wood buffalo regional library

April 2023

It's Time to Read

Book Babies

Fridays, 10:30-11:30am

Are you looking to bring your littlest reader down to the library? Join us at Book Babies every week, perfect for the under-1 crowd. We'll sing songs, read stories, have fun, and send you home with a fun activity!



Suggest an Item—Did You Know?

If we're missing an item you think we should add to our collection, you can suggest we purchase it using our online form! You can suggest titles in all formats including video games and eBooks/eAudiobooks.

Leave your contact info on the form and staff will get back to you about your request.

www.wbrl.ca > Browse the Shelves > Can't Find It?

Libby App

Libby is the OverDrive app where you can borrow eBooks and eAudiobooks for free. You can stream books with Wi-Fi or mobile data, or download them for offline use and read anytime, anywhere.

All you need to get started is your free library card.



Solaro

Are you looking for study help for students in grades 3-12? Look no further than Solaro, accessible with your free library card. With Solaro, you can access practice tests, create flashcards, and more - all in alignment with regional standards. Access it online at whrl ca

Book/AV Sale

We're setting up our big book/AV sale again on April 30! We'll have our regular sale shelf as well as additional tables set up filled with items available for purchase. This time, we have an abundance of AV materials including movies and video games!

Prices remain the same as the usual sale price.

Books \$.50-\$.75, Movies \$2, Video Games \$5

Virtual Book Club with the RMWB

This virtual book club features the works and voices of Indigenous authors to increase understanding and awareness of Indigenous culture, history, and current issues. Help us build bridges through books and advance reconciliation in the region.

Settle in with a blanket, a cup of tea and participate in the It's Time to Read Facebook Group from the comfort of your own home!

Our next read is: **Half Bads in White Regalia: A Memoir** by Cody Caetano.

Limited kits will be available with registration opening March 27.

Open to all in the community, feel free to join in with your own copy of the book!



Sensory Story Time Thursday, 10:30-11:15am

If your child (1-5yrs) has difficulty sitting through one of our other story times, this interactive program of stories, songs, and activities might be just what you are looking for!

With the addition of a visual schedule, a slower pace, and access to sensory tools throughout the program, this story time supports children with developmental disabilities as well as their typically developing peers.

Register online at **wbrl.ca**.

Spring into Reading with Beanstack

Spring into Reading with your community! This April, we're celebrating Planet Earth, Poetry Month and, most of all, the end of Winter with our Spring Into Reading challenge on Beanstack. Write reviews, read books, and complete activities all month long for a chance to win a prize!







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Saturday-Monday 10am to 5pm Tuesday-Friday 10am to 8pm





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*Rise & Shine and STEM Lab: The exact same programs will take place on consecutive Saturdays & Sundays each weekend.

Registration Required

Drop in

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To learn more about programs or to register, scan here:



*STEM Lab (6-8yrs) 3:30-4:30pm	23/30 Rise & Shine (Newborn-5yrs) 10:30-11:30am	16 *Rise & Shine (Newborn-5yrs) 10:30-11:30am *STEM Lab (6-8yrs) 3:30-4:30pm	9 Library Closed	2 *Rise & Shine (Newborn-5yrs) 10:30-11:30am *Sensory Create (6-12yrs) 1:30-2:30pm *STEM Lab (6-8yrs) 3:30-4:30pm	Children's Programs sponsored by: Syncrude Operated by Suncor	Sunday
	24	17	10 Library Closed	ω	Indigenous Programs sponsored by: SUNCOR	Monday
Adult Book Club (18+) 6-7:30pm	25 Tiny Tykes (1-5yrs) 10:30am-11:30am	18 Tiny Tykes (1-5yrs) 10:30am-11:30am Adult Paint Night (18+) 6-7pm	Tiny Tykes (1-5yrs) 10:30am-11:30am Spring Break Gardening Day (6-8yrs) 1:30-2:30pm	4 Tiny Tykes (1-5yrs) 10:30am-11:30am	Afternoon Activities, designed for teens & adults with disabilities, is sponsored by: PEMBINA	Tuesday
English Language Learners (ELL) Conversation Group (18+) 6-7:30pm	26 Homeschoolers' Hangout 1:30-3:30pm	English Language Learners (ELL) Conversation Group (18+) 6-7:30pm	Spring Break No Bake Snacks (9-12yrs) 1:30-2:30pm English Language Learners (ELL) Conversation Group (18+) 6-7:30pm	5 English Language Learners (ELL) Conversation Group (18+) 6-7:30pm		Wednesday
	27 Sensory Story Time (1-5yrs)	20 Sensory Story Time (1-5yrs) 10:30-11:15a Senior Tech Bar (65+) 3-4pm Tween Paint Night (9-12yrs) 6-7pm	13 Sensory Story Time (1-5yrs) 10:30-11:15am Spring Break Pokémon Day (6-12yrs) 1:30-3:30pm Tween Paint Night (9-12yrs) 6-7pm	Sensory Story Time (1-5yrs) 10:30-11:15am Tween Paint Night (9-12yrs) 6-7pm	Partner Programs Let's Play Chess (6+) Friday, April 14 6-8pm Keyano College Lecture Series Friday, April 28 7-8:30pm	Thursday
Afternoon Activities 1:30-2:30pm	28 Book Babies (Newborn-1yr) 10:30-11:30am	Book Babies (Newborn-1yr) 10:30-11:30am No-School Friday Hangout (9-12yrs) 1-4pm	14 Book Babies (Newborn-1yr) 10:30-11:30am No-School Friday Hangout (9-12yrs) 1-4pm Afternoon Activities 1:30-2:30pm	7 Library Closed		Friday
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