

## Monday, September 30, 2024

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### National Truth and Reconciliation Day

Date and Time: Monday, September 30 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: All Town Offices

### Closed

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

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

### National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Flag Raising Ceremony

Date and Time: Monday, September 30 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 471 West Park Ave

Join us on Monday, September 30 at 5:00 pm for the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Flag Raising Ceremony at the BWG Leisure Centre - 471 West Park Ave.

The National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, also known as Orange Shirt Day is observed annually on September 30th, to educate and remind Canadians about the history of Residential Schools. On this day we memorialize the children lost to the residential school system and honour Survivors, their families, and their communities.

### National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Flag Raising Ceremony

Date and Time: Monday, September 30 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: BWG Leisure Centre - 471 West Park Ave

### National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Flag Raising Ceremony

4:55 - 5:00 – Arrival time

5:05 - 5:10 – Mayor opening remarks and reading of Land Acknowledgement

5:10 - 5:30 – Smudge ceremony performed by Ashley Mosquera

5:30 - 5:35 – Ashley Mosquera to provide remarks/reflection

5:35 - 5:40 – Mayor to read the proclamation

5:40 - 5:45 - Flag Raising and photos

5:45- 6:00 – Mayor Leduc to invite everyone to view the story boards located along west side of the Leisure Centre Lawn

**Recommended Attire:**

Please wear orange shirts.

**Contact Info:**

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**Event Overview**

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Attendees are invited to enjoy the areas of reflection that will surround the flag raising ceremony area and interact with the Bradford Bulldogs and Central York Panthers hockey teams who will be in site in orange Jerseys.

An information table and colouring sheets for youth will be set up, donations can be made to the Orange Shirt Society on site for those who would like to contribute.

## Tuesday, October 1, 2024

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

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Address: BWG Library at 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 ! For kids **aged 2 - 5**.

### Fun with French (Ages 4-6 yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

A fun introduction to French through simple stories, games and songs, for kids aged 4-6, and a parent or guardian.

### French Stories and Games ( Ages 7-12 yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

A relaxed approach to French vocabulary and simple phrases through books and games for children ages 7-12 with minimal French experience, and a parent or guardian.

## **Reads & Rhymes (Ages 1-5)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascal Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Andréa! Recommended for children **ages 1-5**. Drop-in, free!

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

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 1 7:00 pm

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

## **Wednesday, October 2, 2024**

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

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 2 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: BWG Library at 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, October 2 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: BWG Library at 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!

## In-person Prenatal Classes

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 2 6:00 pm - 7:45 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

Free In-person Prenatal Classes. Learn about labour, comfort techniques, medical procedures breastfeeding newborn care, postpartum and more. Meet other families and get answers to your questions from a public health nurse. For schedules and to register visit [www.smdhu.org/prenatalclass](http://www.smdhu.org/prenatalclass). Presented in partnership with the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit.

## Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 2 7:00 pm

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

## Thursday, October 3, 2024

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

Date and Time: Thursday, October 3 9:45 am - 10:15 am

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

Location:

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, October 3 10:45 am - 11:15 am

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

Location:

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

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

## Strategic Initiatives Committee

Date and Time: Thursday, October 3 6:30 pm

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

## Chess Night (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, October 3 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

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 [our Brainfuse site](#) for live chess tutoring and more!

Free with your Library card.

## Friday, October 4, 2024

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

Date and Time: Friday, October 4 9:45 am - 10:15 am

Address: BWG Library at 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, October 4 10:45 am - 11:15 am

Address: BWG Library at 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!

## Saturday, October 5, 2024

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### Bradford Farmers Market

Date and Time: Saturday, October 5 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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

The Bradford Farmers Market will run from **May 18th until October 12th** this 2024 season.

For more information, and to learn more about the Market visit [www.bradfordfarmersmarket.ca](http://www.bradfordfarmersmarket.ca).

**Contact information:** bradfordontariofarmersmarket@gmail.com

## **Pop-Up Kids (Ages 2-10yrs)**

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

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

### **Kids Area**

Join Gail for stories and fun. Ages 2 and up

<https://calendar.townofbwg.com>