Milton Public Library
Be Inspired

Program Guide
Summer 2026
July 1 - September 30



See inside for exciting programs, services, and updates including:

- An Evening with Mary Walsh
- New Multilingual Collection Items
- Drag Storytime with Gila Münster

"Dive In" this summer and join our Summer Reading Club programs, for children, teens, and adults!

Visit beinspired.ca for more details



A Message from our CEO



As the days grow longer and the energy of summer begins to fill our community, I'm delighted to welcome you to another vibrant season at Milton Public Library. Summer is a time for exploration, creativity, and connection - and there's no better place to discover all three than your library!

Our Summer Reading Clubs are now officially underway, and we warmly invite residents of all ages to take part. Whether you're discovering new authors, revisiting old favourites, or encouraging a young reader in your life, reading over the summer helps spark imagination and build lifelong learning habits. You can browse our shelves at any branch or enjoy our extensive digital collection from anywhere. All are free with your Milton Public Library card.

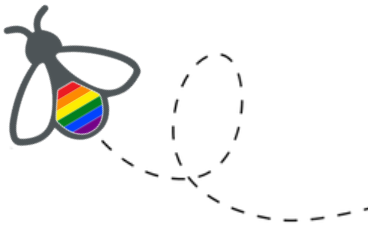
We're also excited to share a special announcement: Mary Walsh has been selected as our 2026 One Book, One Milton author. This community-wide reading initiative brings us together through the shared experience of a powerful story, and we hope you'll join us for a memorable evening at our live event on September 23. Get your tickets today! Her hilarious and touching memoir is now available at any MPL branch.

Beyond books, we have an incredible lineup of programs for children, teens, and adults all summer long. From hands-on workshops and storytimes to engaging talks and creative experiences, there is truly something for everyone to enjoy. Check out our website for more details.

We also invite you to come out and cheer us on at the Halton Pride Parade on July 19, where our library float will be part of the celebration of diversity, inclusion, and community.

Thank you for making MPL a part of your summer. We can't wait to see you at the Library!

Regards,
Sarah Douglas-Murray
CEO, Milton Public Library



New e-Resources

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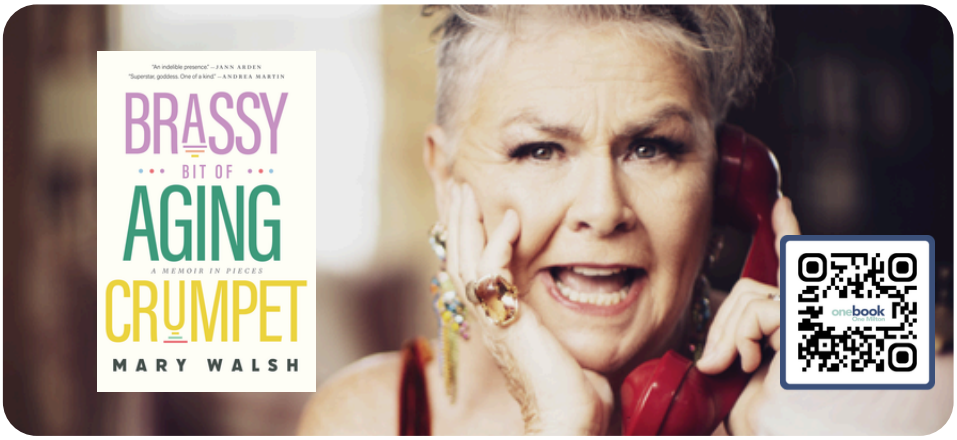
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Visit beinspired.ca/eresources for more info!

News and Updates



An Evening with Mary Walsh - September 23, 2026

As part of One Book One Milton 2026, Milton Public Library welcomes you to An Evening with Mary Walsh, celebrating the community-wide selection of her memoir, *Brassy Bit of Aging Crumpet: A Memoir in Pieces*. An iconic Canadian performer and writer, Walsh is best known for creating and starring in *This Hour Has 22 Minutes*, along with a remarkable career spanning television, film, theatre, and literature. Tickets for Library Members are only $20 each! Copies of her book are available at all branches for $27 (retail $36.99). Visit onebookonemilton.ca for more info!



New Multilingual Collections: Tamil & Punjabi

Our new Tamil and Punjabi physical collection has arrived at the Main Library, with exciting titles for adults and children to enjoy.



Summer Reading Clubs for All Ages

Visit any of our branches to sign up for our summer reading challenges. Turn every reading minute into badges, tickets, and exciting prize opportunities!



Pride Storytime

Join Chris Paul Rainbows for a special event celebrating *Guinea Pigs Don't Wear Pants*, a whimsically joyful and empowering children's book that celebrates individuality across the rainbow-hued spectrum. Happening Sunday July 19 at the Main Library.

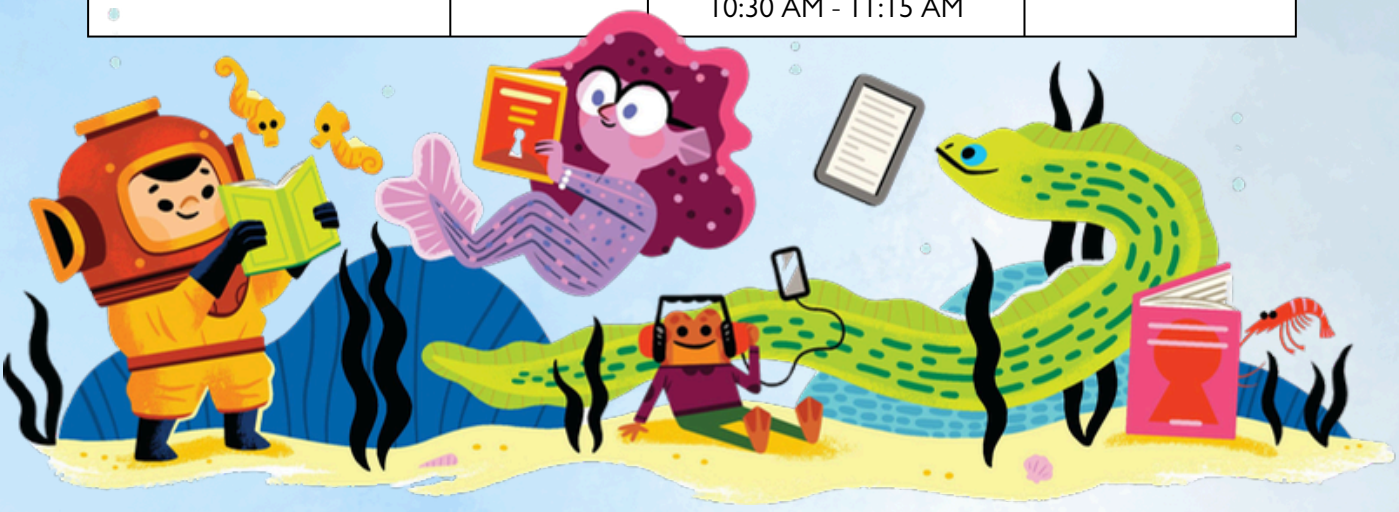


New Wellness Journal and Colouring Book

Pick up our new Adult/Teen Wellness Journal and/or Children's Colouring Book at any location for just $3.00 each (Includes crayons or coloured pencils).

Children's Storytimes

Drop-In Storytimes			
Program	Age	Day & Time	Location
Family Storytime	0 - 6 years	Saturdays July 4 - September 26 9:45 AM - 10:15 AM 10:15 AM - 10:45 AM 10:45 AM - 11:15 AM	Sherwood Branch Main Library Beaty Branch
Play Hive	0 - 6 years	Various days and times, please see our online program calendar for details.	All Branches
Sunday Family Storytime	0 - 6 years	Sundays July 5 - September 27 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Sherwood Branch Main Library
Storytime on the High Seas	2 - 7 years	Thursday July 23 Thursday August 13 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM	Main Library
Splish Splash Storytime	3 - 7 years	Mondays July 6 - August 24 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Main Library
		Tuesdays July 7 - August 18 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Beaty Branch
		Thursdays July 9 - August 20 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Sherwood Branch



Children's Programs

Kerry's Place Drop-in
For all ages

Learn about services and supports available through Kerry's Place, Canada's largest autism services provider. Drop in to connect with staff, ask questions, and explore resources for Autistic individuals and their families.

Friday September 11 | 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM
Main Library

Drop-in



Baby Sing and Connect with EarlyON Milton
Ages 0-12 months

An interactive circle-time for caregivers and babies featuring songs and rhymes that support early literacy, strengthen bonding, and build parent connections.

Wednesdays July 1 - September 30
10:30 - 11:30 AM | Beaty Branch

Drop-in

Mondays July 6 - September 28
1:30 - 2:30 PM | Main Library

Drop-in

Baby Toddler Sing and Play with EarlyON Milton
Ages 0-24 months

A sing-a-long educational circle-time program with songs, rhymes, and finger plays that promote early literacy, parent-child interaction, and connection!

Thursdays July 2 - September 24
1:30 - 2:30 PM | Sherwood Branch

Drop-in

Croque après-midi avec On y va Milton
Ages 0-6 ans

Un moment de partage autour de la lecture et d'activités ludiques qui éveillent le goût des livres chez les tout-petits et renforcent le lien avec l'adulte.

Wednesdays July 1 - September 30
2:30 - 3:30 PM Main Library

Drop-in

Drag Queen Storytime with Gila Münster
Ages 0-10

Join Drag Queen Gila Münster for a joyful Pride storytime featuring music, dancing, and age-appropriate stories celebrating self-love, acceptance, and LGBTQ+ representation. Royal attire encouraged!

Saturday August 15 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered

Teddy Bear Picnic
Ages 2-5

Bring your favourite stuffed friend and join us for a teddy bear picnic filled with stories, songs, crafts, activities, and plenty of beary special fun!

Friday September 18 | 10:15 - 11:30 AM
FirstOntario Arts Centre Milton

Registered



Take Flight!: STEM Aviation Workshop
Ages 4-7

Registered

Delivered in partnership with Toronto Pearson Airport, this program lets young learners explore how planes move through hands-on activities like air marshalling signals and building and flying paper airplanes.

July 10 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM | Main Library
July 17 | 3:00 - 3:45 PM | Beaty Branch
August 13 | 3:15 - 4:15 PM | Sherwood Branch

Children's Programs



Look Like Me, Read Like Me in partnership with Halton Black Voices
Ages 4-8

Look Like Me, Read Like Me, facilitated by Halton Black Voices, helps children see themselves in stories through fun games, snacks, and activities that foster confidence, imagination, and a love of reading and writing in a welcoming space.

Saturday July 25, August 22, September 26
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | Main Library Registered

Noticing Nature with Scientists in School
Ages 5-7

Chicka-dee-dee-dee! Explore nature sounds, pollinate flowers with a bee craft, investigate seeds, and create a growing seed caterpillar in this hands-on program celebrating the wonders of nature.

July 10, July 23, August 6 | 10:30 - 11:30 AM
Beaty Branch Registered

Sink or Float: Splish Splash into Science
Ages 5-7

Will it sink or will it float? Join us for a splashy science adventure as we test different objects in water, make predictions, and discover why some things stay on top while others sink to the bottom!

Wednesday July 15 | 2:00 - 2:45 PM
Beaty Branch Registered

Ride and Roll with Scientists in School
Ages 5-7

Explore the physics of amusement park rides through hands-on challenges involving bumper cars, spinning forces, ziplines, gravity, and roller coaster design.

Thursday July 23, August 6 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Beaty Branch Registered

Ocean Animals
Ages 5-7

Join us for an ocean animal storytime, and some awesome activities!

Friday July 31 | 11:00 - 11:45 AM
Beaty Branch Registered



Science Meets Art! with Scientists in School
Ages 5-7

Explore the connection between science and art through hands-on creations that use colour, light, motion, and imagination.

Thursday August 6 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Beaty Branch Registered

Lego Drop-in
Ages 5-12

Ready! Set! Build! Drop in and put your LEGO skills to work. Build and create with your fellow LEGO-maniacs.

Friday July 10, 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21
2:00 - 3:00 PM | Sherwood Branch Drop-in



Great Tentacles: Octopus STEAM
Ages 6-8

Did you know there are more than 150 species of octopuses that live in oceans around the world? In this interactive program we will explore and celebrate the quirky characteristics of the unique cephalopod!

Tuesday August 11 | 6:30 - 7:15 PM
Sherwood Branch Registered

Children's Programs

3D Ocean Art!
Ages 6-8

Kids will design and make their own mini aquariums with a pop! Bring your imagination and get creative!

Friday August 14 | 1:30 - 2:15 PM
Main Library
Registered

Dive into Music with Bandology
Ages 6-9

Explore rhythm, melody, and music-making through hands-on activities, instruments, and group play in this interactive program offered with Bandology.

July 14, 21, 28 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 11 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library
Registered



Shark Lady: Ocean Scientist
Ages 6-9

Dive into the amazing true story of Eugenie Clark, the fearless scientist known as the "Shark Lady"! Children will enjoy a story, learn fascinating shark facts, and take part in hands-on activities inspired by ocean exploration and marine science.

Wednesday August 19 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM
Main Library
Registered



Positively Me Art Project
Ages 6-12

Celebrate what makes you unique by creating a self-portrait that reflects your strengths, personality, and favourite qualities in this workshop led by Halton Women's Place.

Wednesday July 8, 12, 22, August 5, 12
6:30 - 7:30 PM | Main Library
Registered

Bubble Bonanza!
Ages 7-9

Explore the science and magic of bubbles through hands-on activities, including making your own bubble solution and creating bubble art.

Tuesday July 28 | 6:30 - 7:15 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Pop, Paint, Play!
Ages 7-10

Explore colour and science while being creative. Participants will experiment mixing paints, blowing bubbles to create unique designs on a canvas bag.

Friday July 24, August 7 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Main Library
Registered

Danger in the Water: An "I Survived Adventure"
Ages 7-11

Test your survival skills with games, challenges, and trivia inspired by Lauren Tarshis's I Survived the Shark Attacks of 1916.

Tuesday July 21 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM
Main Library
Registered

Pool Noodle Engineers
Ages 7-12

Get creative with pool noodles as you build, design, and experiment in this hands-on STEAM program.

Tuesday July 7 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Main Library
Registered

Children's Programs

Big Jobs! Big Impacts! (Community Leaders Lab)
Ages 7-12

Meet community leaders and learn how they make a difference through interactive activities that inspire leadership, problem-solving, and civic engagement.

Tuesday September 15 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM
Main Library

Registered

Dive into Minecraft: Aquatic coding adventure
Ages 8-10

Dive into an underwater Minecraft adventure for an introduction to coding and computer science.

July 11, August 7 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library

Registered



Dive in with Ozobots: Ocean Adventure Coding
Ages 8-10

Dive into an underwater world by guiding Ozobots through ocean themed colour coded maps.

Tuesday July 14, August 4 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Survivor Island: Do you have what it takes?
Ages 8-10

Do you have what it takes to survive on a deserted island? Join us, and let's see if we can make it through the various challenges together!

Wednesday July 29, August 12
6:30 - 7:30 PM | Main Library

Registered

Imagine it, Fold it!
Ages 8-12

Create ocean-inspired origami projects and discover how simple folds can transform paper into amazing creations.

July 7, 14, 21, 28, August 4 | 5:45 - 6:30 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered



Science Meets Art! with Scientists in School
Ages 8-12

Registered

Explore the connection between science and art through creations that use colour, light, motion, and imagination.

July 7 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM | Main Library
July 17 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM | Sherwood Branch

Flight Paths: STEM Aviation Workshop
Ages 8-12

Delivered in partnership with Toronto Pearson Airport, children will build and test paper airplanes while exploring flight and route planning.

Friday July 10, 17 | 1:00 - 2:00 PM
Wednesday August 19 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Don't Sink that Sub!
Ages 8-12

Join us for an interactive adventure as we build an "unsinkable" sub and learn about buoyancy along the way.

Monday July 13 | 1:30 - 2:30 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered

Children's Programs

TEDEd - Ocean: Science Beneath the Sea
Ages 8-12

Dive into ocean science and environmental mysteries through engaging TED-Ed lessons and hands-on discussions designed to spark curiosity and critical thinking.

July 22, 29, August 5, 12 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM
Main Library

Registered



Under the Sea with Makey Makey® Invention Kits
Ages 8-12

Use Makey Makey® invention kits to create interactive ocean creatures and bring the underwater world to life.

Tuesday July 28, August 11 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Mysteries of the Deep: Mythical Sea Creatures
Ages 8-12

Explore myths and legends of the sea through stories, games, and crafts inspired by mermaids, krakens, sea serpents, and other mysterious creatures.

Wednesday July 29 | 10:30 - 11:30 AM
Sherwood Branch

Registered

Camp Half-Blood Party
Ages 8-12

Calling all demigods! Test your skills with mythological challenges and activities inspired by Percy Jackson & the Olympians in this epic Camp Half-Blood adventure.

Friday July 31 | 1:30 - 2:30 PM
Main Library

Registered

Noticing Nature with Scientists in School
Ages 8-12

Chicka-dee-dee-dee! Explore nature sounds, pollinate flowers with a bee craft, investigate seeds, and create a growing seed caterpillar in this hands-on program celebrating the wonders of nature.

Monday August 10 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered

Ride and Roll with Scientists in School
Ages 8-12

Explore the physics of amusement park rides through hands-on challenges involving bumper cars, spinning forces, ziplines, gravity, and roller coaster design.

Monday August 17 | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Main Library

Registered



Roll for Adventure!
Ages 9-12

Discover the world of role-playing games featuring character creation, dice rolling, and adventure.

Thursday July 2, 9, 23, 30, August 6, 20
2:00 - 3:30 PM | Main Library

Registered

Clean Water Challenge: Build Your Own Water Filter
Ages 9-12

Design, build, and test your own water filter while learning how clean water is made and why it matters.

Tuesday July 14 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM
Beaty Branch

Registered

Children's Programs

Light up Angler Fish!
Ages 9-12

While learning about the Angler fish, participants will build a paper circuit emulating its unique bioluminescent lure!

Monday July 20 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered

Message in a Bottle: Stories Across The Water
Ages 9-12

Set sail on a creative writing adventure as you craft a story or message from the perspective of a pirate, sea creature, or sailor and take it home in a keepsake bottle.

Thursday July 23 | 2:30 - 3:15 PM
Main Library

Registered



Lost at Sea: Escape Room
Ages 9-12

Can your crew escape? Solve puzzles and uncover clues to find your way home before time runs out.

Monday July 27 | 2:00 - 2:45 PM
Main Library

Registered

Danger in the Water: An "I Survived Adventure"
Ages 9-12

Test your survival skills with games, challenges, and trivia inspired by Lauren Tarshis's I Survived the Shark Attacks.

Tuesday July 21 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM
Main Library

Registered

Lighthouse Challenge: Strawbees®!
Ages 9-12

Put your engineering skills to the test as you build the tallest lighthouse possible using Strawbees®, craft sticks, or index cards.

Tuesday August 18 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Dive in VR: Explore the Blue Planet
Ages 10-12

Explore oceans and underwater ecosystems in virtual reality using MPL's MetaQuest goggles while discovering marine life and ocean conservation.

Monday July 20, August 17 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Play like Vikings: Hnefatafl
Ages 10-12

Join us and make your own Hnefatafl game (also known as Tablut).

Thursday July 16 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM
Sherwood Branch

Registered



Mermaid Sugar Scrub
Ages 10-12

Dive into a magical ocean-inspired spa experience! Participants will make their own shimmering mermaid sugar body scrub while learning about simple ingredients, scents, and colors used in self-care products.

Monday July 27 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM
Main Library

Registered

Teen Registered Multi-Session Programs

Program	Age	Day & Time	Duration	Description	Location
Dungeons & Dragons	12 - 17 years	Tuesdays July 7 - August 25 3:00 - 4:30 PM	8 weeks	Join our Dungeon Master, Calvin, for a beginner-friendly Dungeons & Dragons campaign where you'll create a character and embark on an adventure!	Main Library
Newcomer Teen Support Circle: Belonging, Identity, and Life in Canada	16 - 19 years	Sunday July 12, 26, August 9, 23 1:00 - 2:00 PM	4 weeks	A supportive teen series for newcomers to Canada, offering a safe space to share experiences, build coping strategies, and connect with others during times of transition. Led by Registered Psychotherapist Regina D'Cruz.	Main Library

Teen Programs

Create & Make

Crochet a Tulip Hair Tie
Ages 11-17

Learn how to crochet a tulip hair tie with local artist Zukhruf Hanif!

Saturday July 4 | 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Beaty Branch

Registered



Upcycling: From Trash to Treasure
Ages 11-17

Reduce, reuse, and upcycle!

Through a series of four upcycle craft workshops, tweens and teens will have the opportunity to turn everyday recyclables into "uncommon treasures."

Wednesdays | 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

July 23: Jewelry crafts

July 30: T-shirt crafts

August 6: CD crafts

August 13: Book crafts

Main Library

Registered Separately

Jellyfish Lanterns
Ages 11-17

Learn about one of the ocean's oldest creatures as you create a colourful jellyfish-inspired paper lantern!

Monday July 27 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Sherwood Branch

Registered

Crochet a Windspinner
Ages 11-17

Learn how to crochet a windspinner with local artist Zukhruf Hanif!

Saturday August 1 | 1:00 - 3:30 PM

Beaty Branch

Registered

Crochet a Lipbalm Holder
Ages 11-17

Learn how to crochet a lipbalm holder with local artist Zukhruf Hanif!

Saturday September 12 | 1:00 - 3:30 PM

Beaty Branch

Registered

Candy Sushi
Ages 11-17

Create and enjoy your own candy sushi while exploring a sweet twist on a popular Japanese dish!

Thursday September 24 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Beaty Branch

Registered

Teen Programs

Paint Afternoon
Ages 13+
An afternoon of painting fun. Leave with your finished masterpiece. For Teens and Adults.
Saturday August 22 | 2:00 - 4:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Water Marbling Paper
Ages 13-17
Join us to learn the process of Suminagashi (Floating Ink) paper marbling. Using swirling patterns of ink we will create beautiful patterns reminiscent of the sky and sea.
Friday July 24, August 21 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Water is STEAM: Cyanotype Printing
Ages 13-17
Discover the art of cyanotype printing and create your own nature-inspired artwork using sunlight and materials from the Medicine Learning Garden.
Thursday July 16, August 13 | 1:00 - 3:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered



Water is STEAM: Marbled Mugs
Ages 13-17
Create a one-of-a-kind marbled mug while exploring the art and science of water marbling. Please note: this project uses water and nail polish, please dress accordingly.
Wednesday July 22 | 4:00 - 5:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered
Monday August 17 | 3:00 - 4:30 PM
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Water is STEAM: Build the Seven Wonders
Ages 13-17
Travel the seven seas and build your own version of a New Seven Wonder using LEGO, popsicle sticks, and more.
Saturday July 25 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered
Saturday August 15 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Crochet a Water Bottle Holder
Ages 13-17
Crochet a water bottle holder with local artist Zukhruf Hanif!
Saturday August 15 | 1:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library
Registered

Crochet a Starfish
Ages 13-17
Crochet a starfish with local artist Zukhruf Hanif, and choose to turn it into a keychain or magnet!
Monday August 17 | 6:00 - 8:00 PM
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Tech & Tools

Teen Tech: Sublimation Water Bottles
Ages 13-17
Design a custom sublimation water bottle and celebrate National Water Quality Month!
Saturday August 8 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Teen Tech: Sublimation Tote Bags
Ages 13-17
Learn about sublimation printing and design and heat press your own tote bag.
Tuesday September 29 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Teen Programs

Books, Writing & Ideas

A Cold Fate: An HMS Terror Escape Room
Ages 11-17

Can you solve the mystery of the HMS Terror? Crack codes, follow clues, and escape the room while uncovering the fate of the lost Arctic expedition.

Monday July 20 | Various Times
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Escape the Bermuda Triangle
Ages 11-17

You are in a plane flying over the legendary Bermuda Triangle, but there's a few small problems. You're lost! Can you escape the room and help the plane find safety?

Wednesday August 12 | Various Times
Beaty Branch
Registered



Write for Rights
Ages 13-17

For over 20 years, Amnesty International's annual Write for Rights campaign has transformed the lives of people whose rights have been wronged. You will view a short video synopsis on highlighted cases from Amnesty International and write a letter to help the cause. Participants are eligible to earn volunteer hours.

Sunday July 5 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Sunday August 16 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library
Registered

Choose Your Faction: A Divergent Celebration
Ages 13-17

With a sixth Faction on the way this October, it's the perfect time to return to the world of Divergent! Discover where you belong as you choose your Faction... or find out if you're truly Divergent.

Saturday September 19 | 2:00 - 4:00 PM
Beaty Branch
Registered

Wellness, Social & Community

Duck You: Rubber Duck Cosplay
Ages 11-17

Calling all quackers! Come and duck-orate a rubber duck to look like your favourite character!

Monday July 13 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM
Sherwood Branch
Registered

Trivia for Teens
Multiple Weeks, All Branches

Do you know everything about everything? Drop by any branch and pick up a trivia page and prove you are an Official Smarty-Pants (and maybe win a prize)! New topics every Saturday, so please return the completed sheet by Friday.

June 13-19: Dive Into Water Science
June 20-26: Dive Into Indigenous History and the Beaty Medicine Learning Garden
June 27-July 3: Dive Into Canada and Milton
July 4-10: Dive Into Supergirl History
July 11-17: Dive Into the Odyssey and Greek Mythology
July 18-24: Dive Into Queer History
July 25-July 31: Dive Into Spider-Man History
August 1-7: Dive Into Mythological Water Creatures
August 8-14: Dive Into Space
August 15-21: Dive Into Divergent

Adult Programs

Create & Make

Milton Knitting Circle

Join the Milton Knitting Circle, beginners and new participants are always welcome!

Wednesdays July 8 - September 23
6:30 - 8:30 PM | Main Library Drop-in

Creative Connections Seniors 55+

A supportive, inclusive space to explore crafting and develop skills. Participants enjoy hands-on activities with technologies like Cricut, linocut, and more!

Wednesdays July 8 - September 23
2:30 - 4:00 PM | Sherwood Branch Registered

Creative Connections

A supportive, inclusive space to explore crafting and develop skills. Participants enjoy hands-on activities with technologies like Cricut, linocut, and more!

Various Times July 16 - September 22
Beaty Branch Registered

Tech & Tools

Tech Certification: Fabric

Learn how to print designs on fabric using the Cricut. After this workshop, participants will be able to use the Cricut at the TechHub at Sherwood Library on their own time for their own fabric projects.

July 16, August 11, 13, September 10
Various Times | Sherwood Branch Registered



Tech Certification: Cricut Heat Press

Learn how to create sublimation print designs to iron on to clothing and accessories. After taking this workshop, participants will be able to come into the TechHub at Sherwood Library to use the sublimation printer on their own time.

July 21, August 4, 25, September 22
7:00 - 8:30 PM | Sherwood Branch Registered

Tech Certification: Vinyl

Learn how to create files and print them on vinyl using the Cricut. After taking this workshop, participants will be able to come into the TechHub at Sherwood Library to use the sublimation printer on their own time.

July 23, August 20, September 1, 17
7:00 - 8:30 PM | Sherwood Branch Registered

Tech Certification: Cricut Mug Press

Learn how to use the Cricut mug press by designing and making your own mug. After this workshop, you will be able to come into the TechHub at Sherwood and use the mug press on your own.

August 18, August 21, September 28
7:00 - 8:30 PM | Sherwood Branch Registered



Books, Writing & Ideas

Book Arts Circle: Beginners

Explore bookmaking in a relaxed, creative environment. With guidance from Stuart Hill, participants can learn new techniques, share ideas, and connect with a community of book arts enthusiasts.

Thurs July 2, 30, August 27, September 24
6:30 - 8:30 PM | Main Library Registered

Book Arts Circle: Experienced

Explore bookmaking in a relaxed, creative environment. With guidance from Stuart Hill, participants can learn new techniques, share ideas, and connect with a community of book arts enthusiasts.

Thurs July 16, August 13, September 10
6:30 - 8:30 PM | Main Library Registered

Something to Say: Milton Writing Club

Join fellow writers for a monthly workshop featuring guided prompts and creative exercises designed to inspire and strengthen your writing skills in a supportive environment.

Saturday July 18, August 22, September 26
2:00 - 3:30 PM | Sherwood Branch Drop-in

Ready, Set, Hold! New Releases Preview

Learn about and discuss upcoming and new releases, author spotlights, celebrity book club picks, backlist titles, book prizes and more!

Monday September 14 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM
Main Library Registered

Milton Uncovered - A Distinctive Building: Halton's Courthouse to Milton's Town Hall

Bring your walking shoes to join in on a short guided walking tour after the presentation!

Sunday July 26 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM Registered
Waldie Blacksmith Shop, 16 James St, Milton

Milton Uncovered - The Show Must Go On: Early Culture & Entertainment

Learn about various societies, lectures, moving picture companies, and vaudeville shows that travelled to Milton.

Sunday September 20 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM
Sherwood Branch Registered

Wellness, Social & Community

English Conversation Circle: Basic, Intermediate & Advanced Registered

Conversation Circles are gatherings where people come together to practice speaking English. They are an excellent way to practice your English in a variety of situations while meeting people in the community. Presented by HMC.

Various Times | Main Library & Sherwood

Senior's Social

Drop-in and connect with old friends and meet new ones while playing cards and board games, sharing laughter, reminiscing and more.

Wednesdays July 8 - September 23
1:30 - 3:00 PM | Main Library Drop-in

Living Longer, Stronger - Let's Talk Health and Wellness

Come discuss a wide array of health topics specifically designed to meet the needs of older adults, offering a supportive, personalized approach to aging.

Tuesdays July 7 - September 29 Registered
10:00 - 12:00 PM | Sherwood Branch

Bollywood Trivia

Test your knowledge of scenes, plot lines, movie stars, iconic roles, and debut Bollywood films. Bring your family and friends to have some fun with Bollywood Trivia!

Wednesdays July 29, August 26, September 23
7:00 - 8:00 PM | Beaty Branch Registered



Drumming and Meditation

Deepen your understanding and appreciation of Indigenous culture through music and storytelling in this interactive and enriching drumming experience.

Saturday September 12
12:00 - 1:30 PM | Beaty Branch Registered



Come visit our Medicine Learning Garden at Beaty Branch

Discover native plants, pollinators, story walks and our bee hives. It's a perfect spot to relax and reflect.

Volunteer hours available for teens!

UPCOMING CLOSURES

Wednesday July 1	Canada Day
Monday August 3	Civic Holiday (Simcoe Day)
Monday September 7	Labour Day
Monday September 14	Staff Town Hall - Branches open at 12:00 PM
Wednesday September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

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Hours	Main Library	Sherwood Branch	Beaty Branch	Hold Lockers	
	1010 Main St East	6355 Main St West	945 Fourth Line	Milton Sports Centre	Mattamy National Cycling Centre
Mon	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	Closed	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Tues	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:30 PM
Wed	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Thurs	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:30 PM
Fri	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Sat	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	8:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:30 AM - 4:00 PM
Sun	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Closed	8:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

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