

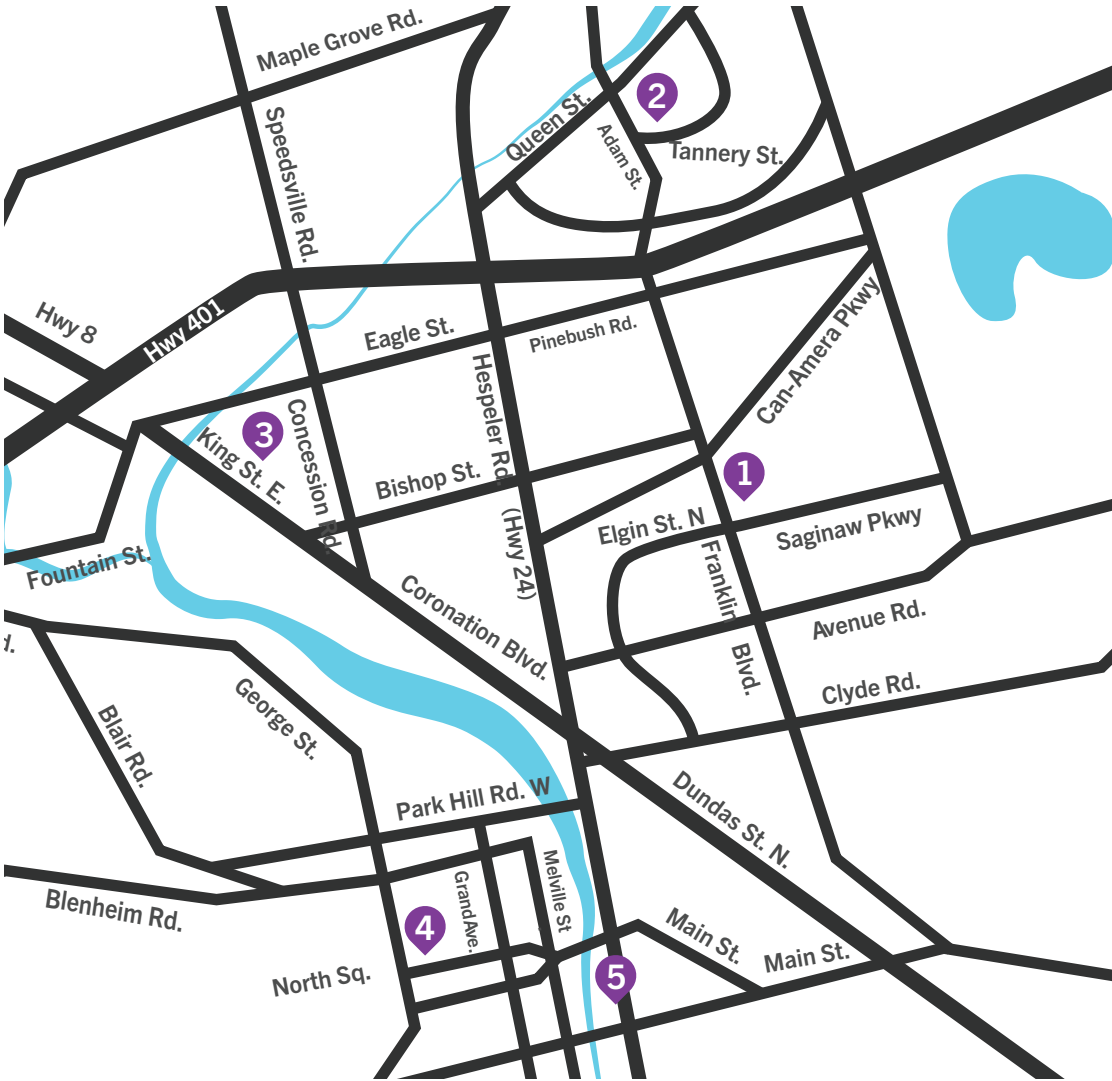
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MAY & JUNE 2021

TEEN MEDIA TEAM
WORLD REFUGEE DAY EVENT
WEEKLY ONLINE PROGRAMS FOR KIDS
CAMBRIDGE ART GALLERIES PROGRAMS

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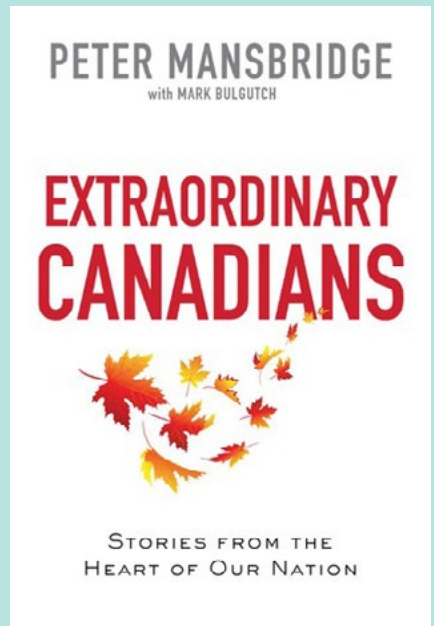
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20 YEARS OF ONE BOOK, ONE COMMUNITY

One Book, One Community, is celebrating its 20th year! The 2021 book selection **Extraordinary Canadians: Stories from the Heart of our Nation** by Peter Mansbridge and Mark Bulgutch features stories from Canadians of all walks of life. It is a collection of first-person narratives about remarkable Canadians who embody the values of our great nation—kindness, compassion, courage, and freedom—and inspire us to do the same. I invite you to check out your copy today and join us for a virtual author visit this fall as we come together as one community to champion our fellow Canadians.

Helen Kelly, CEO, Idea Exchange



MEMBERSHIP + BORROWING

Extended Loan Periods

Seven (7) days have been added to loan periods. 1-day loan materials, such as new DVDs, have been extended to 14 days. These extended loan periods give you enough time to leave your materials untouched for your own quarantine period before using them.

14-day Loans: All DVDS (including new DVDs), music CDs, video games, and launchpads.

28-day Loans: All Adult, Young Adult and Children's books, magazines, books on CD, Story CDs, as well as musical instruments, puzzles, maker kits, and memory kits.

Telephone Renewal: 519.740.3000

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Get instructions and details at ideaexchange.org/pins

VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Learn, explore, and be inspired with free online programs. All programs use Zoom and registration is required. Register for these events and find more at ideaexchange.org

CTAL: Cambridge Third Age Learning

America After Insurrection: Thursday, May 13: 10:00am

Architecture's Stories: Our Buildings as Windows into History: Thursday, June 10: 10:00am

DIY Laser Cut Sign Workshops

Saturdays May 1, 8, and 15 at 10:30am

Three workshops that progress in difficulty with each week. They will teach you how to create a variety of sign styles and types using our Laser Cutter.

An Evening with Local Author Carolyn Huizinga Mills

Thursday, May 20: 7:00pm

Carolyn will discuss her book, **The Good Son** with Kayleigh Platz.

What you can do with Adobe Creative Cloud

Saturday, May 29: 10:30am

Learn how to get started with this online design and editing software.

An Introduction to RVing

Saturday, May 29: 2:00pm

YouTubers Camping with the Coles, talk about choosing and using an RV.

Get Your Social Media Job-Search Ready

Monday, May 31: 10:30am

Kevin Swayze shares how social media can help – and hurt – your job hunt.

Networking on LinkedIn

Monday, June 14: 10:30am

Get ready to better market yourself using this online platform.

World Refugee Day Event: A Conversation with Ava Homa

Tuesday, June 15: 7:00pm

Ava discusses themes from her debut novel, **Daughters of Smoke and Fire**.

Graphic Design with Canva

Wednesday, June 16: 6:00pm

Learn digital skills for creating awesome digital cards and video greetings.

Preserve Your Family Memories: Photos and Videos

Saturday, June 19: 10:30am

Learn to digitize old home movies, photos, and negatives using our digitization equipment.



THURSDAY FUN WITH FRIENDS

Meet Idea Exchange and friends online every Thursday for free, interactive virtual events for all ages (unless otherwise noted).

20-minute Kids Workout with LiteThrive

Thursday, May 13: 2:00pm

Zoom Program | Registration Required

Strong, empowering fitness fun with coach and registered kinesiologist Amanda Myers.

Feathered Dino Friends

Thursday, May 20: 2:00pm

YouTube [THEMUSEUMtv](#)

Tour Dinosaurs | The Age of Big Weird Feathered Things with THEMUSEUM. (For Ages 5 – 12)

An Afternoon with Illustrator Holly Hatam

Thursday, June 3: 2:00pm

Zoom Program | Registration Required

The bestselling children's illustrator talks about her newest book, *Dear Teacher*.

20-minute Kids Workout with LiteThrive

Thursday, June 10: 2:00pm

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Storytime with Deb Lyod

Thursday, June 17: 2:00pm

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Enjoy the story *Braveheart*, part three in the tale of Penelope and Herbert the Dragon.

Toy Story Storytime

Thursday, June 24: 2:00 pm

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Dress up as your favourite character for this virtual story time with Woody and Bo Peep.

WEEKLY ONLINE PROGRAMS

All programs use Zoom and registration is required. Register online at ideaexchange.org. Programs run May 10 to June 19.

Totstime

Tuesdays: 10:00am

We will sing, dance, and read a story together. Bring something to shake, ring, or tap if you have it. Birth – 36 months.

Stories and Stretches

Wednesdays: 10:00am

We will share engaging stories and movement activities for the whole family. All Ages.

Meditate with Snoopy

Wednesdays: 4:00pm

Snoopy the cat helps highlight wellness and mental health with stories and guided meditations suitable for everyone. Ages 6 – 12.

Picassos at Home

Thursday: 10:00am

We'll sing, dance, and share some stories; then, we'll make a craft together. Participants can pick up craft kits in advance at Hespeler. All Ages.

STEAM Storytime

Fridays: 10:00am

Each week we will highlight one of the concepts of STEAM programming: science, technology, engineering, art, or math with stories, songs, and activities. All Ages.

MORE VIRTUAL PROGRAMS FOR KIDS

Wacky Words

Thursday, May 20: 4:00pm

Zoom Program | Registration Required

Explore the world of words with super-fun, wacky word games. Ages 7 – 12.

Enchanted Storytime with the Little Mermaid

Thursday, June 3: 4:00pm

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Dress up as your favourite underwater character for this virtual story time.

Nancy Drew Mysteries

Tuesday, June 8: 4:00pm

Zoom Program | Registration Required

Help everyone's favourite detective solve puzzles and catch criminals. Ages 8 – 12.

TWEEN TECH TUESDAYS

Get creative with our staff as they teach you to use these free web-based programs. All programs use Zoom and registration is required.

Build a Galaxy with Code.org

Tuesday, May 4: 6:00pm

Try your hand at block coding. Learn basic programming of droids and help Rey to build the Galaxy. Ages 8 – 12.

Game Design with Scratch

Tuesdays from May 11 to May 25: 6:00pm

Build your skills in computational thinking, problem solving, creativity, and collaboration while building a video game. Ages 10 – 12.

Song Making with Chrome Music Lab

Tuesday, June 8: 6:00pm

Create a song and test out a variety of fun hands on sound experiments including rhythm, oscillators, chords, and voice spinners. Ages 8 – 12.

3D Design using TinkerCad

Tuesday, June 15: 6:00pm

Learn to make 3D models of your favourite video game characters that can be printed in the Makerspace. Ages 10 – 12.

Photo Editing with Pixlr

Tuesday, June 22: 6:00pm

Learn to work with layers, engage in the creative process, and evolve your communication skills with new media. Ages 10 – 12.

TEEN MEDIA TEAM

As part of the Teen Media Team you will learn new media skills, create cool content to help Idea Exchange, and earn volunteer hours. Registration Required. Ages 13 – 18.

Photo Editing with Lightroom and Snapseed

Wednesday, May 19: 4:00pm

Take a guided tour through these programs that allow you to organize your photos for editing and learn basic photo adjustments such as lighting, color, effects.

Make a Pride GIF

Wednesday, June 9: 4:00pm

Use your creativity and make a GIF to celebrate Pride. For this project you will be using free, in browser software. Share your GIFs with us and your friends!

Cambridge Art Galleries

Virtual Programs

Meet Cambridge Art Galleries online for free programs. All programs use Zoom and registration is required. Register at ideaexchange.org/art

Virtual Knitting & Crocheting Circle Tuesdays: 10:30am

All are welcome, from beginners to advanced participants, as we knit and crochet poppies for **The Cambridge Poppy Project**, a community art project of remembrance to honour our Veterans and military personnel. For information on The Cambridge Poppy Project, visit www.cambridgepoppyproject.ca



Bridging GAAPS: Youth Townhall Saturday, May 15: 2:00pm

Calling all high school students! This past year has been hard for everyone. Bridging GAAPS (Giving All A Place to Speak) in partnership with Cambridge Art Galleries wants to give YOU a platform to share how you are feeling and doing. Learn about free mental health support resources and coping strategies to implement in your daily life.



Bridging GAAPS: Peace, Justice & Poetry Saturday, June 19: 2:00pm

Whether through rap, rhyme, or written down, words give power to our innermost lives and allow the expression of frustration, hurt, and hope. Teens are invited to join artist and activist Kevin Sutton as they take you through exercises to unlock your creative potential. Kevin will share how art has been a key strategy for their personal growth and their activism work. Participate in our poetry book after the workshop and get volunteer hours for your submissions!



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