

January 2023

## Special Family Movie Night



**Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile**  
Thursday, January 5th at 6:30 pm

Enjoy an evening of fun for the whole family during the winter break!

Based on the popular series of children’s books, Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile is a delightful take on this classic story. Starring Javier Bardem, Constance Wu, and Shawn Mendes as the voice of Lyle.

Tickets are \$2 each or purchase a family pack (up to 5 tickets) for \$5.

## Movie Nights



**Ticket to Paradise**  
Thursday, January 19th at 6:30 pm

“A divorced couple teams up and travels to Bali to stop their daughter from making the same mistake they think they made 25 years ago” (imdb.com). Starring George Clooney and Julia Roberts.

Movie tickets are \$2 each and are available at the Circulation Desk one week in advance

A note about film ratings: The Province of Ontario no longer provides film ratings. For more information about film contents, we recommend visiting [imdb.com](http://imdb.com). We also provide a printout of the [imdb.com](http://imdb.com) ratings and content information at the circulation desk if you would like to review it when purchasing tickets.



**The Good House**

Thursday, January 12th at 6:30 pm

“Life for New England realtor Hildy Good begins to unravel when she hooks up with an old flame of hers from New York” (imdb.com). Based on the novel by Ann Leary. Starring Sigourney Weaver and Kevin Kline

Find library hours and more at [scugoglibrary.ca](http://scugoglibrary.ca)

## Early Literacy Programs



### Babytime

Join Leslie for our Babytime program, with 30 minutes of songs, bounces and stories that you can also do at home with your baby to extend the learning and fun!

Registration is required. For newborn to 16 months

**When: Tuesdays or Wednesdays at 11 am from January 10th to February 1st**

### New Saturday Babytime!

**Saturdays at 11:30 from January 14th to February 4th**

Our same great Babytime program is now available on Saturdays to meet the needs of families who are unable to attend weekday programs! Babytime is a great way to spend quality time with your baby and build those early language connections. It's also a fantastic way to get to know other parents and caregivers in the community! Registration is required.

### Parent & Tot

The next step for toddlers ages 16 months up to 3 years.  
Registration is required.

**When: Tuesdays or Wednesdays at 10 am to 10:45 am  
from January 10th to February 1st.**



**Please visit or call the Information Desk at 905-985-7686 x101 to register**

## Bilingual Saturday Family Storytime

### BILINGUAL FAMILY STORYTIME



Stories and Songs  
in English & French

**Saturdays  
@ 10:30am**

Join us for a Family Storytime for children ages 0-6 with their parents or caregivers. Leslie will share her favourite stories and songs in both English and French. Participants will develop early literacy skills and build their French and English vocabularies. No previous French experience necessary!

Rejoignez-nous pour notre programme familial d'histoires et chansons pour les enfants de 0 à 6 ans et leurs parents ou gardiens. Leslie va partager ses histoires préférées en anglais et français. Les participants développeront des premières compétences en littératie afin d'agrandir leur vocabulaire français et anglais.

**When: Saturdays at 10:30 to 11:15 am from January 14th to February 4th  
This is a drop-in program and registration is not required**

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## Travelogue Tuesday



Travelogue Tuesdays are back, with an engaging presentation and lively Q&A with photographer, author, television host and world-traveler, Jonathan van Bilsen. Join Jonathan for his presentation: **'New York City: Four Days on Foot'**

**When: Tuesday, January 17th at 3 pm**

Please pre-register at the Information Desk or call 905-985-7686 x101

## North Durham Nature Presents

### Member Presentation Night

Join the North Durham Nature group for Member Presentation Night, which will feature short presentations by several members on natural history subjects, as well as travel tales!

Presented in partnership with North Durham Nature.

Registration is not required and all are welcome!

**When: Tuesday, January 24th at 7 pm**

Mark your calendars for these upcoming North Durham Nature Talks in 2023:

Tuesday, March 28, 2023—Prince Edward Point Bird Observatory

Tuesday, May 23, 2023—Trends in Monarch Butterfly Populations

## Tech Talk Tuesday: The New LIBBY app

**Borrow ebooks,  
audiobooks &  
magazines**

**Libby.**  
The library reading app



So, you were given a new tablet or iPad for Christmas, it is all set up and ready to use ... now what? Did you know that there are thousands of ebooks, audiobooks, and magazines that you can borrow and read for free using the LIBBY app? All you need is your Scugog Memorial Public Library card and a wifi connection, and you can enjoy your favourite authors, titles and series with just a few taps of your finger.

Join us for this seminar-style presentation where library staff will demonstrate some of the new LIBBY app's key features while showing you how to download

and set-up the app for the first time.

**When: January 31st at 3 pm**

**Please register by calling 905-985-7686 x101 or visit the Information Desk**

## Zoomer Tech Cafe

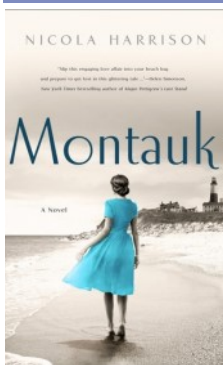


Are you looking for some guidance with your new computer, tablet or cell phone? Do you like to keep up with current tech trends or learn about new programs and apps? Then drop in to the Zoomer Tech Café, an excellent group for seniors who want to learn at their own pace and have a few laughs at the same time.

This is a drop-in program and pre-registration is not required.

**When: Saturday, January 28th from 2 to 3 pm**

## SMPL Evening Book Club



Our popular monthly book club has resumed in-person meetings!  
Join a group of fellow readers, for tea, treats and a lively discussion.

This month, we will discuss **Montauk by Nicola Harrison**

“An epic and cinematic novel by debut author Nicola Harrison, Montauk captures the glamour and extravagance of a summer by the sea with the story of a woman torn between the life she chose and the life she desires” - goodreads.com

**When: Thursday, January 26th at 7 pm, registration is not required**

## Tea & Books



Don't miss the next Tea & Books live and in-person at the library!

Join us for tea, treats and booktalks from some of our staff members' current favourite titles.

Come and discover some great new reads!

Registration is not required.

**When: Thursday, February 2nd at 2 pm**

## Family Literacy Day



Family Literacy Day takes place every January 27th to raise awareness about the importance of reading and engaging in other literacy-related activities as a family. Taking time every day to read or do a learning activity with children is crucial to a child's development, improving a child's literacy skills dramatically, and can help a parent improve their skills as well. The theme for Family Literacy Day 2023 is Celebrate Your Heritage. Find out more at [FamilyLiteracyDay.ca](http://FamilyLiteracyDay.ca)

### After-School Program with Illustrator Barbara Reid

#### Celebrate Family Literacy Day 2023 Virtually with Barbara Reid!

Join us for this after-school program where we will be livestreaming Barbara Reid's online demonstration of her award-winning clay illustration techniques!

Barbara will be doing a demonstration on how to use clay to create a picture. She will share unique techniques you can use to make different things. The event will end with a Q&A.

This event is ideal for children in grades 1 to 6. We will provide the clay and tools for all participants.

**When: Thursday, January 26th from 4:15 to 5:15 pm**

Please pre-register by visiting the Information Desk or calling 905-985-7686 x101

Find out more about Barbara Reid on her website at: [barbarareid.ca](http://barbarareid.ca)