

# On the Horizon

Programs & Events at CBPL

SPRING 2025



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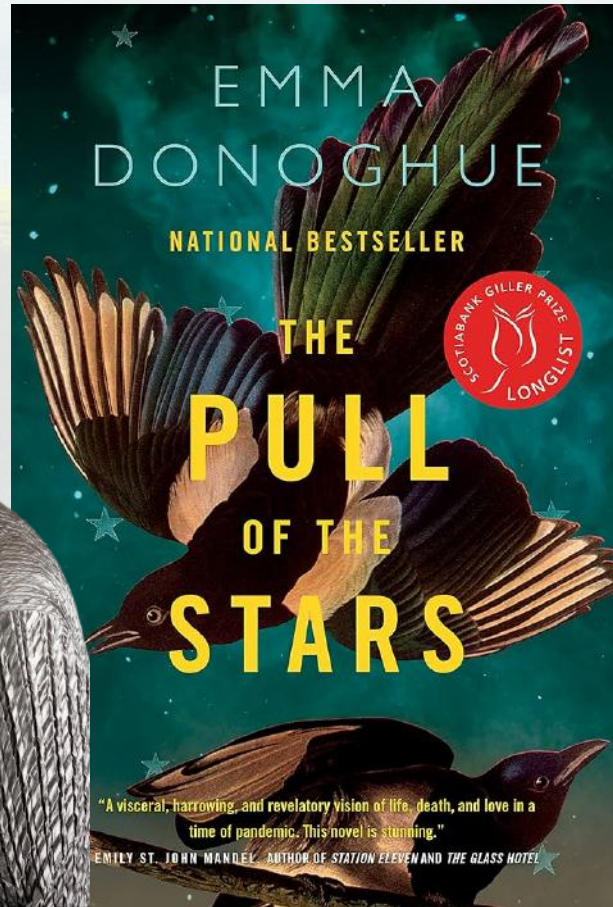
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# THE PULL OF THE STARS

BY EMMA DONOGHUE



**SUNDAY, APRIL 6TH, 2025 | 2 PM**

#forParis Centre | 164 Grand River St N, Paris, ON N3L 1N4

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# STEEPED BETWEEN THE STACKS

**A sophisticated afternoon tea party experience.**




**Saturday, June 7, 2025**  
**Burford Branch | 1:00 - 3:00 PM**  
**\$10**


# Explore the Excitement


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# Early Literacy (0-6yrs)


## BURFORD BRANCH



Family Storytime 	Fridays, 10:30 AM April 4 to May 23	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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## ONONDAGA MOBILE LIBRARY


Spring Activities 	Thursdays, 4:30 - 6:30 PM April 10 & May 8	All Ages
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## PARIS BRANCH


Read! Sing! Play! 	Tuesdays, 10:30 - 11:30 AM April 1 to May 20	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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Family Storytime 	Wednesdays, 11:00 AM April 2 to May 21	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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Let's Get Ready for Kindergarten 	Thursdays, 10:30 - 11:30 AM April 3 to May 22	Ages 3-5 yrs
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Music & Movement  	Fridays, 10:30 AM April 4 to May 23	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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Saturday Storytime 	Saturdays, 10:30 - 11:30 AM April 5 to May 24	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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## SCOTLAND-OAKLAND BRANCH

Family Storytime 	Wednesdays, 10:30 AM April 2 to May 21	Ages 0-6 yrs with a caregiver
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Make & Play 	Saturdays, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM April 5 to May 24	All Ages
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 Drop In    Registration Required    Paid Program

 Registration will be available two weeks prior to the start of the program.

# Early Literacy (0-6yrs)

## ST. GEORGE BRANCH

Let's Get Ready  
for Kindergarten **R**

Tuesdays, 10:30 - 11:30 AM  
April 1 to May 20

Ages 3-5 yrs

Parachute Program **D**



Fridays, 1:00 - 2:30 PM  
April 4 to May 30

0-12 months with a  
caregiver



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**Let's Read 2025**  
Special Guest: Lana Button, Author  
Details coming soon

**D** Drop In    **R** Registration Required

# Kids, Tweens & Teens

## PARIS BRANCH

<b>Micro:bit Coding Games</b> <span style="color: red;">R</span>	Tuesday, April 29, 6:30 - 7:30 PM	Ages 7-11
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## SCOTLAND-OAKLAND BRANCH

<b>Game Zone</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Thursdays, 3:00 - 4:30 PM April 3 to May 15 *Excludes May 1	Ages 8+
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<b>3D Sketch and Create</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Thursdays; May 1, May 22, June 26 3:00 - 4:30 PM	Ages 8+
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## ST. GEORGE BRANCH

<b>The Many Faces of Link: A Dungeons and Dragons Adventure</b> <span style="color: red;">R</span>	Wednesdays, 3:30 - 5:00 PM April 2 to May 21	Ages 10+
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<b>Teen Board Game Café</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Thursdays, 6:00 - 8:00 PM (Ongoing)	Ages 10+
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<b>Magic: The Gathering</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Saturdays, 12:00 - 2:00 PM April 5 to May 24	Ages 10+
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## ALL LOCATIONS

<b>PA Day Spring Make &amp; Take</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Friday, April 11	All Ages
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<b>Tween and Teen Take Home Craft Kits</b> <span style="color: red;">R</span>	Monday, April 14: Cross Stitch Bookmark Monday, May 12: Pressed Flower Lantern	Ages 10+
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# Micro:bit Coding Games



**A collaborative coding experience | Ages 7-11  
Paris Branch | Tuesday, April 29 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM**

# Adults (18+)

## BURFORD BRANCH

Brant Writes <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	1st & 3rd Thursday, monthly 2:00 – 3:30 PM
Wellness Drop-In with SAC Brant <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	First Thursday, monthly 2:00 – 5:00 PM
Burford Book Club <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Last Thursday, monthly 6:30 – 7:30 PM
History Club <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Second Thursday, monthly 2:00 – 4:00 PM
MakerWorkshop Cricut Hat Press: Demo & Design <span style="color: purple;">R</span> <span style="color: green;">\$</span>	Tuesday, April 1, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
DIY Keepsake Memory Box <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Wednesday, April 9, 6:30 – 8:00 PM
Lifting for Everyone: Weight Training at Any Age <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Wednesday, April 23, 6:30 – 8:00 PM
MakerWorkshop: 3D Gnomes for your Homes <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Thursday, April 24, 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM
MakerWorkshop: BBQ Apron Embroidery Demo <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Tuesday, May 13, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
MakerHours: Infusible Ink Mug <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Wednesday, May 13, 5:00 – 8:00 PM
Tech Coach <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Thursday, May 15, 2:30 – 4:30 PM
Gold Leaf Art: Feather <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Wednesday, May 21, 6:30 – 8:00PM
MakerWorkshop: MakerShowcase <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Tuesday, June 10, 1:00 – 7:00 PM
VR for Adults: Digitally Savvy <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Wednesday, June 18, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
Pop-Up Hearing Clinic <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Thursday, June 19, 1:00 – 4:00 PM

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# Adults (18+)

PARIS BRANCH	
Fiction Writing Club <span>D</span>	1st & 3rd Monday, monthly 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Conversation Circle <span>D</span>	Tuesdays, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Slow Stitching <span>D</span>	Tuesdays, 2:00 - 4:00 PM
Paris Walk & Talk Book Club <span>R</span>	Last Tuesday, monthly 2:00 - 3:30 PM
Casual Knit & Chat <span>D</span>	Wednesdays, 6:30 - 8:00 PM
Mahjong <span>D</span>	Thursdays, 1:30 - 4:00 PM
Français à Paris <span>D</span>	1st Saturday, monthly 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Wellness Drop-In with SAC Brant <span>D</span>	4th Thursday, monthly 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Why Travel? Why Cruise? Travelling After 55 with Expedia Travel <span>R</span>	Wednesday, April 2, 6:30 - 8:00 PM
Pop-Up Hearing Clinic <span>R</span>	Tuesday, April 15, 1:00 - 4:00 PM
MakerHours: 3D Printing <span>D</span>	Wednesday, April 16, 1:00 - 5:00 PM
Fit for Life: Personalized Fitness Planning <span>R</span>	Wednesday, April 16, 6:30 - 8:00 PM
Brain Fit Information Session with the Alzheimer Society of Brant <span>R</span>	Tuesday, April 22, 10:30 - 11:30 AM
MakerHours: Digital Embroidery <span>D</span>	Wednesday, April 23, 1:00 - 5:00 PM
MakerHours: Infusible Ink Mugs <span>D</span>	Tuesday, April 29, 5:00 - 8:00 PM
Tech Coach <span>R</span>	Tuesday, April 29, 5:30 - 7:30 PM
MakerHours: Infusible Ink Mugs <span>D</span>	Wednesday, April 30, 1:00 - 5:00 PM
MakerWorkshop: Introduction to AI, Tools & Trends <span>R</span>	Saturday, May 10, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
MakerHours: Large Format Printing <span>D</span>	Wednesday, May 14, 1:00 - 5:00 PM
Death Café <span>R</span>	Tuesdays, May 20 & June 17, 2:00 - 4:00 PM
MakerHours: 3D Pens <span>D</span>	Wednesday, May 21, 1:00 - 5:00 PM
Tech Coach <span>R</span>	Tuesday, May 27, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

# Adults (18+)

## PARIS BRANCH

<b>MakerHours: 3D Printing</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Wednesday, May 28, 1:00 – 5:00 PM
<b>MakerHours: T-Shirt Press</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Tuesday, June 3, 5:00 – 8:00 PM
<b>MakerHours: T-Shirt Press</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Wednesday, June 4, 1:00 – 5:00 PM
<b>Indigenous Poetry Event</b> <span style="color: pink;">R</span>	Wednesday, June 4, 6:30 – 8:00 PM
<b>MakerHours: Cricut Fun</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Tuesday, June 11, 1:00 – 5:00 PM
<b>MakerWorkshop: Introduction to Tinkercad</b> <span style="color: pink;">R</span>	Saturday, June 14, 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM
<b>MakerWorkshop: REEL Film Festival – Create &amp; Screen Your Instagram Reels</b> <span style="color: pink;">R</span>	Tuesday, June 17, 6:30 – 8:00 PM (Part 1) Tuesday, June 24, 6:30 – 8:00 PM (Part 2)
<b>MakerHours: Large Format Printing</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Wednesday, June 18, 1:00 – 5:00 PM
<b>MakerHours: Infusible Ink Mugs</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Wednesday, June 25, 1:00 – 5:00 PM

## SCOTLAND-OAKLAND BRANCH

<b>Tuesday Night Knitters</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM
<b>Crafternoons!</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	1st Thursday, monthly 2:00 – 4:00 PM
<b>Wellness Drop-In with SAC Brant</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	2nd Thursday, monthly 3:00 – 6:00 PM
<b>Folded Book Craft: Flower Vase</b> <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Tuesday, April 8, 1:30 – 3:30 PM
<b>VR for Adults: Digitally Savvy</b> <span style="color: pink;">R</span>	Wednesday, April 16, 2:00 – 3:30PM
<b>MakerWorkshop: Intro to 3D Printing</b> <span style="color: pink;">R</span>	Tuesday, April 22, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
<b>MakerHours: Spring Stickers</b> <span style="color: blue;">D</span>	Tuesday, April 22, 5:00 – 8:00 PM
<b>Threaded String Placemat</b> <span style="color: purple;">R</span>	Wednesday, May 14, 6:30 – 8:00PM

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# Adults (18+)




## SCOTLAND-OAKLAND BRANCH

MakerWorkshop: MakerShowcase 	Tuesday, May 27, 1:00 – 7:00 PM
DIY Coasters 	Thursday, June 12, 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM
Pollinate and Plant 	Thursday, June 19, 2:00 – 3:00 PM
Beach Themed Resin Bookmarks 	Tuesday, June 24, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

## ST. GEORGE BRANCH



Iced Tea and Mystery Book Club 	Last Wednesday, monthly 6:30 – 8:00 PM
Wellness Drop-In with SAC Brant 	3rd Thursday, monthly 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
MakerWorkshop Cricut Hat Press: Demo & Design  	Tuesday, April 15, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
MakerHours: Spring Stickers 	Tuesday, April 15, 5:00 – 8:00 PM
Macramé for Beginners 	Wednesday, May 7, 6:30 – 8:00PM
Pop-Up Hearing Clinic 	Thursday, May 15, 1:00 – 4:00 PM
MakerWorkshop: Infusible Ink T-Shirts  	Tuesday, May 20, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
MakerHours: 3D Pens 	Tuesday, May 20, 5:00 – 8:00 PM
DIY Tic-Tac-Toe Game 	Thursday, May 29, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
Circular Floral Arrangement 	Tuesday, June 3, 1:30 – 3:30 PM
Tech Coach 	Thursday, June 12, 5:30 – 7:30 PM

## ONONDAGA MOBILE LIBRARY

MakerHours: Spring Stickers 	Thursday, April 17, 4:00 – 7:00 PM
MakerHours: Infusible Ink Coasters 	Thursday, May 15, 4:00 – 7:00 PM
MakerHours: 3D Printing 	Thursday, June 19, 4:00 – 7:00 PM

# Offsite & Outreach

## OFF-SITE LOCATIONS

<p><b>Pride Event:</b>  <b>Bake Your Own Rainbow Roll Cake</b> </p>	<p>Online via Zoom</p>	<p>Wednesday, June 11,            7:00 – 8:00 PM</p> 
<p><b>Small-batch Crock Pot Cooking</b></p>	<p>Location to be announced</p>	<p>Wednesday, June 18, 10:30 AM            – 12:00 PM</p>

## COME VISIT US AT:

<p><b>Maple Syrup Festival</b></p>	<p>Paris Fairgrounds (139 Silver St,            Paris, ON N3L 1V5)</p>	<p>Saturday, April 12, 8:00 AM –            3:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Meet us at Wincey Mills</b></p>	<p>Wincey Mills ( 31 Mechanic St,            Paris, ON N3L 1K1)</p>	<p>Friday, April 25, May 30 &amp; June            27, 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Community Tree Planting &amp;            StoryWalk Ribbon Cutting</b></p>	<p>Mount Pleasant Nature Park            (755 Mt Pleasant Rd, Mount            Pleasant, ON N0E 1K0)</p>	<p>Saturday, April 26, 9:00 AM –            1:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Kiwanis Teddy Bear Picnic</b></p>	<p>Burford Fairgrounds (6 Park            Ave, Burford, ON N0E 1A0)</p>	<p>Sunday, June 8, 2025, time to            be announced</p>
<p><b>Riverside Reading Festival</b></p>	<p>Location to be announced</p>	<p>Saturday, June 28, time to be            announced</p>
<p><b>St. George Car Show</b></p>	<p>Main Street, St. George</p>	<p>Sunday, June 22, 8:00 AM –            5:00 PM</p>








## Pride Month: Bake Your Own Rainbow Roll Cake

Online | Wednesday, June 11 | 7:00 – 8:00 PM



# Special Events

Program Name	Location	Date & Time
One Book One Brant: Emma Donoghue 	#forParis Centre (164 Grand River St N, Paris, ON N3L 1N4)	Sunday, April 6, 2:00 – 4:00 PM
Spring Strings with The Guitar Society of Brantford 	Paris Branch	Friday, May 9, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Steeped Between the Stacks Tea Party  	Burford Branch	Saturday, June 7, 1:00 – 3:00 PM
Let's Read: Lana Button 	Details to be announced	Saturday, June 28,




  
**Spring  
Strings**


WITH THE GUITAR SOCIETY OF BRANTFORD  
 PARIS BRANCH | FRIDAY, MAY 9 | 7:00 PM TO 9:00 PM



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### St. George Branch

78 Main Street North, St. George  
519-448-1300

## SPRING CLOSURES

- Friday, April 18, 2025
- Sunday, April 20, 2025
- Sunday, May 18, 2025
- Monday, May 19, 2025

