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What's On

"Many human beings say that they enjoy the winter, but what they really enjoy is feeling proof against it."
— Richard Adams

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January 2024



Winter Crafternoon and Hot Chocolate!

Tuesday, January 2, 2 PM @ MJB Branch

Come out for a special holiday crafternoon! Drop in. Ages 4 - 7



Family Bingo Afternoon!

Wednesday, January 3, 2 PM @ The Hub

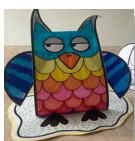
Join us for a special drop-in holiday afternoon Family Bingo!



Winter Slime Making!

Thursday, January 4, 10:30 AM @ MJB

Join us for a special winter slime making session for ages 6 - 10! Register at registrations@phpl.ca.



Craft & Storytime with Ashley

Thursday, January 4, 6:30 PM @ MJB

Drop in for a special craft & story time!



Lego Drop In

Friday, January 5, 10 AM- 4 PM @ MJB Branch

We have lots of Lego! Come and meet your friends and build something epic!



Baby Time at MJB!

Mondays, January 8, 15, 22, 29 10:30 AM @ MJB Branch

Join us for a special Baby Time program of songs, stories & bubbles for babies ages 1 and under! No pre-registration required.



Unfinished Stitchery

Monday, January 8, 22 2 - 3:30 PM @ MJB Branch

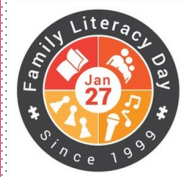
Bring your unfinished knitting, crocheting, rug hooking or any similar project and work among others for a fun and social gathering.



Family Craft Night at The Hub!

Tuesday, January 9, 6:00 PM @ The Hub

Bring the family to The Hub Branch in Canton to make a fun winter craft! Drop in. No registration required.



Family Literacy Day Party!

Saturday, January 27, 10:30 AM- 12:30 PM @ Hub Branch

Celebrate 25 years of Family Literacy Day and learning together as a family by having a party! Music, snacks, games and fun!

Library Hours

Mary J. Benson Branch

Monday - Thursday

10 am - 8 pm

Friday

10 am - 5 pm

Saturday

10 am - 5 pm

Sunday

11 am - 2 pm

The Port Hope

Community Hub Branch

Monday

10 am - 1 pm

Tuesday

4 pm- 7 pm

Wednesday

1 pm - 4 pm

Saturday

10 am - 1 pm

In This Issue

- ◆ Holiday Kids Week!
- ◆ Baby Time
- ◆ Family Craft Night
- ◆ Meditation
- ◆ Techno Buddies
- ◆ Rug Hooking
- ◆ Family Literacy Day Family Party!

Events & Programs @ Your Library



Learning, Laughter & Play - Drop In

Wednesdays, January 10, 17, 24, 31, 10:30 AM @ MJB Branch

In partnership with Early On Northumberland. Stories & interactive play designed for children under 6. All children are welcome!

Meditation & Mental Wellness with NHH Mental Health Services



Fridays, January 12, 19, 26, 1 PM @ MJB Branch

Join us to engage in guided meditations and short breathing exercises, followed by checking in & discussions. We ask that group members are on time. Bring a yoga mat or blanket to lay on the ground; chairs will be provided to sit in. No registration.



Scrabble Sundays at MJB!

Sundays, January 14, 21, 28 11:30 - 1 PM @ MJB Branch

Come out to play scrabble and meet up with friends old and new. All ages welcome!



Techno Buddies Afternoons

Tuesdays, January 16, 23, 30, 4 - 5 PM @ MJB Branch

Do you need help setting up a device or figuring out how to do something? TCS students are here to help you with any technical questions. Drop in.



Family Bingo at The Hub!

Tuesday, January 16, 6 PM @ The Hub Branch

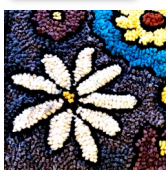
Come out for Family Bingo at the Hub Branch in Canton!



Library Book Club

Wednesday, January 17, 7 PM @ MJB Branch

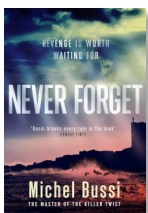
This month's selection is *Things Fall Apart*, by Chinua Achebe. "Achebe is gloriously gifted with the magic of an ebullient, generous, great talent."



Intro to Traditional Rug Hooking

Saturday, January 20, 1 - 3 PM @ MJB Branch

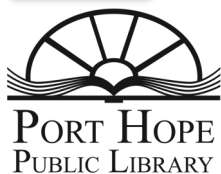
Join us to learn the art of traditional rug hooking with Northumberland Rug Hookers. Pre-register registrations@phpl.ca.



Mystery Readers' Book Club

Wednesday, January 24, 7 PM @ MJB Branch

Join us to discuss the novel *Never Forget* by Michel Bussi "A well-constructed literary thriller with a strong sense of place and deep understanding of human nature." —Kirkus Reviews



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January 1 & 7.

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