

# Program & Activity Guide

## Winter 2020

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# Welcome

## to the Cochrane Public Library's Winter Program Guide!

Your membership card is your ticket to all of the exciting programs we offer here at the Library. And best of all, your Library card gets you into all of our programs for FREE!! We have something for everyone and we're always looking for feedback so follow us on our social media channels, chat with us at the library, or give us a call!

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Need help with your computer, software  
or have tech questions?

Drop in, email us or give us a call to set up  
an appointment.

## Smartphone Photography

Tuesdays @ 5.00pm

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## HGTV Series

Tuesdays @ 6:30pm

See Page 7 for details



## TECH PROGRAMS

### BASIC PHONE TECH(IOS/APPLE) REGISTERED

Learn the basics of operating a iPhone or iPad including settings, App Store, phone and email in this mini-series.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Feb 7-28	1:30-2:30pm
Fri	Apr 17-May 8	1:30-2:30pm



### INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT OFFICE REGISTERED

Learn the basics of Microsoft Word, Excel and Powerpoint. By the end of this program, you should be able to create, edit and save documents.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Jan 29-Feb 26	5:00-6:00pm



### INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT EXCEL REGISTERED

Learn the basics of Microsoft Excel. By the end of this program, you should be able to create/edit/ save spreadsheets and use some of the basic formulas/functions.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	May 6-27	5:00-6:00pm

### INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT WORD REGISTERED

Learn the basics of Microsoft Word. By the end of this program, you should be able to create, edit and save documents

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Jun 3-24	5:00-6:00pm

### INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE SUITE REGISTERED

Many schools and colleges are using Google Suite for their workflow to produce documents, spreadsheets, etc. Come and learn how to use the software.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Mar 11-Apr 8	5:00-6:00pm



### SMARTPHONE PHOTOGRAPHY 101 REGISTERED

The best camera is the one you have with you. Let us help you get the best shots from your phone over this 4-week program. You will be introduced to composition, camera apps, editing on your phone and more.

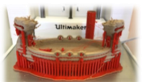
DAY	DATES	TIME
Tues	Jan 21-Feb 11	5:00-6:00pm
Tues	May 5-May 26	5:00-6:00pm



### 3D PRINTING BEGINNER CLASS (10+, ADULT SUPERVISION REQUIRED) REGISTERED

This 4-week program will provide you with the knowledge on how to use the program Tinkercad to design a project to print on our 3D printer.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tues	Apr 7-28	5:00-6:00pm



## EARLY LITERACY PROGRAMS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Drop-in Story Time 10:15 a.m. <b>DI</b>		Baby Bookaroos 10:15 a.m. <b>R</b>	Tales for Tots 10:15 a.m. <b>R</b>	Tales for Tots 10:15 a.m. <b>R</b>
	Story Time 1:00 p.m. <b>R</b>		Baby Lap Time 1:00 p.m. <b>DI</b>	
No classes on Oct 14, Nov 11				No class on Apr 10

DI = Drop-In Class

R = Registered Class



### BABY LAPTIME (AGES 0-16 MONTHS/PARENTED) DROP-IN

Discover new and fun ways to connect with your baby: sensory stimulation, finger plays, classic rhymes, and songs.

**Session 1:** Jan 16-Feb 27 **Session 2:** Mar 5-Apr 9 **Session 3:** Apr 23-May 14

### TALES FOR TOTS (AGES 17 MONTHS-3 YRS/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Come to the library for stories, rhymes and songs that will keep your toddlers engaged from start to finish.

**Thurs Session 1:** Jan 16-Feb 27 **Session 2:** Mar 5-Apr 9 **Session 3:** Apr 23-May 14  
**Fri Session 1:** Jan 17-Feb 28 **Session 2:** Mar 6-Apr 10 **Session 3:** Apr 24-May 15

### STORY TIME (AGES 3-5/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Come to the library for an exciting story and engaging rhymes! These sessions will keep your preschooler interacting from start to finish.

**Tues Session 1:** Jan 14-Feb 25 **Session 2:** Mar 3-Apr 7 **Session 3:** Apr 21-May 12

### DROP IN STORYTIME (ALL AGES/PARENTED) DROP-IN

Join us for 30 minutes of stories, rhymes and songs. Outside when weather permits.

**Mon Session 1:** Jan 13-Feb 24 **Session 2:** Mar 2 -Apr 6 **Session 3:** Apr 20-May 11  
(No class Feb 17)

### BABY BOOKAROOS (WALKING-2 YRS/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Join us for a song and rhyme-oriented class with stories to entertain you and your child. Let's get them ready to read!!

**Session 1:** Jan 15-Feb 26 **Session 2:** Mar 4-Apr 8 **Session 3:** Apr 22-May 13



## CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMS

**PLEASE NOTE: CHILDREN UNDER 12 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A GUARDIAN WHILE IN THE LIBRARY**

### CURIOSITY CORNER (AGES 6-13) DROP-IN

We have some great activities for you! Come on by anytime during the drop-in period, take on the do-it yourself challenge and create something cool!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 25, Feb 8, 22, Mar 7, 21, Apr 4, 18	11:00am-2:00pm

### LEGO CLUB (AGES 5+) DROP-IN

Everything is awesome when you play with LEGO and hangout with your friends! Show off your skills at the library with fun challenges and unique LEGO pieces.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 18, Feb 1, 15, 29, Mar 14, 28, Apr 11, 25	1:00-1:30pm

### LEGO CLUB IN BRAGG CREEK (AGES 5+) DROP-IN

Everything is awesome when you play with LEGO and hangout with your friends! Show off your skills at the library with fun challenges and unique LEGO pieces.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Jan 20, Feb 17, Mar 16, Apr 20, May 18	3:30-4:30pm

### BEGINNER UKULELE (AGES 9-12, LIMIT OF 8 PARTICIPANTS) REGISTERED

In this class, we will learn the basics of the ukulele. Throughout the six weeks, we will learn how to play one song which we will perform on the last day. Attendance is important as we progress weekly as a group.

**Session 1: Tues** Jan 14-Feb 25 **Session 2: Tues** Mar 24-Apr 28

**Session 3: Tues** May 12-June 16 @ 3:30-4:30pm



### CREATIVE CARDS AND LETTERING (AGES 7+) REGISTERED

Ready to make some beautiful cards? Want to learn how to write in cursive and other creative fonts? Each week we'll be exploring a new creative font and creating beautiful handmade cards.

**Session:** Wed Jan 15-Mar 18 @ 4:00-5:30pm



## ADULT PROGRAMS

### NEWCOMERS COMMUNITY CAFÉ DROP-IN

Come to the library and meet other newcomers. In partnership with Newcomers Cochrane. Held on Art Walk Saturdays, a casual get-together with light refreshments in the Library's Rotary Lounge. Check our website for details.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Jan 11, Feb 8, Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9	11:00am-1:00pm

### CREATIVE CARDS AND LETTERING-ADULTS ONLY! REGISTERED

Who says Hallmark should have all the fun? Come learn how to write in beautiful fonts and create incredible handmade cards in this hands-on program! Each week we'll be tackling a new lettering style and working with our Makerspace equipment to create gorgeous paper crafts.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Jan 15-Mar 18	5:30-7:00 pm

### INDIGENOUS BOOK CLUB REGISTERED

Join us for an exploration of incredible Indigenous works and authors!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Jan 20	6:30-7:30pm

## TECH PROGRAMS

### BASIC TECH TUESDAYS REGISTERED

Learn the basics of operating a computer. We cover Google, Email and the basics of the desktop.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tues	Jan 14-Feb 4	9:15-10:15am
Tues	Feb 18-Mar 10	9:15-10:15am
Tues	Mar 31-Apr 21	9:15-10:15am
Tues	May 5-May 26	9:15-10:15am

### BASIC PHONE TECH(ANDROID) REGISTERED

Learn the basics of operating a Android Phone/tablet, including basic settings, Google Play Store, phone and email in this mini-series.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Mar 13-Apr 3	1:30-2:30pm
Fri	May 22-Jun 12	1:30-2:30 pm



## ADULT PROGRAMS

### MURDER MYSTERY NIGHT- CLUELESS MURDER REGISTERED

A known millionaire, Mr. Boddy is a man of great wealth, some of which you hope to gain in inheritance — but only if you are brave enough to attend the reading of his will. For while foul play was indicated in his death, the killer has yet to be brought to justice... and is likely to strike again!

**Session:** Sat May 9 - Doors open at 5:30pm; Game runs 6:00 -8:00pm

### HGTV SERIES

Can't get enough of real estate and renovation shows? Come out to the library for the real thing! The Cochrane Public Library is hosting a monthly 4-part series on all things real estate. There will be plenty of time to ask your questions during these interesting and informative evenings. Check out our website for more details.

DAY	DATES	TOPICS	TIME
Tues	Jan 28	Buying? Selling? Hot Tips About the Real Estate Industry	6:30-7:30pm
Tues	Feb 25	Who Doesn't Love Tiny Homes?!?	6:30-7:30pm
Tues	Mar 24	Interested in Real Estate Investing? How To Be a Good Landlord	6:30-7:30pm
Tues	Apr 28	Run Your Reno Like a Boss	6:30-7:30pm

### BASIC VEHICLE MAINTENANCE WORKSHOP

Mystified by how to keep your vehicle in good condition between check-ups? Join Phil Cote from Cochrane Toyota while he shows us basic vehicle maintenance such as checking your fluids and tires and changing a flat. Coffee, light refreshments and prizes will be provided to all participants.

**Session:** Thur May 28 @ 4:30-6:00pm



### INDIGENOUS AUTHOR CELEBRATION REGISTERED

Join us as we hear from some incredible Indigenous authors including Richard Van Camp, Aaron Paquette, and Diana Frost! Lunch will be provided, tickets are free but you must register to save your seat!

Richard Van Camp will also be running a Reclaiming Family Stories Writing Workshop that will require separate registration. Space is limited for this special workshop! Keep your eyes open for the registration form!

**Session:** Sat Feb 22 @ 11:00am-4:00pm

### ORGANS, BONES AND FAT: NUTRIENT-DENSE FOOD THAT CAN HEAL YOU AND THE PLANET REGISTERED

Nutrient-dense organs, bones, and animal fats were the foundation foods of your ancestors, not to mention every healthy traditional culture that has ever existed. We are literally eating ourselves and our planet to death. But there is a simple solution to both of these problems. Join ex vegan, regenerative farmer and Weston A. Price Foundation Edmonton Chapter Leader Takota Coen to learn how you can eat the change you want to see in the world.

**Session:** Sat Jan 18 @ 1:00-2:30pm

## CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMS

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### YOUTH WRITERS (AGES 9-12) REGISTERED

We have one goal in this group: COMPLETE THAT STORY. Each week we will be going over writing techniques and focusing strictly on your very own story. At the end of the session, we'll be hosting an author evening and even binding your completed work for you! You don't want to miss out on this club!

**Session:** Tues Jan 14-May 19 @ 4:00-5:00pm

### THE LATE NIGHT LIBRARY PLAYERS-DRAMA CLUB (AGES 8-12) REGISTERED

Calling all Drama Queens and Kings! Come join our fun-filled Club as we learn the ins and outs of acting and character development! Final play March 19!

**Session:** Thu Jan 16-Mar 19 (no class Feb 6), 7:00-8:00pm

### LET'S TALK BOOKS! (ALL AGES) DROP-IN

Every month we'll be picking a theme where you the reader can then decide what to read based on that theme! Come on by during our Book Talk sessions and present your book to the group!

**Session:** Mon Jan 6, Feb 3, Mar 9, Apr 6, May 4 @ 10:00-11:45am

### MAKERSPACE MONDAYS! (AGES 6+) DROP-IN

Join us every third Monday of the month to take on some great hands-on projects with our Makerspace equipment!

**Session:** Mon Jan 20, Feb 17, Mar 16, Apr 20, May 18 @ 10:30am-12:00pm

## TEEN PROGRAMS

### TEEN WRITERS (AGES 13-18) REGISTERED

Everyone has one novel in them and 2020 is the year you will finish it! Come and work on yours at the library! Each week we'll be going over writing techniques to help you craft your novel. At the end of the session, we'll bind your book and host an author event for your friends and family!

**Session:** Thu Jan 16-May 21 @ 4:00-5:00pm

### TEEN ADVISORY GROUP (AGES 13-19) REGISTERED

Want to help shape the YA collection and Teen programming at the Library? Love reading and telling people why you love the book? Are you good at building website and web content? If you answered yes to any of these, you should be part of our teen Advisory group! We can help you get some valuable volunteering experience all while having a great time with friends.

**Session:** Mon, Jan 13, 27, Feb 10, 24, Mar 9, 23, Apr 6, 20 @ 6:00-7:00pm



## TEEN PROGRAMS

### MURDER MYSTERY NIGHT- CLUELESS MURDER-TEEN EDITION! REGISTERED

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**Session:** Fri May 8 - Doors open at 5:30pm; Game runs 6:00 -8:00pm

### GIRLS WHO CODE (AGES 13-18) REGISTERED

Girls Who Code is on a mission to close the gender gap in technology and to change the image of what a programmer looks like and does. Come learn about coding, complete cool projects, and learn about some incredible women in the industry! Note: this club is for all genders and identities. Register now!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Jan 17-May 15	4:00-5:00pm

### TEEN MOVIE NIGHTS (AGES 13-18) DROP-IN

We'll pop the popcorn, you supply the commentary! Come on down for some great films!

DAY	DATES	TIME	MOVIE
Fri	Feb 7	6:00-8:00pm	10 Things I Hate About You
Fri	Mar 6	6:00-8:00pm	Breakfast Club
Fri	May 1	6:00-8:00pm	13 Going on 30

## FAMILY PROGRAMS

### HARRY POTTER BOOK NIGHT-TRIWIZARD TOURNAMENT DROP-IN

In Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire, Harry and three other champions must face challenges that will test them in different ways—their magical prowess, their daring and their powers of deduction. Are you brave enough to put your name into the Goblet of Fire? Wizards, Witches and Muggles of all ages are welcome!

**Session:** Thu Feb 6 @ 6:00-8:00pm

### BEDTIME BUGALOO! PJ STORYTIME! DROP-IN

It's always a romp when you get to wear your PJs at the Library! Come and get cozy, but not for long! We'll have you participating the stories, up and dancing along to some great tunes, and rhyming along to some classics! Feel free to bring your blankies and stuffies!

**Session:** Fri Feb 21 @ 6:00-6:45pm

### FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT-BEDTIME STORIES DROP-IN

Come join us after hours in the Rotary Lounge as we watch the movie "Bedtime Stories"! We'll pop the popcorn, you bring the blankies!

**Session:** Fri Apr 3 @ 6:00-8:00pm

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## FAMILY PROGRAMS

### NIGHT AT THE LIBRARY ESCAPE ROOM (8+, under 12 must register w/an adult) REGISTERED

Calling all escape room enthusiasts! Try to escape from our themed room before the time elapses. Only 6 people in each time slot so register early!

**Session:** Tues March 31 @ 5:30-8:15pm

## ADULT PROGRAMS

### CLASSICS IN CONTEXT WITH ELAINE PHILLIPS DROP-IN

Join Elaine Phillips, history and literature instructor, for her lecture series and have some fun learning and laughing. Each lecture includes an introduction to an author's life and times as well as their writings. First Tuesday of the month

**Session:** Tues Jan 7, Feb 4, Mar 3, Apr 7 @ 6:45-8:00pm

### AUTHOR TALKS REGISTERED

Once a month, the Cochrane Public Library hosts an intimate evening with a published local or visiting author! Hear a reading, ask questions and get a book signed during these fun and informative events. Light refreshments will be served.

**Check website for upcoming authors**

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tues	Feb 11	6:30-7:30pm
Tues	Mar 10	6:30-7:30pm
Tues	Apr 14	6:30-7:30pm

### INTRODUCTION TO MINDFULNESS AND PARENTING REGISTERED

This session will outline and discuss the main concepts in mindfulness and how understanding the brain can improve self-regulation. Using a hands-on approach this session will teach skills related to these concepts. We will discuss how the brain influences thinking, emotions, self-regulation and behavior. Improved self-regulation can lead to better focus in school, better cooperation with others and improved self-awareness and self-control.

**Session:** Thu Jan 16 @ 6:00-8:00pm

### ADULT FICTION WRITING CLASS REGISTERED

Already started your novel, but feel stuck on the next step? We will be sharing techniques on how to develop your plot ideas, edit your work into a publishable form and get that novel finished within a positive learning environment.

**Session:** Wed Jan 8-Feb 5 @ 5:00-6:00pm

### INTRIGUED: HOW TO KEEP YOUR READERS INVESTED REGISTERED

If you've always had a desire to write, whether your interest is fiction, memoir, or blogging, we will be discussing ways to narrow in on your key focus and audience, craft interesting characters and keep the ideas flowing to draw in your readers!

**Session:** Wed Apr 8-29 @ 5:00-6:00pm