



SUMMER AT THE LIBRARY

July 6 to August 21, 2026



Mondays

(No programs Aug 3)

Ocean Adventure Club

10:30-11:30am @ SPL

Big adventures for little sea explorers. Dive. Imagine. Create. Play. Learn.



Beat the Heat

2:00-2:30pm @ Stratford Lions Pool (15 William St.)

Join us for stories and songs, followed by a free swim for participating children.

Whale of a Tale Storytime

6:30-7:30pm @ SPL

Make learning to read a playful, fun experience for the whole family. Stories, songs, literacy games and more.



Tuesdays

Wonder Works

10:00-11:30am @ SPL

Dive into the wonders of technology through art, engineering challenges, and innovation. For ages 7 - 12.

Sensory Quest

10:00-11:00am @ Anne Hathaway Park

Hands-on adventure for all ages, while out in nature! Engage your senses, spark creativity, and discover the joy of tactile play. PLOW lending available.



Tales & Tunes Under the Trees

11:00-11:30am @ Anne Hathaway Park

Storytime for little ones with songs, shakers, scarves, games and puppets.



Paws 4 Stories

4:00-5:00pm @ SPL

Join our furry friends from St. John Ambulance and read to certified-therapy dogs in the library garden.

Wednesdays

Baby Steps

10:00-11:00am @ SPL

Learn new ways to interact with your baby while connecting with other families.



Exploring Stratford

10:00-11:30am @ Community Locations

Explore interesting places and meet fascinating people, as we visit a new location in our community each week.



Noon Kazoo

12:00-12:30pm @ SPL Garden

A joyful, multigenerational summer jam session – from ABBA to Disney favourites, kid and grownup tunes alike.

Dive into Discovery Lab

2:00-3:00pm @ 200 Britannia St.

A splash of curiosity as you wade through oceans of Science, Tech, Engineering, Arts, and Math.

Thursdays

Waves of Words

10:00-11:30am @ SPL

Connect with creative writers of all ages at your own pace in a relaxed and welcoming space.



sPARK Literacy

10:00-11:00am @ SERC Playground

Spark your imagination, love of nature, and curiosity. PLOW lending available.

Sunshine Storytime

11:00-11:30am @ SERC Playground

Interactive stories, activities, and songs, outside in the sunshine.

Cue the Creativity: Maker Magic!

2:00-4:00pm @ SPL

Explore the magic of theatre production: props, costumes, set design, wigs, makeup, music, movement, acting, lighting, special effects – in partnership with Stratford Festival.



Fridays

Acorns & Oak Trees

10:00-11:30am @ Anne Hathaway Retirement Residence

A multigenerational program bringing children, adults and seniors together with building stations, sensory play, toys, and story time.



LEGOmania

2:00-4:00pm @ SPL

Bring your friends and make new friends and explore the endless possibilities of LEGO.



EXPLORE ANYTIME

Tales & Trails: TD Summer Reading Club StoryWalk®

@ Stratford Perth Museum

Read Colette: The Solitary Bee by Jean-François Sénéchal while walking the Heritage Trails of Stratford Perth Museum.

Discovery Stations

@ SPL

Explore fun, self-directed activities all summer.