# DISCOVER

January - February 2016



Tween Zone Storytimes Teen Nights Learning at Lunch

## GENERAL INF?RMATI?N

#### Hours of Operation

**Closed:** Friday January 1

Monday February 8

Monday	9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Tuesday	9:30 am - 9:00 pm
Wednesday	9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Thursday	9:30 am - 9:00 pm
Friday	9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Saturday	9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Sunday	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

All Library programs are free and no registration is required.

For more information about any of our programs, please contact us at 250-770-7781 or ask at the Information Desk.



Contact Information

Circulation: 250-770-7781 Information Desk: 250-770-7782 Children's Library: 250-770-7783

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## CHILDREN

### Preschool Storytime

Age: 3 to 5 years

Wednesdays 11:00 - 11:30 am January 20 to March 23

### **Baby Songs and Rhymes**

Age: pre-walkers, infant to 15 months

Fridays 1:30 - 2:30 pm January 22 to March 18\* \*No program March 4

### **Toddlertime**

Age: 16 months to 3 years

Fridays 10:00 - 10:30 am January 22 to March 18\* \*No program March 4



### Afterschool Programs

Age: 5 to 12 years 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Great stories, fun craft and a funny puppet show

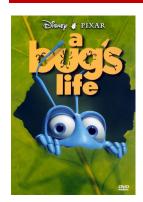




Valentine Friends Friday February 12



## FAMILY MOVIES



A Bug's Life Saturday February 6 At 3:30 pm

A misfit ant, looking for "warriors" to save his colony from greedy grasshoppers, recruits a group of bugs that turn out to be an inept circus troupe.

\*\* Although these are family movies, they may not be suitable for all children\*\*

### January 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Closed	2			
3	4	5	6 LC	7	8 YM Last day for t-shirt design contest	9 TN
10	11	12	13	14	15 LL	16
17	18	19	20 PS TZ	21 SSS	22 TT BR	23 Family Literacy Day
24	25 BC	26 <b>Exam Cram</b> 2:00-5:00 pm	27 PS	28	29 TT BR AS	30

### **Calendar Legend:**

- **PS : Preschool Storytime** 11:00 11:30 am **FM : Family Movies**
- TT : Toddlertime 10:00 10:30 am
- BR : Baby Songs & Rhymes 1:30 2:30 pm TN : Teen Night 7:00 9:30 pm
- AS: Afterschool Program 3:30 5:00 pm
- LC : Lego Club 3:30 4:30 pm
- TZ : Tween Zone 3:30 4:30 pm
- - **YM : YAC Meeting** 3:45 5:15 pm

  - SSS : Secret Stitching Society 6:00 8:00 pm
  - LL : Learning at Lunch 12:00 1:00 pm
  - BC : Around the World Book Club 1:00 2:30 pm

## February 2016

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	1	2	3 PS LC	4 SSS	5 TT BR LL	6 FM 3:30 pm
7	8 Closed Family Day	9	10 PS	11	12 TT BR AS YM	13 TN
14	15	16	17 PS TZ	18 SSS	19 TT BR LL	20
21	22	23	24 PS	25	26 TT BR	27
		Fi	reedom to Rea	d Week		
28	29 BC					

## SECRET STITCHING SPCIETY



January 21 February 4 & 18 6:00 - 8:00 pm Library Reading Room

### **Calling All Stitchers!**

Beginners and masters alike are invited join us for an evening of stitching and gabbing.

No experience or registration required This is a drop in program for ages 13+

## TWEENS

Ages 9 - 12

Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

January 6 February 3

Join us in the Children's Library for an afternoon of creative fun.

Surprise theme each session!

We supply the Lego, you create the fun.



## **Gueen Zone**



Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

January 20: Glove Monsters

February 17: Tomboy Knitting



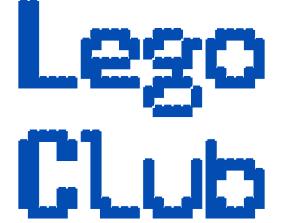
Coming Up...

March 23: Muggle Mischief April 20: Silly Bird Marionette May: Jedi Make & Take June 15: Buggles





Please wear appropriate clothing to craft programs.



## YOUNG ADULTS

### Ages 13 - 18

Pizza for the meetings generously donated by:

Domino's

### Youth Advisory Committee (YAC)

YAC is charged with planning fun and interesting teen events at the library!



### Upcoming YAC Meetings

Friday January 8 Friday February 12 3:45 - 5:15 pm

### Freedom to Read **T-Shirt Design Contest** for teens Calling All Teen Artists!

The Penticton Public Library is looking for one lucky teen to design a t-shirt for Freedom to Read Week 2016.

Entries due Friday January 8, 2016. More information on our website: library.penticton.bc.ca/Teenagers/Teenagers.html



The winning artist will win a \$20 Landmark Cinema gift card plus a t-shirt!



Doors open at 6:45 pm

We promise no one will get hurt...





## ADULTS

### Welcome Stephanie!

Stephanie James is very excited to be joining the Penticton Public Library as the new Adult Services Librarian. She has worked for the past three years at the St. Catharines Public Library, predominantly in the Adult Information Services department. In this role she created and ran programs, maintained the collection, and assisted patrons.

Stephanie is thrilled to be moving to beautiful British Columbia after living the majority of her life in Southern Ontario. She received her undergraduate degree in Global Studies and Gender Studies at Wilfrid Laurier University. During this time she lived for four months in Ireland while attending the University of Limerick. She then went on to do her Master's degree in Library and Information Science at the University of Western Ontario.



Stephanie has a variety of interests including: reading, skiing, hiking, and watching movies. She looks forward to getting to know Penticton's unique and wonderful community.

### Around the World Book Club

The Around the World and Beyond Book Club meets on the last Monday of every month from 1:00 - 2:00 pm in the Library Auditorium. For more information, please contact the library at 250-770-7782

### Dovekeeper by Alice Hoffman (Jan 25/16)

A tale inspired by the tragic first-century massacre of hundreds of Jewish people at Masada presents the stories of a hated daughter, a baker's wife, a girl disguised as a warrior, and a medicine woman who keeps doves and secrets while Roman soldiers draw near.



### Medicine Walk by Richard Wagamese (Feb 29/16)

A stunning novel that has all the timeless qualities of a classic, as it tells the universal story of a father/son struggle in a fresh utterly memorable way, set in dramatic landscape of the BC interior. A novel about love, friendship, courage, and the idea that land has within it powers of healing - revealing the ultimate goodness of its characters and offering a deeply moving and redemptive conclusion.

### Learning at Lunch

Friday January 15: **BC Winter Games** with Bill Bidlake and Kristi Patton The Games, which will be held from February 25-28, 2016, will include participants from across BC in 17 sports with athletes ranging in age from 9 to 40 years old.



### Friday February 5: The Benefits of Giving in Penticton

Aaron McRann, Executive Director of the Community Foundation, will introduce participants to the charities working in Penticton and to the idea that everyone can make a difference in their community. We will discuss the benefits, both personally and community-wide, of supporting local charities and some of the most common misconceptions who should give what and when.

Friday February 19: **Freedom of the Press and Censorship** with James Miller, Editor of the Penticton Herald A print journalist for 30 years, his weekly column "Editor's Notebook" covers everything from rock music to