

Wiarton Branch

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Early Literacy Programs: Programs for babies, children, and parents that develop pre-reading skills	Story Time	Babies, pre-school aged children, and their caregivers join us for songs, stories and activities on Tuesday mornings. This month we had 30 participants.
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Community Development: community events, partnered programs with community groups	Kindergarten Registration at Peninsula Shores District School in Wiarton	The library attended the Kindergarten registration event night at the Wiarton school. Parents and children were able to see and interact with different resources the library has to offer like books, robotic kits. The Wiarton Friends of the Library also provided a new book to each incoming student. There were approximately 60 participants.
	Kids Den Day Care Visit	Thirteen participants from the local day care visited the library for a special early literacy program playtime at the library.

Adult and Senior Programs	Movie	Seven participants watched a movie showing of "Finding Your Feet."
	Cookbook Club: The Essentials	Four participants shared food and their reviews of cookbooks that covered essential recipes.
	Super Storms of Ontario	Three participants listened to guest speaker David T. Chapman who have a presentation on various types of super storms that he has chased and photographed in Ontario, including some right in our backyard!

Technology Based Programs	Minecraft	Four children came out on their day off school, a professional development day for teachers, to build together in the online world of Minecraft.
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Other Children's and Teens Programs	Junior Book Club	Every Thursday there is an afterschool book club where children can explore new and different books, enjoy snacks, and participate in a fun activity from board
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Bruce County Public Library

Branch Activities Report

		games to making slime. We had 24 participants over the month.
	Winter Craft Nights	Thursday evenings leading up to the holidays, starting November 29, the library is offering the opportunity for patrons to create unique holiday crafts and learn about different cultures. Five people came out for our first event.

Total Circulation for November	3,816 items
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November was Fall Prevention Month, and Financial Literacy Month.

