo Roy Panton and Yvonne Harrison.

Through rare archives, electrifying needle drops and lively interviews with the artists themselves, directors Grae me Mathieson and Chris Flanagan take you from Kingston to Kensington Market to see and hear how reggae m ade roots in Canada against all odds.

A National FIlm Board of Canada production.

## **Curiosity Lab**

Date and Time: Friday, February 7 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

#### Pop 'n' Watch

Date and Time: Friday, February 7 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## Saturday, February 8, 2025

### Film Screening for Black History Month

Date and Time: Saturday, February 8 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

#### **Location: Playing continuously in the Atrium**

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#### **Seniors Stories Workshops (Podcasting 101)**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 8 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

In this ninety-minute presentation, Lead Podcast Founder Amanda Cupido shares an introduction to podcasting: what it is, where to find them, how to make them, and the power of audio storytelling.

Register here for this workshop.

## Sunday, February 9, 2025

#### **Black History Month Flag Raising Ceremony**

Date and Time: Sunday, February 9 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: Bradford West Gwillimbury Court House and Council Chamber (57,Holland Street East, Bradford O ntario L3Z, Canada)

#### **Black History Month Flag Raising Ceremony**

#### **Itinerary:** \* Subject to change

1:55-2:00 – Arrival time

2:00 – 2:05 – Mayor Leduc to welcome everyone and invite community groups to speak

2:05 – 2:10 – Placeholder for speaker/performance

2:10-2:15 – Councillor Duhaney to share a few words

2:15-2:20 –Mayor Leduc to read the proclamation

2:20 –2:30 – Flag Raising and Photo Opportunity

\*Flag raisings typically last 15-30 minutes. Since they are brief events, please do your best to arrive a few minutes before the start time.

#### **Recommended Attire:**

N/A, please consider this event is taking place outdoors.

#### **Contact Info:**

Jenny Duffy 365 340 2631

jduffy@townofbwg.com

#### **Event Overview**

Black History Month is a time to learn about the stories and many important contributions of local Black Canadians to the settlement, growth, and development of Simcoe County, and about the diversity of Black communities in Canada and their importance to the history of this country.

## Monday, February 10, 2025

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Monday, February 10 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Monday, February 10 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

### **Library Board Meeting**

Date and Time: Monday, February 10 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Board Room

# Tuesday, February 11, 2025

#### Crafting a Story (ages 2 - 5)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Start with a story, then use that inspiration (and our craft supplies) to create something unique. Dress for a mess

### **Homework Help**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

### Co-Create Art (Ages 7-12)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location:

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

You'll create one masterpiece but in two parts. For kids **ages 7-12**.

Please note: Capacities are limited.

#### **Board Game Battle**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

## Reads and Rhymes (1-5yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Andréa

### **Special Council - Public Planning Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 7:00 pm

Address: Bradford and District Community Centre - 125 Simcoe Road

#### **Knit Happens**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 11 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Board Room

Gather with other knitters in a relaxed environment to chat, share projects and pick up new tips. All ages are we lcome. Come a bit early, we'll meet you outside the Board Room starting at 6:30.

## Wednesday, February 12, 2025

#### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### Tai Chi Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Join other Tai Chi enthusiasts and practice this low-impact exercise focusing on deep breathing and slow move ments.

### **Reading Buddy Volunteers' Orientation**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location:

olunteer orientation Wednesday, February 12

Reading Buddies runs on Wednesdays, from February 19 to March 26. There will be no session on March 12

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#### **March Break Volunteers' Orientation**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location:

There will be three one-hour craft preparation sessions on Wednesdays: **Feb. 19, 26 and March 5** from 5:30 - 6:30 pm. Plus, opportunities to assist at programs during March Break

#### **Duck Dash**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

### **Crafty Corner**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 12 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

# Thursday, February 13, 2025

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

### **Homeschool Hangout ( All Ages)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Join other homeschool families for a fun social time led by Library staff!

## Jeopardy Showdown

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

## **English Conversation Corner**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room (Unless Identified Otherwise)** 

The Bradford Baha'i Community & BWG Public Library Present!

A friendly space for anyone looking to practice speaking English and connecting!

#### **Chess Night (All Ages)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Join fellow chess players for a few friendly battles on the board.

Free, drop-in!

Want some coaching to become a better chess player? Check out the Featured Resources on <u>our Brainfuse site</u> f or live chess tutoring and more!

Free with your Library card.

#### **Virtual Ventures**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 13 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

## Friday, February 14, 2025

#### **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 14 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 14 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### **Curiosity Lab**

Date and Time: Friday, February 14 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

### Pop 'n' Watch

Date and Time: Friday, February 14 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## Saturday, February 15, 2025

#### **Black History Conference**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 15 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

In partnership with Olundara Foundation. Discover a free, family-friendly event celebrating black excellence an d joy.

Enjoy music, snacks and drinks, guest speakers, and networking opportunities.

Guest speakers: Dr. Isoken, Poettray, Wisdom, Councillor Cheraldene Duhaney, Jamal, Roxane, Dr Ayo, and N usrat.

Conference Co-Hosts: Omalara and Folashade.

### Seniors Stories Workshops (Mixed Media/Collage)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 15 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Register here for this workshop.

Especially for those 55 and older, Seniors Stories of BWG returns with workshops to help you share your unique stories.

Under 55? You're welcome to join us.

All the workshops are free. Registration is required.

You are welcome to take part in the workshops without obligation to contribute your stories to the Seniors Stories project.

#### **National Flag of Canada Flag Raising**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 15 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Bradford West Gwillimbury Court House and Council Chamber (57, Holland Street East, Bradford O

ntario L3Z, Canada)

Join us for the Flag Raising Ceremony, hosted by the one and only Scot Davidson, the Member of Parliament for York-Simcoe! Known for always having a red and white flag in hand, he's bringing that Canadian pride to this special event. You won't want to miss it!

#### Itinerary: \* Subject to change

2:55 - 3:00 - Arrival time

3:00 - 3:05 - Mayor Leduc to Welcome

3:05 – 3:10 – MP Scot Davidson to give remarks

3:10 – 3:15 – Mayor Leduc to read the proclamation

3:15 – 3:20 –Flag Raising and Photo Opportunity

\*Flag raisings typically last 15-30 minutes. Since they are brief events, please do your best to arriv e a few minutes before the start time.

#### Recommended Attire:

N/A, please consider this event is taking place outdoors.

#### **Contact Info:**

Jenny Duffy 365 340 2631 jduffy@townofbwg.com

#### **Event Overview**

At the stroke of noon on February 15, 1965, Canada's red and white maple leaf flag was raised for the very first time on Parliament Hill. On the same day in 1996, National Flag of Canada Day was declared. Our national flag is a symbol that unites Canadians and reflects the common values we take pride in — democracy, inclusion and equity. On February 15, let's celebrate 60 years of our Canadian flag!

## Sunday, February 16, 2025

#### **Closed**

Date and Time: Sunday, February 16 9:30 am - 8:00 pm

## Monday, February 17, 2025

#### **Closed**

Date and Time: Monday, February 17 9:30 am - 8:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

## Tuesday, February 18, 2025

### Crafting a Story (ages 2 - 5)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Start with a story, then use that inspiration (and our craft supplies) to create something unique. Dress for a mess

#### **Coldest Night of the Year Flag Raising**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Court House Courtyard - 57 Holland St. E

### Coldest Night of the Year Week Flag Raising

#### Itinerary:

10:55 - 11:00 - Arrival time

11:00 - 11:05 - Member of organization(s) to say a few words

11:05 – 11:10 – Mayor to read the proclamation

11:10 - 11:15 - Photo and flag raising

\*Flag raisings typically last 15-30 minutes. Since they are brief events, please do your best to arrive a few minutes before the start time

#### **Recommended Attire:**

N/A, please consider this event is taking place outdoors.

#### Contact Info:

Jenny Duffy - 365-340-2631

#### **Event Overview**

Coldest Night of the Year on February 22 in BWG is raising funds for project Groundwork which is being led by WOW Living.

Groundwork is a wrap-around program for individuals aged 15 years and older living in poverty in our community. The program will provide consistent support to individuals by incorporating training, barrier free mental health supports, mentorship, and safe employment opportunities.

### **Homework Help**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

### Co-Create Art (Ages 7-12)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location:

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

You'll create one masterpiece but in two parts. For kids **ages 7-12**.

Please note: Capacities are limited.

#### **Board Game Battle**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

## Reads and Rhymes (1-5yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Andréa

### **Regular Council and Committee of the Whole**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 18 7:00 pm

Address: Zima Room, Library and Cultural Centre, 425 Holland Street West

# Wednesday, February 19, 2025

### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Zima Room

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### **Duck Dash**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

#### **Crafty Corner**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

#### March Break Perp

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

March break volunteers help to prepare for upcoming programs, Registration is full.

#### Psychological Thriller + Mystery Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Board Room / Zoom

Join us twice a month for our relaxed discussions of interesting books. We meet in the Library, and over Zoom.

New members are always welcome.

For information, and to get a copy of one of these books, contact Elizabeth at <a href="mailto:ecampbell@bradford.library.on.c">ecampbell@bradford.library.on.c</a>

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February Pick is: All the Sinners Bleed by S.A. Cosby

April Pick is: *Things We Do in the Dark* by Jennifer Hillier

#### **Together Time Tales (ages 2-5)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 19 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2-5. Drop-in, free!

## Thursday, February 20, 2025

#### Closed

Date and Time: Thursday, February 20 9:30 am - 8:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

## Jeopardy Showdown

Date and Time: Thursday, February 20 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

#### Virtual Ventures

Date and Time: Thursday, February 20 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

## Friday, February 21, 2025

#### Closed

Date and Time: Friday, February 21 9:30 am - 8:00 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

### **Curiosity Lab**

Date and Time: Friday, February 21 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

### Pop 'n' Watch

Date and Time: Friday, February 21 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## Saturday, February 22, 2025

#### Coldest Night of the Year Walk

Date and Time: Saturday, February 22 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 125 Simcoe Rd. - Bradford ANd District Memorial COmmunity Centre

Town of BWG has registered a team for the Coldest Night of the Year walk. Once again this year, this United Way initiative is in support of WOW Living. Please register yourself or let me know your intention to be registered on the Town of BWG team and join us for the 2k m walk.

https://secure.e2rm.com/registrant/TeamFundraisingPage.aspx?teamID=1023767

#### **CNOY Itinerary:**

4:00 pm: Meet Check-in

4:45 pm: Muster Gather for Opening Remarks

5:00 pm: Move Send-off

· 6:00 pm: Munch Light meal served

• 7:00 pm: Mosey Goodbye + see you in 2026!

#### **Recommended Attire:**

Warm Outerwear - Comfortable, outdoor footwear (boots)

Most of this event takes place outdoors!

#### Additional Information:

In Bradford, funds are being raised for a project called Groundwork, which is being led by a group call WOW Living. Groundwork is a w rap-around program for individuals aged 15 years and older living in poverty in South Simcoe. The program provides consistent support to individuals by incorporating group training, barrier free mental health supports, mentorship and sage employment opportunities.

# Monday, February 24, 2025

### Hot Chocolate & a Book (7 - 11 yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 24 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Join Gail for a relaxing hour of light crafting, while listening to a read-aloud of the first chapter of a great book . Bring your mugs and enjoy some hot chocolate.

#### **Self-Care Toolkit**

Date and Time: Monday, February 24 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Prioritize your well-being, find joy in life, and effectively manage stress. Embark on a transformative journey t owards a more balanced life.

## Tuesday, February 25, 2025

### **Homework Help**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 25 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

#### **Board Game Battle**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 25 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

#### **Special Council - Public Planning Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 25 7:00 pm

Address: Bradford and District Community Centre - 125 Simcoe Road

## Wednesday, February 26, 2025

#### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### **Next Chapter Café**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: 471 West Park Ave, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J3

**New Location: Activity Room at the Leisure Centre** 

#### Tai Chi Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 471 West Park Ave, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J3

**New Location: Multipurpose Room East at the Leisure Centre** 

#### **Duck Dash**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

### **Crafty Corner**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

#### **Reading Buddies**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: 471 West Park Ave, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J3

**New Location: Multipurpose Room East at the Leisure Centre** 

Teens share their love of reading with kids who want some extra practice. Registration is full.

#### **Adult Book Club**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 26 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Virtual / On Zoom** 

New members are always welcome.

## Thursday, February 27, 2025

#### Jeopardy Showdown

Date and Time: Thursday, February 27 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

#### Virtual Ventures

Date and Time: Thursday, February 27 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

## Friday, February 28, 2025

## **Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 28 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Babies 12-24 months will enjoy songs, rhymes and stories with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

### **Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 mon)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 28 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

**Location: Zima Room** 

Babies 4-12 months old will enjoy stories, songs and rhymes with Andrea!

Drop-in. Free!

#### **Curiosity Lab**

Date and Time: Friday, February 28 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

### **Seniors Stories Workshops (Portraiture)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 28 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 425 Holland St W, Bradford, ON L3Z 0J2

#### **Location: Jamal Pascall Room**

Jim Craigmyle leads this two-part workshop introducing how to take a compelling portrait photograph with a s hoe-string budget. Come with your own camera, or practice with a lender camera at the Library. Learn easy way s to create the setting for a beautiful portrait!

Register here for this workshop.

### Pop 'n' Watch

Date and Time: Friday, February 28 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm