

ADULT JULY-AUGUST PROGRAM GUIDE 2025

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Adult Summer Reading Club

All Branches
June 21 - August 23

Pick up a passport logbook, and read whatever you like (e.g., novels, biographies, poetry, or graphic novels). Collect stamps throughout the summer by checking in with staff.

At summer's end, trade in your completed passport for a special prize!
Whether you're exploring new stories or revisiting old favorites, this program is a fun way to stay engaged and connected with the library community.



SUMMER READS



Book Club on the Canal

Main Branch
Thursday, July 31
@ 2:00-3:00pm

The Secret History of Audrey James by Heather Marshall

Main Branch
Thursday, August 28
@ 2:00-3:00pm

The Marriage Portrait by Maggie O'Farrell

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Book Lovers Day

Seaway Mall Branch
Saturday, August 9
@ 10:00am-11:30am

August 9 is National Book Lover's Day, a day to encourage the joy and fun of reading. Drop in for some fun activities and more to celebrate the love of reading!

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SUMMER CONNECTS

ESL Entering the Workplace Conversation Circle

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Seaway Mall Branch
Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 29
& August 12, 26 @ 5:30-7:30pm

Join us for conversations about interview prep, resume writing and more in this workplace prep program.



Yoga on the Canal

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Main Branch
Tuesdays, July 8, 22 & August 5, 19
Thursdays, July 24 & August 17
@ 6:00-7:00pm

Come nurture in nature! Guided outdoor yoga practice for all levels. Connect, move, and breathe together. Presented in collaboration with the City of Welland.

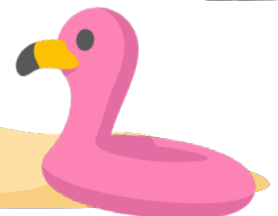


Puzzle Tournament

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Seaway Mall Branch
Saturday, July 12 @ 2:30-4:00pm

Be the first to put together a 500-piece puzzle! Groups no larger than 2 persons please.



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Pop-Up Market

Main Branch

Monday, July 14 & August 11
@ 1:15-2:30pm

Diamond Trail

Thursday, August 21
@ 5:15-6:30pm

Pay what you can as there are no set prices at this in-library fresh produce market! Please bring your own bag.



4th Annual Chess Tournament

Seaway Mall Branch

Saturday, July 19 @ 9:30am-1:00pm

Join us for a chess tournament in celebration of International Chess Day. Challenge yourself at this friendly round robin tournament. Chess knowledge is recommended.



Collecting Nature's Beauty: Fine Minerals and Crystals

Seaway Mall Branch

Saturday, July 26 @ 2:30-3:30pm

Jonathan Vasilyev will provide an introduction to the millennia-old hobby of mineral collecting. He will use beautiful examples to discuss criteria for collecting, give advice for creating visually impactful displays, and provide strategies to build a quality collection on a budget. Participants can bring their crystals, meteorites, or fossils for free appraisal and identification.



ONGOING ADULT ACTIVITIES

Welland Writer's Guild	D	Wednesdays, July 9, 23 & August 6, 20	Main Branch	6:00pm - 7:30pm
Community Connections, Books and More	D	Thursdays, Thursdays, starting July 3-August 28	Seaway Mall	11:00am - 12:00pm
Knitting Club	D	Wednesdays, starting July 2	Main Branch	6:00pm - 7:30pm
Crochet Club	D	Mondays, starting July 7* *no session August 4	Seaway Mall	6:00pm- 7:30pm
Scrabble Club	D	Thursdays, starting July 3	Seaway Mall	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Scrabble Club	D	Mondays, starting July 7* *no session August 4	Main Branch	1:30pm - 3:30pm
Adult Chess Club	D	Wednesdays, starting July 2	Seaway Mall	10:00am - 12:00pm
Creative Canvases (\$5)	R	Thursdays, July 10 & August 14	Seaway Mall	6:00pm - 7:45pm
Yoga for Older Adults	R	Mondays, starting July 7* *no session August 4	Seaway Mall	9:30am - 10:30am
Healthy Safe and Strong (60+)	R	Fridays, July 4- August 29 (Register with Niagara Region @ 905-984-2621)	Seaway Mall	1:30pm -2:30pm OR 3:00pm - 4:00pm

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LIBRARY CLOSURES

Tuesday, July 1 - Canada Day

Monday, August 4 - Civic Holiday

Monday, September 1 - Labour Day

Main Branch
50 The Boardwalk
Welland, ON L3B 6J1
905-734-6210 ext. 2521

Hours

Monday 9 am - 8 pm
Tuesday 9 am - 8 pm
Wednesday 9 am - 8 pm
Thursday 9 am - 8 pm
Friday 9 am - 6 pm
Saturday 9 am - 5 pm
Sunday Closed

Diamond Trail Branch*
315 Southworth Street
Welland, ON L3B 1Z8
905-734-6210 ext. 2501

Hours

Monday 1 pm-5 pm
Tuesday 1 pm-5 pm
Wednesday 1 pm-5 pm
Thursday 4 pm-8 pm
Friday Closed
Saturday 11 am - 3 pm
Sunday Closed

Seaway Mall Branch
800 Niagara St.
Welland, ON L3C 5Z4
905-734-6210 ext. 2518

Hours

Monday 9am - 8pm
Tuesday 9am - 8pm
Wednesday 9am - 8pm
Thursday 9am - 8pm
Friday 9am - 5pm
Saturday 9am - 5pm
Sunday Closed

*Diamond Trail Summer Hours from July 1 - August 30