



Story Walk

Starting June 1, walk around the Richard Lavallee Storyteller Garden

at the Keene Public Library with your family to read Treasure by Mireille Messier. When two siblings go on a treasure hunt, they aren't sure exactly what kind of treasure they are looking for. What they do know is that treasures are shiny, mysterious and precious. And that all the really good treasures are hidden!

Students

Do you love working with kids? Are you looking for fun a way to earn volunteer hours and gain valuable work experience? Have we got an opportunity for you! We are currently looking for student volunteers to help with our Minecraft July & August Summer Camps!

Dates: July 24-28, 2023 & August 14-18, 2023

Where: Keene Public Library

Interested volunteers please contact: Carolanne@osmpl.ca

or visit our volunteers page on our website.

Lady Bug Take Home Craft Kit

You can pick this craft kit at any branch of OSM Public Library while supplies last June 7th. The craft kit includes a reading list, instructions, colouring page and craft.



Story Time

Story Time at. Stewart Hall Branch Mondays June, 10-11 am Bailieboro Branch Tuesdays June, 10-11 am, and Keene Branch Wednesdays June, 1-2 pm



OSM Public Library will be holding 2 summer camps this year at the Keene branch. Medieval Times, July 24-28, and **Space the Final Frontier**, August 14–18, for children 7–12. Time: 9-4 pm. The cost is \$200. You can pre - register. Visit our Summer Camp page on our web site for more details.

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Louise Bennett's Volunteer Experience at Two Smalls Thrift Shop

Hello! My name is Louise Bennett. As a new volunteer at the Two Small Rooms Thrift Shop, I would like to introduce myself. I grew up in Red Bank, New Jersey and moved to Canada when I was 24. I am now a proud Canadian. My husband Grant and I began farming in Otonabee-South Monaghan Township in 1975 and raised our three children, Ian, Molly, and Sarah here. I am the Peterborough District Representative for the North Shore Women's Institute. My favourite leisure activities are reading, gardening and flower arranging.

Volunteering at the shop is a pleasure. The volunteer-run shop is well managed, and volunteers are cheerful and hard working. They have a flair for displaying merchandise in an attractive manner and make customers feel welcome. I have been impressed by the shop's extensive inventory. It offers reasonably priced men's, women's and children's clothes and an eclectic selection of books, cd's/dvd's, puzzles, craft supplies, vases, glassware, dishes, and other items.

One never knows what one will find at the shop. I enjoy watching customers discover the hidden treasure they have been searching for or picking out an outfit that fits and looks just right. (cont'd

"CHECK OUT" NATURE AT YOUR LIBRARY!

Borrow the Ontario Parks seasonal permit (and maybe some books!) from any branch of OSM Public library. Borrowing, patrons can borrow 1 pass for 1 week, no renewals. Contact your branch for further details.





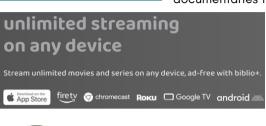
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series the whole family can enjoy, and more. All you need is your library card. **Visit our Digital Resources page** on our website to hook yourself up.



Hobbies & Crafts Reference Center includes leading full-text hobby and craft magazines, hobby profiles, recipes, and videos all in a unique, dedicated user interface with easy-to-browse categories.

The OSM Public Library Board is considering a number of options that could impact the current services offered by the **Bailieboro Branch Library**.

We are requesting your input. If you prefer to complete this survey online, you can access it at https://forms.gle/b7i4gT2oVb8A9g658 Print surveys can be placed in the book drop box at any OSM Public Library branch.

Please complete this survey by June 30, 2023.

Help from our Friends



Thank you to **SKH Events & Catering Co.** for their generous support, we really appreciate it.

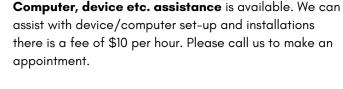
Thank you to Friends of **OSM Public Library** for their past donations to our programming activities!

Adult Collection

The almost widow, Gail Anderson-Dargatz
Fractal noise, Christopher Paolini
The garden of lost secrets, Kelly Bowen
The lie maker, Linwood Barclay
Lemon curd killer Laura Childs
The locked attic, B.P. Walter

Truth telling, Michelle Good Closer by the sea, Perry Chafe The house maid, Freida McFadden Lost in Canada, Lydia Perovic Killing moon, Joe Nesbo The poisoner's ring, Kelly Armstrong

The making of another major motion picture masterpiece, Tom Hanks



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One-to-one lessons can be scheduled but must be arranged beforehand with instructor.
Please call your branch to book your time with Jayce.

Cost per instruction is \$10.

Louise Bennett's Volunteer Experience at Two Smalls Thrift Shop (cont'd from p. 1)

Parents and grandparents of small children can buy a bag of high-quality clothes for \$5 and then return to buy another \$5 bag as their child grows. I rarely go home without a purchase. My husband jokes: "You go to the Thrift Shop to sell things not buy things."

Our Thrift Shop is a success because of loyal volunteers, customers, and donors. The generosity of donors from Otonabee–South Monaghan and beyond allows us to offer new merchandise every week. We have many loyal customers and new customers are discovering us all the time. We owe them all tremendous thanks for their Thrift Shop support which in turn provides additional funds for the library.

As you can see, I enjoy volunteering at Two Small Rooms Thrift Shop. It is a worthwhile, happy, and social place.

The Boutique

Open During Library Hours
Located Upstairs Bailieboro Public Library

TWO SMALL ROOMS

Hours: Thursdays & Saturdays 12-3 pm
Located downstairs Keene Public Library, use
library entrance

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