

Thursday, February 1, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 9:45 am - 10:15 am

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

SMDHU Breastfeeding Support Group

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 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

Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

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Canvas For Change

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: PO Box 23042

Making Change is excited to partner with MacLaren Art Centre, Shak's World Community Centre and Bradford West Gwillimbury Public Library to offer a unique art program geared to creative youth across Simcoe County! In recognition of Black History Month, Black youth, ages 12 to 18, are invited to participate in a couple of workshops to create a unique work of art—under the guidance of artist mentor & influencer Toronto-based Ashante Blackwood. Black Youth must register their art pieces or concepts in advance before the end of December 2023 for consideration. The focus of the program aims to celebrate the artistic talents of creative Black youth who use art to amplify their voice. There will be a gala exhibit showcases on Thursday, February 1st at the Bradford West Gwillimbury Public Library, which will be open to the public, and Friday, February 2nd at MacLaren Art Centre. Black youth artists must register their art creations or art concepts in advance at <https://maclarenart.com/product/canvas-for-change-black-youth-art-celebration/>

Canvas for Change Art Exhibit Gala

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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

Join us for the opening of this exhibit showcasing the art work of talented Black youth aged 13-18.

The opening gala will take place from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Zima Room at the Library and Cultural Centre.

The exhibit will be on display at the Library from Feb 1 to 11, and then will move to the McLaren Art Centre in Barrie.

Chess (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Free, drop-in!

Friday, February 2, 2024

Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 2 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 Andréa.

Drop-in. Free!

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 2 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!

Creative Lab Open Hours (By Appointment)

Date and Time: Friday, February 2 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

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Saturday, February 3, 2024

Hockey Day

Date and Time: Saturday, February 3 8:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 125 Simcoe Road, Bradford ON

A celebration of community hockey returns to Bradford West Gwillimbury on Saturday, February 3, 2024. The fifteenth annual Hockey Day in BWG will take place at the Bradford & District Memorial Community Centre with an indoor ball hockey tournament. Age division U7 teams from the BWG Minor Hockey Association compete against each other in fun mini-tournament. Participants will receive a medal.

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

Sunday, February 4, 2024

An Afternoon with Jack de Keyser: Chroniclers of the Blues

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

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland Street W

Zima Room

Join us for an afternoon with Juno-award winning international Blues artist Jack de Keyzer, as he takes you on an original and "edutaining" adventure revealing the forgotten world where the originators of the Blues were first signed and recorded. Presented by the February Blues Festival.

Black History Month Flag Raising

Date and Time: Sunday, February 4 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Court House Courtyard - 57 Holland St. E

Join the Town of BWG and Rise Up BWG on Sunday, February 4 at 3:00 p.m. for the Black History Month Flag raising outside of the Courthouse Courtyard - 57 Holland Street East.

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 5, 2024

Storytime (Ages 18m - 5yrs)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

For ages 18 months - 5 years. Drop-in! Free!

Fun with French-Kids & Parents (Ages 4-6yrs)

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

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

Location: Green Room

A fun introduction to French through simple stories, games and songs.

French Stories and Games - Kids & Parents (Ages 7-10yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 5 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Side Hustle Support Group

Date and Time: Monday, February 5 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Board 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, marketing etc.

Room Dedication of the Jamal Pascall Room (formerly the Multipurpose Room)

Date and Time: Monday, February 5 6:30 pm - 7:00 pm

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

Location: Green Room

The Friends of the Library invite you to join them in this celebration to honour the generous donation of Jamal Pascall to the Library. Refreshments and ribbon-cutting.

Friends of the Library Meeting

Date and Time: Monday, February 5 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Friends of the library is a group of Volunteers whose mission is to help enhance the services and programs at the library. New members welcome!

Tuesday, February 6, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

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Location: Zima Room

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Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

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Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

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Co-Creat Art (Ages 7-12)

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

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

Location: Green Room

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

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

Reads & Rhymes (Ages 1-5yrs)

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

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

Location: Green Room

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

Wednesday, February 7, 2024

Winter Walk Day

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 7 12:00 am - 11:55 pm

Address: N/A

Winter Walk Day (WWD) is an annual celebration of winter walking that takes place on the first Wednesday of February.

Schools across Ontario will celebrate WWD with special events on Wednesday, **February 7th, 2024**, or throughout the month. We encourage schools to participate by promoting walking and wheeling to school and organizing winter-themed walking events.

Learn more at: <https://ontarioactiveschooltravel.ca/winter-walk-day/>

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

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Drop-in. Free!

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Drop-in. Free!

Ukulele Class for Seniors

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 7 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Location: Zima Room

This February, save the date for 4 weeks of Ukulele Classes, especially for Seniors.

Presented by CONTACT Community Services. For more information, email contact@contactcommunityservices.ca

Reading Buddies Teen Orientation

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 7 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Bradford WG Public Library, 425 Holland St W

Jamal Pascall Room

Mandatory Orientation for all teen Reading Buddies.

In-person Prenatal Classes

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 7 6:00 pm - 8:00 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. Presented in partnership with the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit.

Thursday, February 8, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

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Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

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Chess (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 8 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Free, drop-in!

Date Night

Date and Time: Thursday, February 8 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

Celebrate Valentine's or Galentine's Day early and have a date night at the Library!

Enjoy activities, a couple's craft and good food!

Friday, February 9, 2024

Diabetes Mobile Footcare Clinic

Date and Time: Friday, February 9 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

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

The Footcare bus comes to BWG, to provide access to high-quality foot care for people living with diabetes to prevent serious complications that could include infections or even limb amputation.

Please note: the mobile clinic is only for individuals with diabetes who have been referred by a diabetes clinic at their local partner hospital, family health team or community health centre. By appointment only.

Location: BWG Library parking lot.

Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 9 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 Andréa.

Drop-in. Free!

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 9 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!

Creative Lab Open Hours (By Appointment)

Date and Time: Friday, February 9 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

Saturday, February 10, 2024

CAN Meeting - Ward 3

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Fire Station 1, 75 Melbourne Drive, Bradford, ON L3Z 1M2

Calling all Ward 3 Residents!

CAN Meetings are back for 2024!

Join Mayor Leduc, Deputy Mayor Sandhu, and Councillor Verkaik for our February Community Access Networking (CAN) event on Saturday, February 10!

Learn about what's happening in your ward.

Learn more about Town services.

Ask questions, share ideas, and more!

Saturday, February 10 | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Fire Station 1 | 77 Melbourne Drive

Community Access Networking (CAN) is an initiative established by Council, providing residents the opportunity to join them in a relaxed, friendly, and informal environment; and ask questions, raise issues, and share ideas.

Each CAN meeting will be hosted by Mayor James Leduc, Deputy Mayor Raj Sandu, and a different ward Councillor every month (1 through 7). Although the events have been designed to highlight one ward per meeting, all residents are welcome to attend any meeting date of their choosing.

To learn more about CAN meetings or to view the meeting schedule, visit: www.townofbwg.com/CAN

Tinker Time In the Creative Lab (Ages 4 & up)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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

Tinker Time is a drop-in time at the Creative Lab devoted specifically for kids to use and play with our maker toys and kits - such as the Ozobots, Dot and Dash, Lego Boost, little bits and snap circuits.

Children under the age of 12 should be supervised by a responsible adult. As the space will have many small pieces, the area is not appropriate for young children who may put small items in their mouths (ages 4 and under).

For more information please visit: [Creative Lab](#)

Family Movie: Hidden Figures

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 10:30 am

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

Three brilliant African American women of NASA serve as the brains behind one of the greatest operations in history: the launch of astronaut John Glenn into orbit.

Skate with Caroline!

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: BWG Leisure Centre (Blue – Paul Dossey Rink) at 471 West Park Avenue, Bradford

SKATE WITH CAROLINE IN BRADFORD!

Join in for a fun filled afternoon of **free** skating!

ENJOY FREE HOT DOGS, HOT CHOCOLATE AND GIVEAWAYS!

- **Date: Saturday, February 10th, 2024**
- **Time: 12:00 pm – 2:00 PM**
- **Location: BWG Leisure Centre (Blue – Paul Dossey Rink) at 471 West Park Avenue, Bradford**

RSVP: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/skate-with-caroline-in-bradford-west-gwillimbury-tickets-80394245251>
This is a free community event.

Everyone loves a free community skate in the winter with friends and neighbours in York-Simcoe!

There is no cost to attend this event. For more information contact the York-Simcoe Constituency Office at 905-895-1555 or by email: carolinemulroneyc@pc.ola.org

Want to learn more? Call the constituency office at 905-895-1555

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Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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

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Black History Conference

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

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

A free family -friendly event with food, music, guest speakers and networking, celebrating Black resistance in B WG.

Local History Association

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

Location: Magazine Area

Show and Tell

Monday, February 12, 2024

Storytime (Ages 18m - 5yrs)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

For ages 18 months - 5 years. Drop-in! Free!

Vision Boards (Ages 16+)

Date and Time: Monday, February 12 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

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

Location: Board Room

New Year, New Era!

Kick off the New Year by visualizing the new era you see for yourself in 2024.

Create a positive and powerful image in your mind and reflect it on your vision board making it easier to believe in your ability to achieve your goals. For ages 16+.

Impact Youth Leadership Program (Ages 12-18)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Impact Youth & Cultural Centre presents the Bradford Youth Group.

Join us for a 16 week Leadership Program. For teens aged 12 to 18.

Free! Register [here](#), or drop in to check it out.

Fun with French-Kids & Parents (Ages 4-6yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 12 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm

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

Location: Green Room

A fun introduction to French through simple stories, games and songs.

French Stories and Games - Kids & Parents (Ages 7-10yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 12 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Parent and Child Book Club (Ages 7-11yrs)

Date and Time: Monday, February 12 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

Build a love of reading with our book club for kids and their parents or favourite adult. Parents and kids share a book together and meet monthly for discussion and activities.

Tuesday, February 13, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

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Location: Zima Room

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Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 13 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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Co-Create Art (Ages 7-12)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 13 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

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

Reads & Rhymes (Ages 1-5yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 13 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Knit Happens

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 13 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 welcome. Come a bit early, we'll meet you outside the Board Room starting at 6:30.

Wednesday, February 14, 2024

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 14 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!

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Location: Zima Room

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Drop-in. Free!

Ukulele Class for Seniors

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 14 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Location: Zima Room

This February, save the date for 4 weeks of Ukulele Classes, especially for Seniors.

Presented by CONTACT Community Services. For more information, email contact@contactcommunityservices.ca

Reading Buddies (Grades 1-5)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 14 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Reading Buddies is a literacy program that pairs children who are having trouble with or not enjoying reading with trained teen volunteers from the community. Focusing on the enjoyment of reading and friendship, it works to improve the literacy of reluctant or struggling readers.

For Kids:

Students in Grades 1-5 are invited to apply for their own, personal reading buddy. Applications are available for pickup at the Library and [downloadable](#) on our website, and are due by **Wednesday, January 24**.

Please Note: Submitting an application does not guarantee a space in the program.

Registration open from **Wednesday, January 10 - Wednesday, January 24**

Program runs **Wednesdays, February 14 - March 6 from 4:30 - 5:15 p.m.**

Thursday, February 15, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

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SMDHU Breastfeeding Support Group

Date and Time: Thursday, February 15 10:00 am - 11:30 am

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

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Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

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Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

Homeschool Hangout (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 15 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

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

Location: Atrium

Join other homeschool friends for a fun social hour led by Library staff!

Chess (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 15 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Free, drop-in!

Bradford Women's+ Group

Date and Time: Thursday, February 15 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

The mission of the Bradford Women's+ Group is to help women+ to become changemakers in their lives and communities.

Join the group monthly at the Library, for in person meetings on a variety of themes. Sign up for these events [here](#).

Friday, February 16, 2024

Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 16 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 Andréa.

Drop-in. Free!

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 16 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!

Creative Lab Open Hours (By Appointment)

Date and Time: Friday, February 16 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

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Book Sale

Date and Time: Friday, February 16 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Come on over for this giant used book sale. Presented by the Friends of the Library.

Saturday, February 17, 2024

Book Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, February 17 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Come on over for this giant used book sale. Presented by the Friends of the Library.

Sunday, February 18, 2024

Book Sale

Date and Time: Sunday, February 18 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Come on over for this giant used book sale. Presented by the Friends of the Library.

Monday, February 19, 2024

FWIO Day (The Federated Women's Institute of Ontario)

Date and Time: Monday, February 19 12:00 am

Address: N/A

For the past 127 years, Women's Institute (WI) Members have actively worked together for family, home, community and country. The objective of the first Women's Institute Branch, formed in Stoney Creek on February 19, 1897, was to improve women's skills in the art of homemaking and childcare.

February 19, 2024 marks FWIO (The Federated Women's Institute of Ontario) day in the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury.

Family Day

Date and Time: Monday, February 19 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: All Town Offices

Public Library Closed

Date and Time: Monday, February 19 9:30 am - 8:00 pm

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

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 9:45 am - 10:15 am

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 10:45 am - 11:15 am

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

Coldest Night of the Year Week Flag Raising

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Court House Courtyard - 57 Holland St. E

Join us on Tuesday, February 20th at 1:30 pm at the Court House Courtyard for a flag raising in support of Coldest Night of the Year Week.

Coldest Night of the Year on February 24th is raising funds for Youth Call Service Link, an initiative to help at-risk youth in our community. We encourage all community members to participate by either walking or donating in support of this cause.

Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

Canadian Blood Services Donation Event

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: St John's Presbyterian Church, 2940 10th Sideroad, L3Z 2A8, Bradford

Do something extraordinary this winter! It's a new year, so why not try something new? You can start a new routine and help save a life in the process.

We know that winter brings a chill to the air, but your support of patients across Canada will warm hearts. This winter, embrace a new opportunity to give back in your community. Become a blood or plasma donor. When it's cold out, you may want to stay cozy at home, but it's critical that people across Canada continue donating blood and plasma throughout the winter months.

At this time of year, winter storms, illness and holidays often lead to an increase in cancelled appointments. Help fill every open appointment.

The need for blood and plasma is constant. Your lifesaving donation makes all the difference. Your blood or plasma donation this winter will have a major impact on patients in your community and across the country. Inspire your family and friends to donate with you this winter. For many patients, plasma is the only treatment. Medication made from plasma saves lives. Each year, it takes thousands of donors to save the lives of patients across Canada. When you donate blood or plasma to **Canada's Lifeline** today, you make all the difference to someone's future.

Co-Create Art (Ages 7-12)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

Kids and parents, get ready for the ultimate challenge!

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

Reads & Rhymes (Ages 1-5yrs)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 20 6:45 pm - 7:15 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 21 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 12-24m)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 21 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 Andréa.

Drop-in. Free!

Ukulele Class for Seniors

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 21 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Location: Zima Room

This February, save the date for 4 weeks of Ukulele Classes, especially for Seniors.

Presented by CONTACT Community Services. For more information, email contact@contactcommunityservices.ca

Reading Buddies (Grades 1-5)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 21 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Reading Buddies is a literacy program that pairs children who are having trouble with or not enjoying reading with trained teen volunteers from the community. Focusing on the enjoyment of reading and friendship, it works to improve the literacy of reluctant or struggling readers.

For Kids:

Students in Grades 1-5 are invited to apply for their own, personal reading buddy. Applications are available for

pickup at the Library and [downloadable](#) on our website, and are due by **Wednesday, January 24**.

Please Note: Submitting an application does not guarantee a space in the program.

Registration open from **Wednesday, January 10 - Wednesday, January 24**

Program runs **Wednesdays, February 14 - March 6 from 4:30 - 5:15 p.m.**

Psychological Thriller Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 21 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Board Room / Zoom

Join us for a full discussion on *The Other Black Girl* by Zakiya Dalila Harris. An electric debut about the tension that unfurls when two young Black women meet against the starkly white backdrop of New York City book publishing.

This club meets every other month, online and in-person, to explore the worlds of psychological thrillers and mysteries.

Send an email to Elizabeth at ecampbell@bradford.library.on.ca to reserve a copy of the book. New members always welcome!

Thursday, February 22, 2024

World Thinking Day

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 12:00 am

Address: N/A

World Thinking Day has united Girl Guides and Girl Scouts around the world for a day of international friendship over the past 90 years, first celebrated in 1926.

Together Time Tales (Ages 2 & up)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 9:45 am - 10:15 am

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

SMDHU Breastfeeding Support Group

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 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

Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

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

Location: Zima Room

Stories, rhymes and songs with Michelle!

Recommended for children ages 2+ Drop-in! Free!

Movie Matinee : Summer of Soul

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 1:30 pm

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

Location: Board Room

Join us for a screening of the Oscar-winning documentary *Summer of Soul*. Following the 1969 Harlem Cultural Festival, thousands of people attended to celebrate Black history, culture, music, and fashion over the course of six weeks during the summer.

BHM @ BWGPL

An Afternoon at the Opera

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: St. John's Presbyterian Church, 2940 10 Sideroad, Bradford West Gwillimbury

We are thrilled to announce a spectacular musical event featuring the world-renowned Mezzo-Soprano, Simone McIntosh with collaborative Pianist Rachael Kerr, in an enchanting benefit concert in support of CONTACT Community Services, hosted by The Elden of Bradford Retirement Residence. Following is the relevant information:

Date: February 22, 2024

Time: 2:00 pm

Venue: St. John's Presbyterian Church, 2940 10 Sideroad, Bradford West Gwillimbury, ON

Tickets: \$25.00 in advance. All proceeds benefit CONTACT Community Services

RSVP: christie.murchison@theelden.ca

or by calling 905-775-1700 ext 704

Kinark Child & Family Services

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

Join Kinark Child and Family Services and the BWG Library for a FREE DIY Resource Day! Especially for parents of children newly diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

These free workshops give parents and caregivers the opportunity to create resources, such as token boards, choice boards, and social narratives, for their child with the support of our team.

During this event, you will have access to a variety of pre-made resources that can be customized to your child's needs through the guidance of an Autism Spectrum Disorder Consultant. In addition to making resources, you can also learn about some of the services we provide like Groups, Resource Kits, and Parent & Caregiver workshops.

While you are meeting our team, your child can enjoy a Sensory Storytime and Playtime hosted by the BWG Library!

Register for the event [here](#).

Chess (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Free, drop-in!

Friday, February 23, 2024

Babytime Walkers (Ages 12-24m)

Date and Time: Friday, February 23 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 Andréa.

Drop-in. Free!

Babytime Creepers (Ages 4-12 m)

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

Location: Zima Room

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Drop-in. Free!

Creative Lab Open Hours (By Appointment)

Date and Time: Friday, February 23 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

Saturday, February 24, 2024

Tinker Time In the Creative Lab (Ages 4 & up)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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

Tinker Time is a drop-in time at the Creative Lab devoted specifically for kids to use and play with our maker toys and kits - such as the Ozobots, Dot and Dash, Lego Boost, little bits and snap circuits.

Children under the age of 12 should be supervised by a responsible adult. As the space will have many small pieces, the area is not appropriate for young children who may put small items in their mouths (ages 4 and under).

For more information please visit: [Creative Lab](#)

Pop-Up Kids (Ages 2-10yrs)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 10:30 am - 11:30 am

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

Location: Kid's Area

Join Gail for some fun with stories and activities!

Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

Children's Festival (4-9yrs)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

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

The Bradford Baha'i Community celebrating Baha'i Festival of Ayyam-i-Ha for joy, sharing, and hospitality.

A free family friendly celebration including a live magician, arts and crafts!

We Stand with Ukraine: 2nd Year Anniversary Flag Raising

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: BWG Leisure Centre - 471 West Park Ave

This year marks the second anniversary of Russia's invasion of Ukraine. We honour and commemorate the lives of Ukraine's fallen heroes – since the invasion.

Join us on Saturday, February 24th at 2:00 pm at the BWG Leisure Centre for a flag raising in support of We Stand with Ukraine.

Coldest Night of the Year Fundraiser Walk

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Bradford and District Community Centre (125 Simcoe Rd, Bradford, ON L3Z 1Y3)

Join United Way Simcoe Muskoka, the Town of BWG, and 30+ other local teams on February 25th for * Coldest Night of the Year *

Participate in a 2.5km or 5km fundraiser walk to raise money for WOW Living, a non profit organization that provides consistent support to individuals by incorporating training, barrier free mental health supports, mentorship, and safe employment opportunities.

Schedule of Events

4:00 pm: Meet Check-in opens – Bradford and District Community Centre, 125 Simcoe Road

5:00 pm: Move Opening remarks + send-off

6:00 pm: Munch Light meal served

7:00 pm: Mosey Goodbye + see you in 2025

Visit <https://cnoy.org/location/bradford> for up-to-date fundraising details, view the current team roster, join a team, or donate to a team!

Sunday, February 25, 2024

BWG Music & Poetry Circle

Date and Time: Sunday, February 25 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

What's a music and poetry circle? Come see for yourself! Bring a song, an instrument, or a piece of poetry.

You can also just sit, relax, and enjoy as neighbours go round the circle and each share something they're working on.

All ages and experience levels welcome, and we hope to see you there!

Community Meal

Date and Time: Sunday, February 25 6:00 pm

Address: Bradford & District Memorial Community Centre, 125 Simcoe Road

Bradford Baha'i Community and Friends invite you to a FREE Community Meal. In partnership with the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury.

Monday, February 26, 2024

Downsizing for Seniors

Date and Time: Monday, February 26 10:30 am - 11:30 am

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

Location: Zima Room

Considering a big move? Sometimes letting go of the things or space around us can be a difficult decision. Tanya Shields, Certified Location and Transition Specialist, will help you recognize if it's time to downsize and assist you in transitioning to a senior living lifestyle.

Impact Youth Leadership Program (Ages 12-18)

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

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

Location: Zima Room

Impact Youth & Cultural Centre presents the Bradford Youth Group.

Join us for a 16 week Leadership Program. For teens aged 12 to 18.

Free! Register [here](#), or drop in to check it out.

Self-Care Toolkit

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

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

Are you looking to prioritize your well-being, find joy in life, and effectively manage stress? Join our Self-Care Toolkit Series at the Library, where you'll embark on a transformative journey towards a happier and more balanced life.

Library Board Meeting

Date and Time: Monday, February 26 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

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

Location: Zima Room

Tuesday, February 27, 2024

Bradford Mamas Live!

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 27 10:00 am - 11:00 am

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

This playgroup and support group for new moms is live at the Library! An opportunity to share and laugh with others, in this facilitated meetup on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

Creative Lab Open Hours (Drop in)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 27 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

For more information please visit: <https://bradford.library.on.ca/iguana/www.main.cls?surl=creative%20lab>

Knit Happens

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 27 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 welcome. Come a bit early, we'll meet you outside the Board Room starting at 6:30.

Wednesday, February 28, 2024

Next Chapter Café

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

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

Location: Board Room

Join Andréa monthly to enjoy conversation, board games and brain games for older adults. Drop-in.

Meetings happen on the fourth Wednesday of the month, in the Boardroom.

Ukulele Class for Seniors

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: BWG Library, 425 Holland St West

Location: Zima Room

This February, save the date for 4 weeks of Ukulele Classes, especially for Seniors.

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Reading Buddies (Grades 1-5)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

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

Location: Jamal Pascall Room

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For Kids:

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Program runs **Wednesdays, February 14 - March 6 from 4:30 - 5:15 p.m.**

English Conversation Corner

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: BWG Library at 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!

Thursday, June 27th, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. - Café Area

Thursday, October 10th + 24th, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. - Cafe' Area

Thursday, November 14th & 28th, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. - Cafe' Area

Adult Book Club

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Board Room / Zoom

New members are welcome to join our discussions about a variety of books. The book club will be meeting hybrid-style, both live in the Library, and over zoom at the same time. The Book Club meets on the last Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

Zoom participants will be sent login information to connect using the Zoom platform prior to events.

For more information and to obtain copies of each month's book please contact Elizabeth at ecampbell@bradford.library.on.ca.

Upcoming book club meeting dates:

January 31 - *Ties That Tether* by Jane Igharo

February 28 - *Easy Crafts for the Insane* by Kelly Williams Brown

Thursday, February 29, 2024

SMDHU Breastfeeding Support Group

Date and Time: Thursday, February 29 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

Chess (All Ages)

Date and Time: Thursday, February 29 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Location: Green Room

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

Free, drop-in!

Stevenson Memorial Hospital Community Town Hall Series

Date and Time: Thursday, February 29 6:30 pm

Address: Zima Room, BWG Public Library - 425 Holland Street W.

Stevenson Memorial Hospital (SMH) is offering a series of Town Halls to engage with local communities about its exciting hospital expansion plans. Hear from SMH President and CEO, Jody Levac about the future of Stevenson, as well as programs and services. Ask questions and see new design images and renderings. This is the future of your health care and your local hospital servicing south Simcoe and surrounding communities.

SMH Foundation CEO, Mary Thomas will also provide an update on their capital campaign in support of the project.

Please join us in Bradford West Gwillimbury for the Bradford Town Hall at the Bradford Public Library (Zima Room) on Thursday, Feb. 29th at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome!

<https://calendar.townofbwg.com>