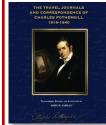
# What's On

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# Charles Fothergill - Local History Presentation

Saturday, April 6, 2 PM @ MJB Branch

Don't miss Charles Fothergill: Ornithologist, Artist, Legislator, Entrepreneur, Visionary, and Pioneer Settler of Port Hope. Presented by John W. Sabean, Ph.D., OMC, author of The Travel Journals and Correspondence of Charles Fothergill 1816-1840



# Learning, Laughter & Play - Drop In

Wednesdays, April 3, 10, 17, 24, 10:30 AM @ MJB Branch In partnership with Early On Northumberland. Stories & interactive play designed for children under 6. All children are welcome!



# Teen Trivia

Thursday, April 4, 11, 18, 25, 6:30 PM @ MJB Branch Bring your friends to test your knowledge and compete in Teen Trivia!



#### Meditation & Mental Wellness with NHH Mental Health

#### Fridays, April 5, 12, 19, 26, 1 PM @ MJB Branch

Join us for guided meditations and short breathing exercises, followed by checking in & discussions. Please arrive on time. Bring a mat or blanket to lay on the ground; chairs will be provided to sit in. No registration.



# Scrabble Sundays at MJB!

Sundays, April 7, 14, 21, 28, 11:30 - 1 PM @ MJB Branch Come out to play scrabble and meet up with friends old and new.



# Baby Time Baby Time at MJB!

Mondays, April 8, 15, 22, 29, 10:30 AM @ MJB Branch Drop in for a special baby time program of songs, stories & bubbles for babies ages 1 and under!



### Unfinished Stitchery

Monday, April 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.

**Please Note:** The Hub Branch will be closed on Monday, April 8. Take advantage of our online resources like Libby & Hoopla, and visit www.porthopepubliclibrary.ca for more!

"Spring will come and so will happiness. Hold on. Life will get warmer."

– Anita Krizzan

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

- Charles Fothergil Local History Presentation
- Baby Time
- Family Craft Night
- Meditation
- ♦ Techno Buddies
- FOL Presentation

# Events & Programs @ Your Library



# Drop In Family Craft Night at The Hub!

Tuesday, April 9, 5:30 - 7 PM @ The Hub

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



## Techno Buddies Afternoons

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

Do you need technical help with your devices? TCS students are here to help. Drop in.

# Family Bingo at The Hub!

Tuesday, April 16, 6 PM @ The Hub Branch Come out for Family Bingo at the Hub Branch in Canton!



# Library Book Club

#### Wednesday, April 17, 7 PM @ MJB Branch

This month's selection is *Circe*, by Madeline Miller. "An epic spanning thousands of years that's also a keep-you-up-all-night page turner." - Ann Patchett, author of *Commonwealth*. Everyone is welcome!



#### British Tea

#### Sunday, April 21, 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM @ MJB Branch

Join us to chat about all things royal! Tea, trivia & videos. Hats & fascinators welcome. Thank you to our sponsors Pharmasave & Aspira Retirement Living. Pre-register at <u>registrations@phpl.ca</u>.

#### CAPTOL THEATRE 2004 SEASON ROLLOUT Read & Play with Frog & Toad Market Season Control The Season Captol The Season

# Read and Play with Frog & Toad!

#### Monday, April 22, 4 - 7 PM @ MJB Branch

Don't miss the Capitol Theatre's celebration of **A Year with Frog & Toad**, in partnership with Furby House Books and hosted by the Library. Join us for an evening with live readings by members of the cast,

crafts and cookies! Pre-register at <u>www.capitoltheatre.com/events/read-play-with-</u><u>frog-toad</u> by reserving your pay-what-you-want tickets.



# Mystery Readers' Book Club

#### Wednesday, April 24, 7 PM @ MJB Branch

Join us to discuss the novel What Came Before He Shot Her, by Elizabeth George. "A tour de force from a writer flexing her muscles as she's never done before....Absolutely riveting." — Entertainment Weekly (Grade: A)

# FOL Presents: What Were Those Greeks Up To?

#### Saturday, April 27, 1 PM @ MJB Branch

Architect Bob Moss will introduce us to Greek geometry through his own models. They are both beautiful and fun! Donations will be gratefully for this special PHPL Friends of the Library event





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# NEW!

Check out our new monthly readers' display curated by PHPL staff. This month's display is by Nicki!

Also, National Volunteer Week is April 21 - 27.

#### We're now on Spotify & Tik Tok!



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