

LIBRARY LOCATIONS

CENTRAL

54 Church Street, L2R 7K2
905-688-6103, fax 905-688-6292

Tues. - Thurs. 10 am - 9 pm
Friday 10 am - 6 pm
Saturday 9 am - 5 pm

GRANTHAM

Scott and Vine Streets, L2M 3W4
905-934-7511

Tues. - Fri. 10 am - 8 pm
Saturday 9 am - 5 pm

MERRITT

149 Hartzel Road, L2P 1N6
905-682-3568

Tues. - Fri. 10 am - 8 pm
Saturday 9 am - 5 pm

PORT DALHOUSIE

23 Brock Street, L2N 5E1
905-646-0220

Tuesday 1 pm - 8 pm
Thursday 10 am - 12 noon
Saturday 1 pm - 8 pm
Saturday 11 am - 4 pm

In addition to Story Time programs, the St. Catharines Public Library offers a variety of programming for school-aged children throughout the year, including March Break and summer vacation. See the Library's newsletter, What's New @ St. Catharines Public Library, or the Library's Web site at www.stcatharines.library.on.ca for more information.

REGISTRATION:

1. **Children must meet the minimum age requirement at the start of the program.**
2. Register in person at any library location.
3. Programs may be cancelled if insufficient interest is shown.

Please register in advance.

2009 Story Time Programs at the St. Catharines Public Library



Story Time programs promote early literacy and encourage a love of reading.

The St. Catharines Public Library offers Story Time programs for children at no cost to parents and/or caregivers.

Please register in advance as programs may be filled or may be cancelled due to insufficient interest.

Preschool Story Time

(Ages 3-5)

Through stories, songs, fingerplays and rhymes, children gain literacy skills and learn how to listen and participate independently in a group setting.

- **CENTRAL, Story Hour Room**

- Wednesdays, 2:15 - 3:00 pm
- January 14 - March 4
- April 8 - June 10
- July 15 - August 12
- October 7 - December 9
(miss November 11)

- **GRANTHAM**

- Wednesdays, 10:15 - 11:00 am
- January 14 - March 4
- April 8 - June 10
- July 15 - August 12
- October 7 - December 9
(miss November 11)

- **MERRITT**

- Tuesdays, 2:15 - 3:00 pm
- January 13 - March 3
- April 7 - June 9
- July 14 - August 11
- October 6 - December 8

- **PORT DALHOUSIE**

- Tuesdays, 1:30 - 2:15 pm
- January 13 - March 3
- April 7 - June 9
- July 14 - August 11
- October 6 - December 8

Toddler Time

(24-40 months & caregiver)

Share stories, songs and fingerplays with your toddler.

- **CENTRAL, Story Hour Room**

- Fridays, 10:30 - 11:00 am
- January 16 - March 6
- April 17 - June 12
- July 17 - August 14
- October 9 - December 11

- **GRANTHAM**

- Tuesdays, 10:30 - 11:00 am
- January 13 - March 3
- April 7 - June 9
- July 14 - August 11
- October 6 - December 8

- **MERRITT**

- Wednesdays, 10:30 - 11:00 am
- January 14 - March 4
- April 8 - June 10
- July 15 - August 12
- October 7 - December 9
(miss November 11)

- **PORT DALHOUSIE**

- Thursdays, 10:30 - 11:00 am
- January 15 - March 5
- April 9 - June 11
- July 16 - August 13
- October 8 - December 10

Books And Babies

(under 2 years & caregiver)

Share rhymes, songs, fingerplays and books with your child.

- **CENTRAL, Story Hour Room**

- Wednesdays, 10:15 - 10:40 am
- January 14, 21, 28
- February 11, 18, 25
- March 11, 18, 25
- April 15, 22, 29
- May 13, 20, 27
- June 10, 17, 24
- July 15, 22, 29
- September 16, 23, 30
- October 14, 21, 28
- November 18, 25, December 2

- **GRANTHAM**

- Fridays, 10:15 - 10:40 am
- January 9, 16
- February 6, 13
- March 6, 13
- May 1, 8
- June 5, 12
- September 4, 11
- October 2, 9
- November 6, 13

- **MERRITT**

- Fridays, 10:15 - 10:40 am
- January 23, 30
- February 20, 27
- March 20, 27
- May 22, 29
- June 19, 26
- September 18, 25
- October 23, 30
- November 20, 27

Family Story Time

(Ages 5 years and under and their families)

Spend an evening at the Library with your family and enjoy stories, songs and crafts.

- **CENTRAL, Story Hour Room**

- Tuesdays, 6:30 - 7:15 pm
- January 13
- February 10
- March 10
- April 14
- May 12
- June 9
- September 8
- October 13
- November 10
- December 8

PLEASE REGISTER IN ADVANCE