

# What's On

March 2019



**Belleville Public Library & John M Parrott Art Gallery**





Kids of all ages are invited to blast into space for some out of this world fun!

Programs are drop-in. No registration.  
Contact 613-968-6731 x2035 for more information.

*Tickets for shows on March 12 and March 16 are now available and must be purchased in person at the Children's Desk*

# MARCH 11-16

**Monday**  
**March 11**  
**10am-4pm**

**Amazing Aliens!**  
Get ready for an alien invasion! Investigate our alien slime, create creatures, and turn yourself into



**Tuesday**  
**March 12**  
**11am**

**WonderPhil Magic Show**  
Tricks and magic are just the beginning of this interactive show which is sure to keep you entertained.



Tickets: \$2.50  
(Under Age 2 are Free)

**2:30-4pm**

**STEM Afternoon**  
Use your imagination with Legos, blocks, and more! Explore our dot and dash robots, Makey-Makey, and other fun technology.

**Drop in Ages 7+**

**Wednesday**  
**March 13**  
**10am-4pm**



**Awesome Astronauts**  
Transform yourself into an astronaut and test out your space skills with fun crafts and activities.

**Drop in All Ages**

**Thursday**  
**March 14**  
**10am-4pm**

**Galaxies, Stars, Constellations ...oh my!**  
Look to the stars, create marshmallow constellations, make a planet, and explore the galaxy.



**Drop in All Ages**

**Friday**  
**March 15**  
**11am**



**Space Party**  
Explore all that space has to offer with fun interstellar games and activities. Use our green screen technology to travel the universe!

**Drop in All Ages**



**Saturday, March 16, 11am (Ages 3-5) or 1:30pm (Ages 6-12)**

CFUW presents "Opera Candy: The Gourmet Adventure of Hansel and Gretel" by Jeunesses Musicales Canada. Relive the tale savoured by candy lovers everywhere with this fanciful, playful concert! Purchase tickets in person for \$5 (Under Age 2 are Free). Bring a comfy cushion and enjoy McDonald's refreshments after the show!



**i'm lovin' it'**

## Paws for Reading

Beginner or reluctant readers practice reading to a trained therapy dog. Ages 5+. Pre-register @ 613-968-6731 x2035 starting March 18. April 2-June 13  
Tuesdays, 3:40-5pm & Thursdays, 3:40-5:20pm

## Regular Programs

Join us for another season of Saturday Programs, Babytime, Toddlertime, Storytime and Music and Movement starting April 1-June 15



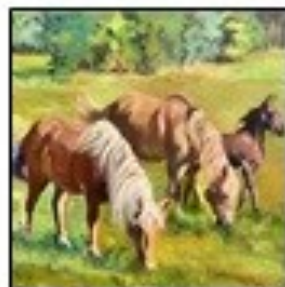
## Exhibitions & Workshops



Until March 27:

Gallery One:  
Quinte Fibre Artists  
*Evolving Traditions*

Gallery Two:  
Cynthia Solomon & Lee Mitz  
*Just the Two of Us*



Tuesday Workshops with artist & instructor Rachel Harbour  
March 5 - Create with Acrylic: Paint from a Photo  
March 19 - Watercolour: More Texture!  
\$20 per workshop, materials included. 10 am-1 pm  
Space is limited. Registration & payment required in advance to secure a spot.



## Programs, Events, Art Talks



**March 15 - Doodle Group:** A monthly guided, mindful drawing session for all to attend. Bring your creativity & supplies, and be prepared to be amazed at what you can create! All are welcome. Admission is free. (10 am-12 pm)

**March 21 - The Drawing Room:** Non-instructional studio sessions to encourage the traditional practice of drawing & painting the human figure from a draped model. All are welcome. \$3 donation for model. (2-4 pm)



**March 27 - Quinte Concerts - Songs by Schubert: Romantic Vocal Music**  
Join renowned vocalist Douglas Rice as he hosts this free classical music concert (donations accepted) in Gallery One on the third floor, beginning at 12:15 p.m.

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## Permanent Collection & Gallery Shop



The Parrott Gallery is proud to display a selection of oil paintings by well-known regional artist Manly MacDonald from our permanent collection.

Featuring gifts for any occasion from our area's finest artisans. Look for pottery, wood, jewellery, fabric, photography & other hand crafted works.







# TEENS

## Book Club

Books, board games and biscuits! This month's theme is books that you can't stop thinking about. Bring Your Own Book. Ages 12+  
Thursday, March 21, 6:30-7:30pm, Meeting Room-3rd Floor

## Knitterati

A social knitting circle for all levels. Please bring your own material.

Every 2nd Tuesday, March 5-June 25, 5:30-7:30pm, Reading Nook-1st Floor

Every 2nd Wednesday, March 6-June 26, 2-4pm, Fireplace-1st Floor (*NEW TIME*)

## Identity Theft and Fraud Prevention

Join Quinte First Credit Union for some helpful tips on keeping your personal and financial information safe from hackers and scammers. Enter to win a draw for a Donini Chocolate gift basket. *Free Event. No Registration.*

Tuesday, March 5, 6pm, Meeting Room-3rd Floor

## Computer Coach

A drop-in program designed to improve your computer confidence.

Every 2nd Wednesday, March 6-June 26, 10-11am, Computer Lab-2nd Floor

## Adult Computer Lessons

Part I: Basic Skills. Three consecutive Thursdays. *Pre-register @ 613-968-6731 x2037.*

Thursdays, March 7-21, April 4-18, May 9-23, 2-3:30pm

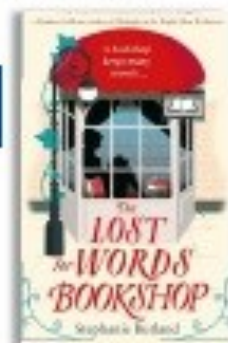
## Book Clubs

*The Lost for Words Bookshop* by Stephanie Butland

Last Monday of the month, March 25, 6:30-7:30pm, Gallery 3-3rd Floor

*Hateship, Friendship, Courtship, Loveship, Marriage* by Alice Munro

4th Tuesday of the Month, March 26, 2-3pm, Seminar Room-2nd Floor



## BPL Writers' Collective

Where writers come together to share ideas, hone their craft and inspire each other to meet their writing goals. All writing levels and genres are welcome.

Every 4th Tuesday, March 26-June 25, 5:30-7:30pm, Board Room-2nd Floor

# ADULTS





3 days of outstanding documentaries and a fabulous Friday Night Gala event featuring the critically acclaimed film *Gurumul* followed by a live musical performance by award winning singer-songwriter Logan Staats. Film screenings at the library starting Friday, March 1 at 12:30pm and Saturday, March 2 at 9:30am. Visit [www.downtowndocfest.ca](http://www.downtowndocfest.ca) for more details.

## International Women's Day

Friday, March 8, Bridge Street United Church

4:30pm: March from Bridge Street United Church

5pm: Social Hour & Refreshments

6pm: The Belleville International Women's Day

Committee presents Jane Rabinowicz, Executive Director of USC Canada, a non-profit organization rooted in the notion of human dignity and equality. They help communities around the world thrive by harnessing the power of good seeds, farmer leadership and global solidarity. *All are welcome to this Free event. No registration.* For more information contact Mieke at 613-969-1782 or [miekethome@cogeco.ca](mailto:miekethome@cogeco.ca)



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## library hours

<b>Monday</b>	9:30am-8pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	9:30am-8pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30am-8pm
<b>Thursday</b>	9:30am-8pm
<b>Friday</b>	9:30am-5pm
<b>Saturday</b>	9:30am-5:30pm
<b>Sunday</b>	1-5pm

## gallery hours

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<b>Sunday</b>	CLOSED

## directions



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