

# Antigonish Library

# July 2017

## Regular Programs

### Knitting Circle for Adults

- **Wednesdays at 2 pm**

All are welcome to join us for an hour of knitting or crochet. Beginners are welcome, and knitting lessons and supplies will be provided.

### Nordic Walking Club

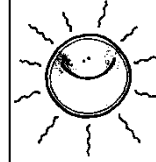
- **Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> from 10 – 11 am**

Nordic pole walking is an effective and efficient mode of exercise to improve overall fitness for all adults. Join us for some informal jaunts around Antigonish. Instruction is available; all ages and levels are welcome. Poles will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. Please register in advance by calling 902-863-4276.

### Open Mic

- **Friday July 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm**

All are welcome to share a song, story, poem, or joke, or just sit back and enjoy the show.



## Open Hours

Monday 9am-5pm  
Tuesday 9am-9pm  
Wednesday 9am-9pm  
Thursday 9am-9pm  
Friday 9am-9pm  
Saturday 9am-5pm

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*Please note: The library is closed for Canada Day July 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>.*

## PARL's Big Book Club!

## Special Programs

Read a book, share your thoughts, and enter to win some great prizes! From June 1<sup>st</sup> through to August 30<sup>th</sup>, let us know what you thought of the books you've read by leaving an anonymous mini-review on a post-it note to be displayed with your returned book. You will be entered into a draw for some amazing prizes, including an adult bike! For more information, or to participate, ask at the front desk of the library.

### Special Performance: Mi'kmaw Storyteller, Shalan Joudry

- **Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup> at 10 am**

Thanks to NS Provincial Library, FoAL, and community partners, we will be hosting Shalan Jourdry, Mi'kmaw Storyteller, hand-drum singer, and poet from the traditional district of Kespukwitk (southwest Nova Scotia.) She uses her theatrical background to bring Mi'kmaw legends to a new generation of listeners, as well as recounting personally-crafted stories that follow the Mi'kmaw storyweaving custom.

### Author Reading with Lesley Crewe

- **Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 2 pm**

All are welcome to join Nova Scotian author, a favourite of many book clubs, for a special reading sponsored by the Libraries 150 project: 150 Books of Influence, a booklist to commemorate NS's literary heritage, and a grant from the NS Dept. of Communities, Culture, & Heritage. Light refreshments will be served.

## Art On Display:

*Antigonish Culture Alive* presents their *20th Annual Gathering of the Arts* for the summer of 2017, a juried visual arts exhibition with work from local artists. This exhibit closes August 25<sup>th</sup>.

Stop by the library to see incredible artwork, and to pick up a brochure for more information about additional *GoArts venues* and events throughout Antigonish.

## Play Packs

Children learn through play. Did you know that you can borrow toys from the library for free, with your library card?

Each Play Pack contains a variety of toys for active play as well as books that support and encourage physical activity.

All library programs and sessions are free, although some regular library programs require registration. For more information, about programs & services, please call the library, (902) 863-4276 or visit online at [www.parl.ns.ca](http://www.parl.ns.ca).



# Summer Fun for Kids at The People's Place!



## Summer Reading Program

Kids are invited to visit the library to pick up their Library Challenge Logbook. Each time you complete a line of activities on the bingo card, you get entered to win prizes, including an amazing new bike! Those who register by July 7<sup>th</sup> will have their names entered in a special draw for a Museum Pass. Contact the library for more information.

### Monday

Family Storytime at 10 am (Drop in, ages 5 and under)  
Colour Your Heart Out (Drop in, all day, all ages)



### Tuesday

*\*(Ages 8+, please register for either morning or afternoon session)*

Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Coding for kids – Makey Makey, Little Bits & Osmos (Please register, Ages 8+)

Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Virtual Reality and Gaming (Please register, Ages 8+)

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Lego Robotics (Please register, Ages 8+)

Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Button Making (Please register, Ages 8+)

Every Tuesday: Family Board Games (Drop in, all day, all ages)

### Wednesday

Toddler Block Party at 10 am (Drop in, ages 3 and under)  
Block Play for all ages from noon till 8 pm  
Learn to Knit! At 3 pm (Beginners should register, Ages 8+)



### Thursday

Thursday, July 6<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm – Library Breakout (Please Register, Ages 9 – 12)

Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm – Make and Eat Summer Treats (Please Register, Ages 5+)

Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm – Art Attack (Please register, Ages 5+)

Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm – It's Game Time! (Please register, Ages 6+)

LEGO Challenge (Drop in, all day, all ages)

### Friday

ABCs for Babies at 10 am (Drop in, ages newborn – 18 months)

*\*(Ages 8+, register for either morning or afternoon session)*

\*Friday, July 7<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Coding for kids – Makey Makey, Little Bits & Osmos (Please register, Ages 8+)

\*Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Virtual Reality and Gaming (Please register, Ages 8+)

\*Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Lego Robotics (Please register, Ages 8+)

\*Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 am or 2 – 3 pm: Button Making (Please register, Ages 8+)



### Saturday

Minecraft from 1 – 2 pm (Please register, Ages 8+)