# Sunday, December 1, 2024

#### CARDS AND GAMES FOR THE FAMILY DROP-IN (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Sunday, December 1 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33064

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us at the Library for a chance to play with other enthusiasts! Whether you're into cards or board games, it's the perfect opportunity to hang out, play, and make new friends. Rediscover old favourites or learn new games in a welcoming and fun-filled environment. Come roll the dice, shuffle cards, and share the joy of gaming with us! Gamers 12 and younger must be accompanied by a caregiver.

#### **SUNDAY MOVIES (ALL AGE)**

Date and Time: Sunday, December 1 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Drop-in
Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32976

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a movie matinee. Bring your own snack. Relax and enjoy a cinematic experience. Drop in. Free. Sund ay, October 6Sunday, November 3Sunday, December 1

# Monday, December 2, 2024

## **TECH HELP DROP-IN (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: MakerspaceArea

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33061

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Need tech help? Get answers to your questions about apps, computers, mobile phones, or any other tech. Dropin and talk tech with a library staff member. More in-depth questions may be referred for an appointment.

#### CHESS (AGE 6+)

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room a

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 6 - 12 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32940

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Enjoy an hour of engaging chess gameplay! Face opponents with diverse skills, enhancing your game. Boards a nd pieces provided by the Library. Limited to 20 players. Drop in.No class on Mondays, October 14 or Decemb er 30.

#### IDEA LAB KIDS: CODING INTRO TO SCRATCH JR & TYNKER (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$150.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33923

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Scratch Jr. is an introductory programming language that enables young children to create their own interactive stories and games. In the first half of this course, children will snap together graphical programming blocks to make characters move, jump, dance, sing, and more. Students will uncover the multiple functions of Scratch Jr. through various activities. In the second half of this course, students will explore Tynker. Tynker is an education al programming platform aimed at teaching kids how to make games and programs using block-based coding.N o class on October 14, 2024

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: INTRO TO COMPUTER SCIENCE (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33917

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join our engaging afterschool workshop to dive into the basics of programming using Python. This program will introduce students to essential coding concepts, including Basic Syntax, Arguments, Strings, While Loops, Variables, and Algorithms. Ideal for beginners, this workshop offers a fun and interactive approach to develop basic programming skills. No class Oct 14, 2024

# TEEN ADVISORY GROUP (AGE 13-19) DROP-IN

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: TeenLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 13 - 19 Type: Drop-in Category: Teens

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33043

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Teen Advisory Group (TAG) is a teen assembly that meets every month in-person at the Library to discuss and a dvise the Library on what services and materials they want offered for teens. Earn 1 volunteer hour. Participants must be able to attend for the entire meeting to earn their volunteer hour.

# Tuesday, December 3, 2024

## **TUESDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free Ages: AGE 2 - 6 Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33011

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Every Tuesday enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, flannels and puppets.

## CRICUT CREATIONS - INTERMEDIATE HEAT TRANSFER (AGE 16+)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33104

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Ready to dive into the world of heat transfer crafting with your Cricut machine? Join us as we explore transfers onto mugs and waterbottles using the cricut mug press. We'll provide all the necessary materials for your project and a mug blank. Feel free to bring your own blank.

#### **EARLYON TINY TOES (AGE 0-12 MONTHS)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: https://www.wsplibrary.ca/earlyon

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Research says infants should be physically active several times a day for optimal growth and development. This program invites parents, caregivers and babies to engage in fun and interactive music and movement experience s to enhance and support adult-baby connection, physical literacy and early learning. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

## **JOLLY PHONICS (AGE 5-6)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: \$70.00 Ages: AGE 5 - 6 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33124

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Your child will learn to form letters correctly, learn the sounds of the letters and learn to read using the Jolly Ph onics method.

## LIBRARY SCAVENGER HUNT (AGE 3+)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 3 - 12 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33168

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Can you find all the objects and images hidden around the library? Join us for a scavenger hunt and win prizes f or participating!Free, drop in.

#### IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33921

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come and make a new best friend in this robot-filled class using LEGO WeDo kits. Learn about sequencing and coding, algorithms, and logical operations by building and programming a rover that replicates cars while making driving safer, to building robotic creatures that move. Get your hands ready to start building!

## IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS MAKING SMARTER BOTS (AGE 8-13)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33918

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

In this program, students will learn to construct a series of smart bots using the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 platfor m including a gripper for some heavy-duty lifting, a self-balancing robot, a color sorting robot, and a robot arm gripper.

# Wednesday, December 4, 2024

## **ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLE (AGE 16+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Children's Program Room A

Price: Free Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33053

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

English Conversation Circle provide a safe, encouraging environment for people learning to improve their Engl ish skills. Circles will be held in-person at the library. These classes are led by volunteers and/or library staff, no t accredited teachers. Come join the fun!

#### **DANCE BABY (AGE 2-4)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: \$15.00 Ages: AGE 2 - 4 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33141

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join the fun in a lively program with your child. Enjoy stretches and dances, accompanied by timeless and conte mporary tunes. It's a musical bonding experience.

## **ART JAMS: CHIBIS (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: \$5.00 Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33164

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Let's draw and collaborate together! Learn to draw step-by-step, meet other artists, and let your creativity run wild. Beginner artists are welcome. December 4th theme: Chibis

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: SPARKS JR CODING ADVENTURE (AGE 4-7)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33924

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Embark on a coding adventure tailored for young learners. This program introduces young minds to Python for the first time, offering a smooth and dynamic progression through essential programming concepts. Key topics include Basic Syntax, Strings, For Loops, Conditional If Statements, Variables, etc. Designed to ignite curiosity and foster an early love for coding, the program builds a solid foundation for future learning in a fun and engaging way.

#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: GAME DESIGN USING PYTHON (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33919

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Unlock your creativity and explore the world of game development using Python. In this workshop, students will learn how to design and build their own games. Some of the concepts covered include Syntax, Place Game O bjects, Construct Mazes, etc. Join us and turn your game ideas into reality!

# **INKLINGS: ADULT WRITERS' GROUP (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 4 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Members are from unique and varied walks of life, all sharing a fondness for the written word - be it poetry or p rose. Each session promises and prompts something new.

# Thursday, December 5, 2024

## **ZUMBINI FOR BABIES (BIRTH - 12 MONTH)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33007

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Zumbini not only provides a wonderful workout for parents, but it also provides an opportunity for infants to e xperience the sounds and the rhythm of the music and movements. Zumbini also encourages parent-infant bondi ng while helping to develop cognitive abilities, motor and social skills, language and emotional well-being. Visi t wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

#### **BOYS' BOOK CLUB (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33009

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Each month, explore a new book from our children's book club kits. Answer questions about the book for a chance to win a monthly prize for the most correct answers. Free. Pre-registration and commitment required.

## **DOODLE JAMS (AGE 6-9) POKEMON**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: \$5.00 Ages: AGE 6 - 9 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33161

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Let's draw together step-by-step! Beginner artists are welcome. December 5th Theme: Pokemon

## IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33922

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come and make a new best friend in this robot-filled class using LEGO WeDo kits. Learn about sequencing and coding, algorithms, and logical operations by building and programming a rover that replicates cars while making driving safer, to building robotic creatures that move. Get your hands ready to start building!

#### STRING THERAPY: FIBER ARTS DROP-IN (AGE 18+)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: FireplaceLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33076

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Discover the soothing world of crafting with the String Therapy group at the library. Whether you're a novice or a seasoned hand, bring your knitting, crochet, needlepoint, or fiber art project and engage in a creative and supp ortive environment. Join fellow crafters to learn, chat, and exchange skills. Everyone's welcome, from learners seeking guidance to experienced enthusiasts ready to share their expertise. Let's stitch, chat, and nurture our lov e for fiber arts together!

## IDEA LAB KIDS: WEB DEV USING HTML AND CSS (AGE 8-13)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33920

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Get started with web development in our introductory Web Development workshop! This workshop will teach s tudents the fundamentals of HTML and CSS, giving them the skills to create and customize your own web page s.

## **CANVA DESIGNS: BEGINNER HOLIDAY CARDS (AGE 16+)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33102

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Are you looking for a unique way to show how much you care this holiday season? Canva can help you express your feelings with a one-of-a-kind custom design. In this class you see the options available and take the time t o design your first card.

#### PJ STORYTIME (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 5 7:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33138

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for an evening storytime filled with books, rhymes, songs, and puppetry. Wear your PJs, bring a stuffed f riend, and enjoy quality family time before bedtime. Stick around for free colouring pages afterward!.

# Friday, December 6, 2024

## FREE PLAY (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Friday, December 6 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 4 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33140

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Free Play offers a relaxed, drop-in setting with free activities for kids. It's a great opportunity to meet other pare nts and find playmates for your children. Drop in.

## **3D DESIGN CHALLENGE (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Friday, December 6 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33085

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Children who have finished Learn to 3D Print can explore advanced 3D design in two weeks. In Week 1, we tac kle a challenge and build prototypes. In Week 2, we refine these prototypes into our final designs. Prints ready f or pickup in one week, with fees covered.

#### LEGO (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Friday, December 6 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33131

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Drop by the Library for a free-for-all creation session. Unleash your creativity, build unique designs, and spark your imagination using our extensive LEGO collection.

# Saturday, December 7, 2024

## **SATURDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 7 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGES 2+ Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32979

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Experience picture books and have fun with songs, rhymes, and puppetry. Recommended for children aged 2+. No Storytime on October 26, December 14.

## **LEARN TO 3D PRINT (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 7 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33080

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Participants will explore and learn 3D design and printing, while using the TinkerCAD design software to creat e their own 3D object. Finished prints will be available for pickup one week after the course; print fees are included in the program cost.

### **STORYGAMI (AGE 4-6)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 7 11:00 am - 11:15 am

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 4 - 6 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33147

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a magical session of paper-folding and storytelling combined! Afterwards, all participants will get the opportunity to re-tell the story and fold the origami themselves. Materials provided.

# IMPROV STORYTIME (AGE 6-9)

Date and Time: Saturday, December 7 3:00 pm - 3:20 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 6 - 9 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33170

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Bring your imagination and ideas for Improve Storytime! Everyone will have the chance to contribute to our co llaborative story sentence-by-sentence. Free, drop-in

# Sunday, December 8, 2024

Date and Time: Sunday, December 8 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33064

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us at the Library for a chance to play with other enthusiasts! Whether you're into cards or board games, it's the perfect opportunity to hang out, play, and make new friends. Rediscover old favourites or learn new games in a welcoming and fun-filled environment. Come roll the dice, shuffle cards, and share the joy of gaming with us! Gamers 12 and younger must be accompanied by a caregiver.

#### **STEAM CRAFT (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Sunday, December 8 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: \$5.00

Ages: AGES 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33174

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a craft that includes Science, Technology,

# Monday, December 9, 2024

## **CHRISTMAS CRAFT (AGES 0-23 MONTH)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33151

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us to celebrate the season by making a craft that you will want to give as a gift or keep in your memory che st. Either way its free and drop in.Materials are limited.

## **SERVICE CANADA CLINICS (ALL AGE)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Registered
Category: Makerspace

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Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33056

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for the Service Canada Outreach Clinics at the Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library! This in-person e vent is your chance to access a range of services and information right in your community. Whether you have q uestions about government programs, benefits, or services, knowledgeable staff will be on hand to assist you. D on't miss this opportunity to get the support you need conveniently at the library. Register through the Library's Eventbrite, or call in for staff assistance! https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/whitchurch-stouffville-public-library-180 00685899

#### **Service Canada Outeach Clinics**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: Library - Makerspace

Price: Free Ages: AGE 16+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/whitchurch-stouffville-public-library-18000685899

Join us for the Service Canada Outreach Clinics at the Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library! This in-person e vent is your chance to access a range of services and information right in your community. Whether you have q uestions about government programs, benefits, or services, knowledgeable staff will be on hand to assist you. D on't miss this opportunity to get the support you need conveniently at the library. Register through the Library's Eventbrite, or call in for staff assistance!

## CHRISTMAS CRAFT (AGE 2-4)

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 11:15 am - 11:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGE 2 - 4 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33152

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us to celebrate the season by making a craft that you will want to give as a gift or keep in your memory che st. Either way its free and drop in.Materials are limited.

#### **TECH HELP DROP-IN (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: MakerspaceArea

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33061

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Need tech help? Get answers to your questions about apps, computers, mobile phones, or any other tech. Dropin and talk tech with a library staff member. More in-depth questions may be referred for an appointment.

#### CHESS (AGE 6+)

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room a

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 6 - 12 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32940

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Engineering, Arts, and Math components.

## IDEA LAB KIDS: CODING INTRO TO SCRATCH JR & TYNKER (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$150.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33923

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#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: INTRO TO COMPUTER SCIENCE (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33917

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join our engaging afterschool workshop to dive into the basics of programming using Python. This program will introduce students to essential coding concepts, including Basic Syntax, Arguments, Strings, While Loops, Variables, and Algorithms. Ideal for beginners, this workshop offers a fun and interactive approach to develop basic programming skills. No class Oct 14, 2024

#### **HOT TOPICS (AGE 13-19)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 9 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: TeenLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Teens

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33067

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

This dynamic teen discussion program offers an exciting platform to delve into the realms of books, movies, T V shows, and all kinds of content that dominate pop culture. From dissecting character arcs to unraveling plot t wists, participants dive deep into the content to uncover its merits and shortcomings. Come join us as we navig ate the ever-changing landscape of entertainment and discover what truly deserves the hype!

# Tuesday, December 10, 2024

## **TUESDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 2 - 6
Type: Drop-in
Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33011

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Every Tuesday enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, flannels and puppets.

#### FAMILY HISTORY: BEYOND THE BASICS (AGE 18+)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33106

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Building on the two previous courses, we will look at ways to transition into on site research and discuss the sk ills, resources, and commitment that genealogy requires.

#### **EARLYON TINY TOES (AGE 0-12 MONTHS)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: https://www.wsplibrary.ca/earlyon

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

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## **JOLLY PHONICS (AGE 5-6)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: \$70.00 Ages: AGE 5 - 6 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33124

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Your child will learn to form letters correctly, learn the sounds of the letters and learn to read using the Jolly Ph onics method.

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33921

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come and make a new best friend in this robot-filled class using LEGO WeDo kits. Learn about sequencing and coding, algorithms, and logical operations by building and programming a rover that replicates cars while making driving safer, to building robotic creatures that move. Get your hands ready to start building!

### **IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS MAKING SMARTER BOTS (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33918

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

In this program, students will learn to construct a series of smart bots using the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 platfor m including a gripper for some heavy-duty lifting, a self-balancing robot, a color sorting robot, and a robot arm gripper.

## **ADULT COOKBOOK CLUB (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 10 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33052

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Welcome to our cookbook club, where food lovers unite for delicious adventures in the kitchen! Whether you'r e a seasoned chef or just starting to explore the culinary world, our club is the perfect place to share recipes, tip s, and culinary inspiration. Join us as we whip up delectable dishes, swap cooking stories, and indulge in the joy of good food and great company.

## **ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLE (AGE 16+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 11 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Children's Program Room A

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33053

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

English Conversation Circle provide a safe, encouraging environment for people learning to improve their English skills. Circles will be held in-person at the library. These classes are led by volunteers and/or library staff, no t accredited teachers. Come join the fun!

## **DANCE BABY (AGE 2-4)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 11 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: \$15.00 Ages: AGE 2 - 4 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33141

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join the fun in a lively program with your child. Enjoy stretches and dances, accompanied by timeless and conte mporary tunes. It's a musical bonding experience.

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: SPARKS JR CODING ADVENTURE (AGE 4-7)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 11 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33924

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Embark on a coding adventure tailored for young learners. This program introduces young minds to Python for the first time, offering a smooth and dynamic progression through essential programming concepts. Key topics

include Basic Syntax, Strings, For Loops, Conditional If Statements, Variables, etc. Designed to ignite curiosity and foster an early love for coding, the program builds a solid foundation for future learning in a fun and engaging way.

#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: GAME DESIGN USING PYTHON (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 11 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33919

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Unlock your creativity and explore the world of game development using Python. In this workshop, students will learn how to design and build their own games. Some of the concepts covered include Syntax, Place Game Objects, Construct Mazes, etc. Join us and turn your game ideas into reality!

#### CRICUT CREATIONS: ADVANCED HOLIDAY CARDS (AGE 16+)

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 11 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33101

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Are you looking for a unique way to show how much you care this holiday season? Cricut can help you express your feelings with a one-of-a-kind custom design. In this class you see the options available and it will help you design either one 5x8 or two 4x5 cards. The materials will be provided to make your first card.

## Thursday, December 12, 2024

## **ZUMBINI FOR BABIES (BIRTH - 12 MONTH)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: All Ages Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33007

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Zumbini not only provides a wonderful workout for parents, but it also provides an opportunity for infants to e xperience the sounds and the rhythm of the music and movements. Zumbini also encourages parent-infant bondi ng while helping to develop cognitive abilities, motor and social skills, language and emotional well-being. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

#### IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33922

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come and make a new best friend in this robot-filled class using LEGO WeDo kits. Learn about sequencing and coding, algorithms, and logical operations by building and programming a rover that replicates cars while making driving safer, to building robotic creatures that move. Get your hands ready to start building!

#### STRING THERAPY: FIBER ARTS DROP-IN (AGE 18+)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: FireplaceLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33076

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Discover the soothing world of crafting with the String Therapy group at the library. Whether you're a novice or a seasoned hand, bring your knitting, crochet, needlepoint, or fiber art project and engage in a creative and supp ortive environment. Join fellow crafters to learn, chat, and exchange skills. Everyone's welcome, from learners seeking guidance to experienced enthusiasts ready to share their expertise. Let's stitch, chat, and nurture our lov e for fiber arts together!

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: WEB DEV USING HTML AND CSS (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33920

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Get started with web development in our introductory Web Development workshop! This workshop will teach s tudents the fundamentals of HTML and CSS, giving them the skills to create and customize your own web page s.

### CRICUT CREATIONS: HOLIDAY CARDS (AGE 16+)- REGISTER

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33100

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Are you looking for a unique way to show how much you care this holiday season? Cricut can help you express your feelings with a one-of-a-kind custom design. In this class you see the options available and it will help you design either one 5x8 or two 4x5 cards. The materials will be provided to make your first card.

#### PJ STORYTIME (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 12 7:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33138

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for an evening storytime filled with books, rhymes, songs, and puppetry. Wear your PJs, bring a stuffed f riend, and enjoy quality family time before bedtime. Stick around for free colouring pages afterward!.

# Friday, December 13, 2024

# FREE PLAY (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Friday, December 13 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 4 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33140

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Free Play offers a relaxed, drop-in setting with free activities for kids. It's a great opportunity to meet other pare nts and find playmates for your children. Drop in.

# Saturday, December 14, 2024

#### **SATURDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 14 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGES 2+ Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32979

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Experience picture books and have fun with songs, rhymes, and puppetry. Recommended for children aged 2+. No Storytime on October 26, December 14.

#### **HOLIDAY COOKING WITH SANTA (AGE 2-6)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 14 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A/B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 2 - 6 Type: Registered Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33134

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Enjoy some simple, nutritious cooking and gift activities in a North Pole kitchen and then enjoy a visit with Sa nta!Registration for this program opens November 17, 2024. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

## **HOLIDAY COOKING WITH SANTA (AGE 2-6)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 14 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A/B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 2 - 6 Type: Registered Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33134

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Enjoy some simple, nutritious cooking and gift activities in a North Pole kitchen and then enjoy a visit with Sa nta!Registration for this program opens November 17, 2024. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

#### **SATURDAY BOOK CLUB (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 14 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Drop-in Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33051

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Not sure if book clubs are for you? Can?t make it every month? Try joining our Saturday Book Club where yo u can pick and choose the sessions based on the date or the book title! All are welcome to drop in for the discus sion, but the book club kit will only lend to those who are registered. Dec 14 - A Tale of Two Cities by Charles Dickens

# Sunday, December 15, 2024

# CARDS AND GAMES FOR THE FAMILY DROP-IN (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Sunday, December 15 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33064

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us at the Library for a chance to play with other enthusiasts! Whether you're into cards or board games, it's the perfect opportunity to hang out, play, and make new friends. Rediscover old favourites or learn new games in a welcoming and fun-filled environment. Come roll the dice, shuffle cards, and share the joy of gaming with us! Gamers 12 and younger must be accompanied by a caregiver.

# Monday, December 16, 2024

#### **TECH HELP DROP-IN (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: MakerspaceArea

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Drop-in
Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33061

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Need tech help? Get answers to your questions about apps, computers, mobile phones, or any other tech. Dropin and talk tech with a library staff member. More in-depth questions may be referred for an appointment.

#### **DROP-IN MOVIE & POPCORN (AGE 12+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: TeenLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 12 - 19 Type: Drop-in Category: Teens

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33111

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a movie and popcorn! Teen Advisory Group members will help decide the movies.DEC 16- A CHRI STMAS CAROL (2009)

## CHESS (AGE 6+)

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room a

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 6 - 12 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32940

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Enjoy an hour of engaging chess gameplay! Face opponents with diverse skills, enhancing your game. Boards a nd pieces provided by the Library. Limited to 20 players. Drop in.No class on Mondays, October 14 or Decemb er 30.

## IDEA LAB KIDS: CODING INTRO TO SCRATCH JR & TYNKER (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$150.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33923

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Scratch Jr. is an introductory programming language that enables young children to create their own interactive stories and games. In the first half of this course, children will snap together graphical programming blocks to make characters move, jump, dance, sing, and more. Students will uncover the multiple functions of Scratch Jr. through various activities. In the second half of this course, students will explore Tynker. Tynker is an education al programming platform aimed at teaching kids how to make games and programs using block-based coding.N o class on October 14, 2024

#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: INTRO TO COMPUTER SCIENCE (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33917

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join our engaging afterschool workshop to dive into the basics of programming using Python. This program will introduce students to essential coding concepts, including Basic Syntax, Arguments, Strings, While Loops, Variables, and Algorithms. Ideal for beginners, this workshop offers a fun and interactive approach to develop basic programming skills. No class Oct 14, 2024

## **COFFEE AND COLOURING DROP-IN (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 16 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Drop-in
Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33062

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Discover your artistic side and relax with a simple and enjoyable activity: coloring while sipping on a warm cup of coffee. Join us for an evening filled with creativity and calm, where you can meet and connect with others in a laid-back setting. We offer a variety of coloring pages and all the supplies you need. It doesn't matter if you're

an experienced artist or just starting out; everyone is welcome to join in the fun.

# Tuesday, December 17, 2024

## **TUESDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 17 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free Ages: AGE 2 - 6 Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33011

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Every Tuesday enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, flannels and puppets.

#### **EARLYON TINY TOES (AGES 0-12 MONTH)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 17 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: https://www.wsplibrary.ca/earlyon

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Research says infants should be physically active several times a day for optimal growth and development. This program invites parents, caregivers and babies to engage in fun and interactive music and movement experience s to enhance and support adult-baby connection, physical literacy and early learning. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

## **JOLLY PHONICS (AGE 5-6)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 17 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: \$70.00 Ages: AGE 5 - 6 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33124

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Your child will learn to form letters correctly, learn the sounds of the letters and learn to read using the Jolly Ph onics method.

### IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 17 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33921

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

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### IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS MAKING SMARTER BOTS (AGE 8-1 3)

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 17 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33918

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

In this program, students will learn to construct a series of smart bots using the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 platfor m including a gripper for some heavy-duty lifting, a self-balancing robot, a color sorting robot, and a robot arm gripper.

# Wednesday, December 18, 2024

## **ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLE (AGE 16+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Children's Program Room A

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33053

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

English Conversation Circle provide a safe, encouraging environment for people learning to improve their Engl ish skills. Circles will be held in-person at the library. These classes are led by volunteers and/or library staff, no t accredited teachers. Come join the fun!

#### **DANCE BABY (AGE 2-4)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: \$15.00 Ages: AGE 2 - 4 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33141

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join the fun in a lively program with your child. Enjoy stretches and dances, accompanied by timeless and conte mporary tunes. It's a musical bonding experience.

#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: SPARKS JR CODING ADVENTURE (AGE 4-7)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33924

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Embark on a coding adventure tailored for young learners. This program introduces young minds to Python for the first time, offering a smooth and dynamic progression through essential programming concepts. Key topics include Basic Syntax, Strings, For Loops, Conditional If Statements, Variables, etc. Designed to ignite curiosity and foster an early love for coding, the program builds a solid foundation for future learning in a fun and engaging way.

## **DROP-IN SEWING SOCIAL (AGE 16+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 16+ Type: Drop-in

Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33093

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Dive into a vibrant community where enthusiasts of all skill levels gather to share their passion for needlework and creativty. Connect with fellow sewing enthusists to exchange tips, tricks and tales of triumph. This program is geared towards folks of all skill levels, and all are welcome.

## **IDEA LAB KIDS: GAME DESIGN USING PYTHON (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33919

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Unlock your creativity and explore the world of game development using Python. In this workshop, students will learn how to design and build their own games. Some of the concepts covered include Syntax, Place Game Objects, Construct Mazes, etc. Join us and turn your game ideas into reality!

#### **INKLINGS: ADULT WRITERS' GROUP (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 18 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Members are from unique and varied walks of life, all sharing a fondness for the written word - be it poetry or p rose. Each session promises and prompts something new.

# Thursday, December 19, 2024

## **ZUMBINI FOR BABIES (BIRTH - 12 MONTH)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 1 Type: Registered Category: All Ages Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33007

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Zumbini not only provides a wonderful workout for parents, but it also provides an opportunity for infants to e xperience the sounds and the rhythm of the music and movements. Zumbini also encourages parent-infant bonding while helping to develop cognitive abilities, motor and social skills, language and emotional well-being. Visit wsplibrary.ca/earlyon to register.

#### **GIRLS' BOOK CLUB (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33010

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Each month, explore a new book from our children's book club kits. Answer questions about the book for a change to win a monthly prize for the most correct answers. Free but pre-registration and commitment is required.

## IDEA LAB KIDS: LEGO ROBOTS BUILDING DYNAMIC BOTS (AGE 4-7)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$180.00 Ages: AGE 4 - 7 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33922

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come and make a new best friend in this robot-filled class using LEGO WeDo kits. Learn about sequencing and coding, algorithms, and logical operations by building and programming a rover that replicates cars while making driving safer, to building robotic creatures that move. Get your hands ready to start building!

## **ADULT BOOK CLUB (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: Business Meeting Room 89

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33047

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join our book club for lively discussions and literary adventures! Whether you're an avid reader or just starting to explore the world of books, our club welcomes all enthusiasts. Each month, we select a captivating read to s park thought-provoking conversations and expand our horizons. Dec 19 - Romantic Comedy by Curtis Sittenfel d

#### STRING THERAPY: FIBER ARTS DROP-IN (AGE 18+)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: FireplaceLounge

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33076

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Discover the soothing world of crafting with the String Therapy group at the library. Whether you're a novice or a seasoned hand, bring your knitting, crochet, needlepoint, or fiber art project and engage in a creative and supp ortive environment. Join fellow crafters to learn, chat, and exchange skills. Everyone's welcome, from learners seeking guidance to experienced enthusiasts ready to share their expertise. Let's stitch, chat, and nurture our lov e for fiber arts together!

#### **IDEA LAB KIDS: WEB DEV USING HTML AND CSS (AGE 8-13)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$216.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 13 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33920

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Get started with web development in our introductory Web Development workshop! This workshop will teach s tudents the fundamentals of HTML and CSS, giving them the skills to create and customize your own web page s.

## PJ STORYTIME (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 7:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Children's Area

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33138

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for an evening storytime filled with books, rhymes, songs, and puppetry. Wear your PJs, bring a stuffed f riend, and enjoy quality family time before bedtime. Stick around for free colouring pages afterward!.

# Friday, December 20, 2024

### FREE PLAY (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Friday, December 20 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGE 0 - 4 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33140

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Free Play offers a relaxed, drop-in setting with free activities for kids. It's a great opportunity to meet other pare nts and find playmates for your children. Drop in.

## **CHRISTMAS CRAFT (AGE 7-12)**

Date and Time: Friday, December 20 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGE 7 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33128

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Create a fabulous Christmas Craft keepsake that you can give to a loved one or keep to use each Christmas for years to come.

## **3D DESIGN CHALLENGE (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Friday, December 20 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: \$10.00 Ages: AGE 9 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33085

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Children who have finished Learn to 3D Print can explore advanced 3D design in two weeks. In Week 1, we tac kle a challenge and build prototypes. In Week 2, we refine these prototypes into our final designs. Prints ready f or pickup in one week, with fees covered.

# Saturday, December 21, 2024

#### **SATURDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 21 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGES 2+ Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32979

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Experience picture books and have fun with songs, rhymes, and puppetry. Recommended for children aged 2+. No Storytime on October 26, December 14.

## **STORYGAMI (AGE 4-6)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 21 11:00 am - 11:15 am

Address: Children's Program Room B

Price: Free Ages: AGE 4 - 6 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33147

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a magical session of paper-folding and storytelling combined! Afterwards, all participants will get the opportunity to re-tell the story and fold the origami themselves. Materials provided.

# Sunday, December 22, 2024

## CARDS AND GAMES FOR THE FAMILY DROP-IN (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Sunday, December 22 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Drop-in
Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33064

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us at the Library for a chance to play with other enthusiasts! Whether you're into cards or board games, it's the perfect opportunity to hang out, play, and make new friends. Rediscover old favourites or learn new games in a welcoming and fun-filled environment. Come roll the dice, shuffle cards, and share the joy of gaming with us! Gamers 12 and younger must be accompanied by a caregiver.

#### **MOVIE TBD (ALL AGE)**

Date and Time: Sunday, December 22 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33150

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a free current movie in the children's program rooms. Bring your own snacks. Drop in.

# Monday, December 23, 2024

## **KWANZAA CRAFT (ALL AGE)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 23 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33148

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Learn about Kwanzaa and make a craft commemorating it. Free Drop in. Materials limited.

## **TECH HELP DROP-IN (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 23 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: MakerspaceArea

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33061

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Need tech help? Get answers to your questions about apps, computers, mobile phones, or any other tech. Dropin and talk tech with a library staff member. More in-depth questions may be referred for an appointment.

#### CHESS (AGE 6+)

Date and Time: Monday, December 23 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Children's program room a

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 6 - 12 Type: Drop-in Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32940

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Enjoy an hour of engaging chess gameplay! Face opponents with diverse skills, enhancing your game. Boards a nd pieces provided by the Library. Limited to 20 players. Drop in.No class on Mondays, October 14 or Decemb er 30.

## **MOVIE SCREENING (AGE 18+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 23 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$5.00 Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33060

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Experience cinematic delight at the Library's Movie Screening! Join us for weekday screenings of new releases and timeless favorites, complete with beverages and popcorn. Unwind in a tranquil setting, ideal for those seeking a serene alternative to bustling theaters. Titles are announced beforehand, offering a perfect opportunity to relish a quiet movie time. Indulge in the magic of the silver screen, embrace relaxation, and enjoy a shared cinema tic journey at the Library. DEC 23 - LITTLE WOMEN (1994)

# Wednesday, December 25, 2024

#### **CLOSED**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 25 9:00 am

Address: The Library

Price: Free Ages: All Ages Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

# Thursday, December 26, 2024

#### **CLOSED**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 26 9:00 am

Address: The Library

Price: Free Ages: All Ages Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

# Friday, December 27, 2024

# HANUKKAH CRAFT (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Friday, December 27 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES
Type: Drop-in
Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33149

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Come learn about Hanukkah and make a craft to celebrate the season. Free, drop in. Materials limited.

## STORY ON THE SCREEN (AGE 16+)

Date and Time: Friday, December 27 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free Ages: AGES 18+ Type: Registered Category: Adults

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33079

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Embark on a global storytelling adventure with us! Discover diverse narratives through captivating cinematogra phy and thought-provoking documentaries. Immerse yourself in these captivating tales that illuminate our interconnected world. DEC 27 - THE COLOUR OF INK (2022)

# Saturday, December 28, 2024

### **SATURDAY STORYTIME (AGE 2+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 28 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free Ages: AGES 2+ Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32979

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Experience picture books and have fun with songs, rhymes, and puppetry. Recommended for children aged 2+. No Storytime on October 26, December 14.

# **MAKERSPACE CELEBRATES - DROP-IN (AGE 13+)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 28 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Makerspace

Price: Free

Ages: AGES 13+ Type: Drop-in

Category: Makerspace

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33103

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a dynamic experience filled with hands-on activities and innovative projects designed to celebrate C ELEBRATIONS! From custom new years hats to flashy cards, our makerspace offers a variety of tools for all s orts of celebrations.

# **HOME ALONE COURSE (AGE 9-12)**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 28 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Children's program room A/B

Price: \$25.00 Ages: AGE 10 - 12 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33135

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

This program provides older children with the necessary skills and knowledge to be safe and responsible at hom e along for short periods of time. Participants will learn about hazards in the home, what to do in an emergency, safety rules, and more.

# Sunday, December 29, 2024

## CARDS AND GAMES FOR THE FAMILY DROP-IN (ALL AGE)

Date and Time: Sunday, December 29 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33064

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us at the Library for a chance to play with other enthusiasts! Whether you're into cards or board games, it's the perfect opportunity to hang out, play, and make new friends. Rediscover old favourites or learn new games in a welcoming and fun-filled environment. Come roll the dice, shuffle cards, and share the joy of gaming with us! Gamers 12 and younger must be accompanied by a caregiver.

# Monday, December 30, 2024

# **HOGWARTS SCHOOL (AGE 8-11)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 30 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$120.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 11 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33200

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

You've received your letter to Hogwarts and we're ready to welcome you! Join us for a week of everything Harr

y Potter. We'll sort you into your house, play games, make crafts, learn potions, drink some Butterbeer and taste other foods, learn charms and how to use your wand properly. Cost \$120No Program Wed Jan 1.

## **HOLIDAY MOVIE (ALL AGE)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 30 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

Address: Children's program room A

Price: Free

Ages: ALL AGES Type: Drop-in Category: All Ages

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/32978

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a movie matinee. Bring your own snack. Relax and enjoy a cinematic experience. Drop in, Free

## **DROP-IN MOVIE & POPCORN (AGE 12+)**

Date and Time: Monday, December 30 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 12 - 19 Type: Drop-in Category: Teens

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33112

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a movie and popcorn! Teen Advisory Group members will help decide the movies.DEC 30 -

# Tuesday, December 31, 2024

## **HOGWARTS SCHOOL (AGE 8-11)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 31 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: \$120.00 Ages: AGE 8 - 11 Type: Registered Category: Children

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity Search/33200

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

You've received your letter to Hogwarts and we're ready to welcome you! Join us for a week of everything Harr y Potter. We'll sort you into your house, play games, make crafts, learn potions, drink some Butterbeer and taste

other foods, learn charms and how to use your wand properly. Cost \$120No Program Wed Jan 1.

### **DROP-IN MOVIE & POPCORN (AGE 12+)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 31 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Adult Program Room

Price: Free

Ages: AGE 12 - 19 Type: Drop-in Category: Teens

Online Registration URL: http://ca.apm.activecommunities.com/townofws/Activity\_Search/33113

Email: explore@wsplibrary.ca

Join us for a movie and popcorn! Teen Advisory Group members will help decide the movies.DEC 31 -

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