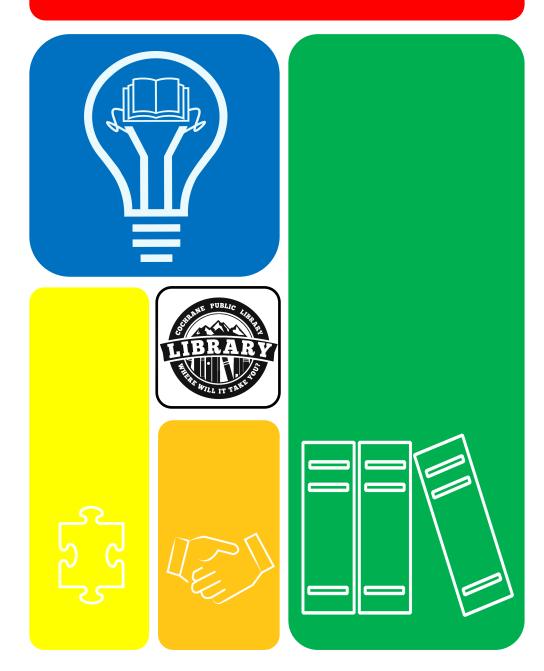


PROGRAM & ACTIVITY GUIDE Fall 2021



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Fall 2021



Welcome Back!

to the Cochrane Public Library's Fall 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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This is only the beginning of the fun and offerings we have for you this Fall. We continue to add more programs/events as the year progresses.

Keep up to date on social media or visit: https://www.cochranepubliclibrary.ca/Events



Keep active this Fall / Winter.

We have snowshoes, ice cleats, GPS, hiking poles and even an avalanche safety kit that you can borrow with your Library Card.



The library has 10 early literacy bags & 5 STEAM themed bags available to borrow.

Each bag contains items to cover 5 areas of literacy: read, talk, play, sing & write.

STEAM bags contain items to complete projects and inspire more thinking & doing.



Winter can be hard for many of us due to the lack of sunlight.

Help combat SAD by borrowing a Happy Light from our Wellness Library



What: Fall Plant Sale

When: Sat, Sep 25 2:00-4:00pm

Where: Cochrane Public Library

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TECH PROGRAMS

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	Sept 15 - Oct 13	5:00-6:00pm



INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE APPS 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	Oct 27 - Nov 24	5:00-6:00pm



SMARTPHONE PHOTOGRAPHY 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
Mon	Sep 13 - Oct 4	6:00-7:30pm
Mon	Oct 18 - Nov 8	6:00-7:30pm



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

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

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Nov 15 - Dec 6	6:00-7:00pm



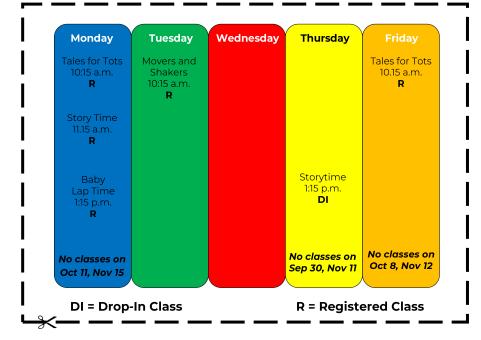




DID YOU KNOW?

The Library has a number of tablets and ChromeBooks that you can borrow for 7 days using your library card!

EARLY LITERACY PROGRAMS



BABY LAPTIME (AGES 0-WALKING/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Discover new and fun ways to connect with your baby through bounces, tickles, and stories set to song.

Session 1: Nov 1-Dec 6

TALES FOR TOTS (AGES 2-3 YRS/PARENTED) REGISTERED

It's time again for stories, rhymes, and songs your toddler will love that foster the joy of reading!

Mon Session 1: Sep 13-Oct 25 Session 2: Nov 1-Dec 6 (No class Oct 11 and Nov 15) Fri Session 1: Sep 17-Oct 29 Session 2: Nov 5-Dec 10 (No class Oct 8 and Nov 12)

STORYTIME (AGES 3-5/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Come to the library for exciting stories, songs, and a take home craft! These sessions will keep your preschooler interacting from start to finish!

Session 1: Sep 13-Oct 25 Session 2: Nov 1-Dec 6 (No class Oct 11 and Nov 15)

DROP-IN STORYTIME (AGES 3-5/PARENTED) DROP-IN

Can't make it to storytime every week? No problem! Come to our drop-in time with stories, songs, and rhymes for toddlers and preschoolers.

Session 1: Sep 16-Oct 28 Session 2: Nov 4-Dec 9 (No class Sep 30 and Nov 11)

MOVERS AND SHAKERS (WALKING-2 YRS/PARENTED) REGISTERED

Join us for songs and rhymes in a movement-oriented class guaranteed to get out the wiggles!

Session 1: Nov 2-Dec 7

HOBBIES, CRAFTS & GAMES

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

CROSS X CHATTER DROP-IN

Bring you cross stitch or embroidery project down to the library to sit with a group of like-minded crafters.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Sep 15-Dec 15	10:30-11:30am

KNITTING AND NATTERING DROP-IN

Join our knitting circle! All levels of experience welcome.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Sep 13-Dec 13	10:30-11:30am

INTRO TO GENEALOGY RESEARCH REGISTERED

New to genealogy research and don't know where to start? In this short class you will learn the basics of genealogy research and how to organize your family history.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Section One: Sep 13-Oct 4 Section Two: Nov 1-22	2:00-3:00pm

GENEALOGY DISCUSSION GROUP DROP-IN

This group is an informal research group to bounce research ideas and problem solve dead ends with fellow genealogy researchers.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Sep 22, Oct 27, Nov 24	10:30-11:30am

CRIBBAGE ROUND ROBIN DROP-IN

Got what it takes to skunk everyone at cribbage? Come join our weekly round-robin tournaments for fun and socializing.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Sept 15-Dec 15	2:00-4:00pm



SPECIAL INTEREST

TRUE CRIME JUNKIES REGISTERED

If this program peaked your interest long enough to make you pause your Netflix documentary on serial killers, then this discussion group might be for you! Every month we will talk about a different set of murders, what went wrong in the investigations, and thoughts on the questions that still linger today.

Disclaimer: Due to the content, this class will be 16+ and will contain trigger warnings, but will endeavour to deal with the material in an entertaining and informative way while still maintaining respect for the victims.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Mon	Sep 27, Oct 25, Nov 22	5:00-6:00pm

RUN YOUR RENO LIKE A BOSS: THE DOS AND DON'TS OF A SUCCESSFUL HOME REMODEL REGISTERED

Join Michelle Fleischhacker of Room Service Interiors as she walks us through the tips that every homeowner should know before embarking on a home renovation. There will be refreshments and time for questions during this interesting and informative afternoon

DAY	DATES	TIME
Sat	Sept 25	2:00-3:00pm

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	Sep 14-Oct 5	9:15-10:15am
Tues	Oct 19-Nov 9	9:15-10:15am
Tues	Nov 16-Dec 7	9:15-10:15am

BASIC PHONE/TABLET 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	Oct 22-Nov 12	1:30-2:30pm

BASIC PHONE/TABLET 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	Sept 17-Oct 8	1:30-2:30pm



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We have lots of exciting things planned for the festive period, including:

Card making
Christmas crafts
Storytime with Mrs Claus
Christmas/holiday traditions writing contest
Christmas woodcraft
workshop

Dickens book club

and more....

PERSONAL GROWTH / LIFE SKILLS

TAROT FOR SELF-REFLECTION REGISTERED

New to tarot and want to learn about the card meanings? We will be discussing how to read the cards intuitively and how to use tarot to facilitate self-reflection.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Sep 16-Dec 2 (no class Nov 11)	1:00-2:00pm

TAROT DISCUSSION DROP-IN

This drop-in conversation group is for those that have experience using tarot and want to discuss interpretations, spreads, and general tarot lore.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Sep 20, Oct 19, Nov 16, Dec 21	1:00-2:00pm
Thu	Oct 7, Nov 4, Dec 2	11:00am-12:00pm





REFLECTIVE JOURNALING REGISTERED

In this program we will be guided by writing prompts as well as how-to for doodling, art journaling, and much more.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Sep 21-Dec14	2:00-3:00pm

FICTION & MEMOIR WRITING REGISTERED

Have you always had the urge to write that novel or memoir, but you seem to get stuck before you even start? This three month class will go over how to prevent roadblocks by finishing an outline and enabling all participants to complete a rough draft of their story by the end of the session. Half of each class time will be spent addressing questions and sharing tips and the other half will be spent writing. Come and be encouraged by fellow writers and finally see the story you have within!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Wed	Sept 15-Dec 15	5:00-6:00pm

7.

ARTS & LITERATURE

BOOK CLUB REGISTERED

Join the library's monthly book club for a librarian-selected and lead book discussion.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Sep 17, Oct 15, Nov 19, Dec 17	10:30-11:30am

BOOK CLUB FOR READERS WHO LOVE YA FICTION REGISTERED

This is the book club for those of us who love the in-depth characters and exciting plots that distinguish the young adult novels of the new millennium. We will be selecting a new novel each month to read and discuss. Suggestions for the following months are welcome after we meet for the first time.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Sept 16, Oct 28, Nov 25	5:00-6:00pm

MUSIC AND CONVERSATION REGISTERED

Join our monthly discussion group as we discuss well crafted music and the artists behind the microphone.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Fri	Sep 24, Oct 22, Nov 26, Dec TBD	10:30-11:30am

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.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2, Dec 7	6:45-8:00pm

ARTS & LITERATURE

MEET THE AUTHOR—SARAH SALTER KELLY REGISTERED

Come meet author of the work *Trauma as Medicine*, a DIY book for healing trauma and transforming your life. Sarah Salter Kelly will be giving an inspiring talk and will be signing books so register early to save your spot for this amazing, intimate evening!

DAY	DATES	TIME
Tue	Sep 14	6:30-8:00pm

ALBERTA CULTURE DAYS-COCHRANE CREATES DROP-IN

Come celebrate Alberta Culture Days with the Cochrane Public Library! Come by and sign out our high-end sketchbooks and art materials to help us create a visual archive of life in Cochrane! Draw, sketch, watercolour your experiences of being a Cochranite then bring back the book for another artist to take out to continue archiving our beautiful legacy.

DAY	DATES	TIME
Thu	Sep 30	10:00am-8:00pm

A CHRISTMAS CAROL WITH ELAINE PHILLIPS REGISTERED

Come in from the cold and curl up by our fireplace as we read the classic tale as it was originally published. Stave by stave we will explore and discuss the man himself: Charles Dickens. We'll provide the books and some yummy refreshments, but you're welcome to bring your own!

	DAY	DATES	TIME
	Thu	Nov 18-Dec 16	6:30-8:00pm



BOOK CLUB IN A BAG

Did you join or start a virtual book club in the last year? Do you find it hard for all members of your club to get a copy of the same book?

WE CAN HELP!

The library has over a dozen book-club-in-a-bag titles for patrons to borrow. Each bag contains 8 copies of the same title and can be borrowed for 6 weeks.

Find out more at: www.cochranepubliclibrary.ca

