

Saturday, November 1, 2025

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Birds and the Bees

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Address: Drama Centre Central Park 2311 New St. Burlington

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Sunday, November 2, 2025

Free Event - Heal your Heart with Meditation & Art

Date and Time: Sunday, November 2 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Orchard Community Hub, 2400 Sutton Drive, Burlington, Ontario L7L 7A9

3 Unique Guided Meditation Sessions with a creative workshop

You can also bring your own art to share

& BE inspired to create something simple and new

Materials will be provided. Join any one of the three sessions or ALL

Bring something for the community Potluck (not mandatory)

Free and Open to ALL

Tuesday, November 4, 2025

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Culture Plan Community Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 4 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Burlington Performing Arts Centre, Community Studio - 440 Locust Street

You're Invited: Culture Plan Community Meeting

Tuesday, Nov. 4, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Burlington Performing Arts Centre, Community Studio

Over the summer, the Culture Plan team connected with artists, cultural organizations and residents at focus groups, events and community pop-ups throughout the city. We engaged over 1,600 people to learn more about what culture means to Burlington.

The Culture Plan team will be presenting a "What We Heard" report. This is your chance to provide feedback on the vision and draft recommendations of the Culture Plan. Your input will help to shape future arts and culture programs, services and supports.

Please **RSVP** by Monday, Nov. 3.

Wednesday, November 5, 2025

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Full Moon Ceremony

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 5 5:00 pm

Address: Sweetgrass Park - 565 Woodview Rd, Burlington, ON L7N 2Z9

Indigenous full moon ceremonies are sacred gatherings honouring Grandmother Moon and are led by women. Based on the lunar calendar, they provide a time for the community to reconnect with themselves and strengthen their ties to others and the natural world through healing and renewal. The ceremony occurs at or near sunset, with a reflection on the past month, and setting intentions for the next cycle.

If you are attending a full moon ceremony, please bring water and a chair as seating is limited. Men and women are invited to join, women attending are asked to wear a skirt.

2026 Budget Telephone Town Hall

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 5 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Via telephone

Burlington Mayor Marianne Meed Ward will host a telephone townhall to talk about the budget and hear your questions about budget priorities for 2026. She will be joined by Finance and other Senior staff.

How to Participate

Burlington residential phone numbers will be randomly selected to be part of the telephone town hall. If you would like your number to be added to the call out list or the do not call list, please email getinvolved@burlington.ca. by 1pm Nov 5. If you have asked to be on these lists for any previous town halls, we still have your selection and you do not need to email.

Thursday, November 6, 2025

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Burlington Transit Public Information Centre (PIC)- Virtual

Date and Time: Thursday, November 6 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Virtual via Zoom

Public Information Centre.

- Thursday, Oct. 23
- 7 - 8:00 p.m.
- Virtually via zoom

Residents are invited to come out to the engagement session to share your thoughts on what is working well and what could be better with Burlington Transit. What you share with us will help us create different options for what Burlington Transit could look like over the next five years

Anthony Tullo - The 29 Days Concert

Date and Time: Thursday, November 6 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Referred to by critics as the Bryan Adams and Bruce Springsteen of americana rock and country, Anthony Tullo is a Canadian songwriter whose electrifying music has captivated audiences across the world. He has been named a Top 5 Male Artist of the Year by the Country Music Association of Ontario (CMAO) and been recognized for his success in Poland with a prestigious Optimist Award and a top-five charting single. Anthony was the first Canadian to headline the sold-out amphitheatre at the largest Eastern European country festival in the world. He continues to play to sell-out crowds in Canada and beyond. A native of Oakville, Anthony Tullo has released three full-length studio albums to critical acclaim.

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Le Vent du Nord

Date and Time: Friday, November 7 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

A leading force in Quebec’s progressive francophone folk movement, the group’s vast repertoire draws from both traditional sources and original compositions, while enhancing its hard-driving soulful music (rooted in the Celtic diaspora) with a broad range of global influences.

Saturday, November 8, 2025

MISTLETOE MART

Date and Time: Saturday, November 8 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 3132 South Drive, Burlington, Ontario

Christmas Bazaar

Artisans, silent auction, cafe, baked goods, fine treasures and more

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Sunday, November 9, 2025

The One and Only: Tommy Dorsey Orchestra

Date and Time: Sunday, November 9 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

In big band history, the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra is recognized as one of the best all-around dance bands. Popular almost from the moment it signed with RCA Victor in 1935, it could swing with the best of them. No other band could come close to Tommy's when it came to playing ballads, especially with the addition of Frank Sinatra as male vocalist. "Opus One," "Song Of India," "I'll Never Smile Again," "Marie" and "Boogie Woogie" are part of a string of hit records that continue to be performed by The TDO still today. The One and Only Tommy Dorsey Orchestra under the direction of Jeff Bush continues this exciting big-band tradition for audiences worldwide, and fans of all ages.

Tuesday, November 11, 2025

Sunrise Naval Remembrance Day Service

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 11 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Address: Spencer Smith Park

Please join us in remembering and honouring those who served with courage and loyalty in all the wars and armed conflicts of this current century; those that returned with and without injuries, and also those who gave the ultimate sacrifice for their country. WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.

Royal Canadian Naval Ships Memorial.

Remembrance Day Ceremony

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 11 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Burlington City Hall

Event Details

- **Remembrance Day Procession, begins at 10:30 a.m.**

Departing Central School on Baldwin Street, travelling down Brant Street to Elgin Street, Locust Street, Ontario Street and ending at the Cenotaph in Veteran Square, 426 Brant St.

- **Royal Canadian Legion Branch 60, Remembrance Day Service, 11 a.m.**

This 60-minute ceremony is held at the Cenotaph, on the north side of City Hall. For more information, please contact the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 60 at 905-639-6400 or visit the [Burlington Legion](#) website.

- **Live Stream**

The Cenotaph ceremony will be available for viewing on the [Burlington Legion](#) website.

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Coyote Etiquette and Petiquette pop-ups at Central Library

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 12 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 2331 New Street Burlington Public Library- Central Branch

Every other week, Animal Services hosts a Coyote Etiquette and Petiquette Pop-Up table at Central Library. Stop by our pop-up table to ask questions and learn more about a variety of topics, including:

- How to haze coyotes and coyote-proof your property
- How to report off-leash dogs
- Bylaws related to stoop-and-scoop
- Leash-free areas around the city, and more!

Thursday, November 13, 2025

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Burlington Trails Network- Engagement session

Date and Time: Thursday, November 13 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 1996 Itabashi Way., Burlington

- **In-Person Public Open House**

- Date: Thursday, Nov. 13, 2025
- Time: 6 – 9 p.m.
- Location: Tansley Woods Community Centre (1996 Itabashi Way)

Format: There will be an opportunity to review and provide feedback on project display boards, as well as to have one-on-one discussions with staff and project team members

Heritage Garden Speaker Series

Date and Time: Thursday, November 13 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line, Burlington, ON

Ireland House Museum, in partnership with Halton Environmental Network, is pleased to offer a Heritage Garden Speaker Series. Admission is free. Pre-registration is required, space is limited. Please email museuminfo@burlington.ca if you need to cancel.

September 25 | Container Gardening

Use it to keep your space green throughout the fall and winter seasons.

October 9 & 23 | Putting Your Garden to Bed

Set yourself up for spring gardening success!

November 13 | Food Mindfulness

Eat seasonally, and sustainably.

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Ireland House After Dark | Victorian Christmas Tours

Date and Time: Friday, November 14 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line

Visit Ireland House after dark to learn about Victorian Christmas traditions. This guided tour experience will take you through Ireland House, decorated for the season, as you hear about how the Ireland family would have prepared for, and celebrated Christmas, and discover the origins of traditions that have lasted to present day. Tickets include light refreshments.

November 14, 28 and December 12

Saturday, November 15, 2025

Visit with Santa

Date and Time: Saturday, November 15 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 1240 North Shore Blvd E

Guess who's coming back to town?! Santa and Mrs. Claus are making a special stop at Joseph Brant Museum this holiday season, and they can't wait to meet you! Families can book a 10-minute time slot for a "Visit with Santa!" on November 15 & 16 (6 family members maximum).

Henry's Camera will be on-site taking professional photos, and will provide one digital image and a "Free Instant 8x10 Print" voucher for use at an in-store kiosk. Parents are also welcome to use their own cameras. Tickets include a 10-minute private visit with Santa & Mrs. Claus, family admission to Joseph Brant Museum, a take-home holiday craft and a bag of Christmas popcorn for each child.

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Carousel Players: Where the Wild Things Are

Date and Time: Saturday, November 15 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Sail away to the land of the Wild Things! Jump in and help Max transform his bedroom into an exotic jungle, then transport yourself to where the wild things are. After being crowned king of these magical creatures, Max must make a decision: stay and rule the Wild Things or return home. Based on the timeless children's book, *Where the Wild Things Are* by Maurice Sendak, this interactive adventure by Presentation House is filled with guided play **for ages 3 to 7**. Together, young ones and their adults can join the wild ride!

This production of *Where the Wild Things Are* is an interactive experience. Audience members will be seated around the performance area on three large mats, with limited chairs provided at the back for grownups who may require a seat.

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Some Enchanted Evening: A Celebration of Musical Theatre Past and Present

Date and Time: Saturday, November 15 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Some Enchanted Evening is a gala celebration of the glories of classic and contemporary musical theatre, featuring CBC Radio Host, mezzo-soprano Julie Nesrallah; legendary operatic baritone Gino Quilico and Classical 96 Host, concert pianist Daniel Vnukowski, who created a sensation in 2024's *Rhapsody in Blue* Gershwin concert. Beloved selections from *West Side Story*, *Carousel*, *South Pacific* and *Les Miz* will be topped up with some opera and operetta arias, and selections from the American Songbook.

Sunday, November 16, 2025

Visit with Santa

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4x JUNO nom/7x CFMA Winner Chris McKhool brings "Earth, Seas & Air" to the Stage

Date and Time: Sunday, November 16 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street, Burlington, ON L7S 1T7

The Burlington Performing Arts Centre presents 4x JUNO nominee/7x CFMA winner Chris McKhool - "Earth, Seas & Air", a pay-what-you-can event !

Hailed as a "Children's musical star" (National Post), Chris McKhool is one of Canada's hottest musicians for young people. Chris has been delighting audiences with infectious songs and exotic world instruments for over two decades, reaching over 1 million children live in concert, and has appeared on Mr. Dressup, YTV's Treehouse, TVOntario's Crawlpace and the CBC.

In his **Earth, Seas & Air** shows, kids join Chris on stage to play a bevy of musical instruments he has gathered from around the world! These interactive concerts feature Chris on guitar and violin performing folk, pop, world beat, rap and jazz.

For almost a decade, Chris has taken his audience beyond the 3 Rs of ecology (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) to a new level of understanding of our global connection to forests, water and animals. Everyone leaves feeling that they can truly make a difference! By celebrating through music the respect we must hold for the planet and each other, children develop a strong sense of community and hope for their own future - the foundation for world harmony and peace.

Chris was just presented the Key to the City of Burlington for his work creating community through music. He is also a 4x JUNO Award nominee/7x CFMA winner. A champion of environmental issues, Chris created the World Largest Bicycle Bell Orchestra at Yonge-Dundas Square with over 800 bell ringers! He was nominated for a JUNO Award for Best Children's Album, and won the Canadian Folk Music Award for Children's Album of the Year! He's also a multiple Parents' Choice Award Winner and a Green Toronto Award Winner, and was just inducted into the Burlington Performing Artist Centre Hall of Fame.

"Chris McKhool and the boys were fantastic! They can play my Bar Mitzvah."
– Bob Ezrin, producer (Pink Floyd, Kiss)

"I was impressed by his musical virtuosity and personal appeal...His songs succeed!"
-Ernie Coombs, (Mr. Dressup)

VIDEO: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hHPHDjYuj5s>

EVENT LINK: <https://burlingtonpac.ca/events/earth-seas-and-air>

Burlington Performing Arts Centre
Community Studio Theatre
440 Locust Street, Burlington, ON L7S 1T7
905-681-6000

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Thank you to the Arts and Culture Fund of the City of Burlington for their support of this concert.

Chris McKhool: Earth, Seas & Air

Date and Time: Sunday, November 16 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Cushion Concert! Part musical performance, part environmentalism and 100% fun! This award-winning show is fully interactive, as kids join the Chris McKhool and his musical friends from Sultans of String on stage playing percussion instruments from around the globe, dance to the global grooves, and sing songs about taking care of our planet. For three decades, Chris has taken his audience beyond the 3 R's of ecology (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) to a new level of understanding of our global connection to forests, air, water and animals. Everyone leaves with the feeling that they can really make a difference!

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Ward 2 Update - November

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 18 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: City Hall, Room 247, 426 Brant Street, Burlington

Event Name: Ward 2 Community Update

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 18, 2025, 7 PM

Location: Room 247, City Hall, 426 Brant Street

Description:

Be part of the conversation. Join Ward 2 Councillor Lisa Kearns for the *Ward 2 Community Update*. This important event provides residents with the opportunity to hear key City and community updates directly from Councillor Kearns and to engage in meaningful dialogue about the issues that matter most to our Ward.

Your voice shapes our community. Don't miss this chance to stay informed and connected.

Virtual Invitation

You are invited to register for a Zoom webinar!

When: November 18, 2025 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Ward 2 Community Update - November

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ZAa7B_XJRYCIzfPtoknyNg

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Burlington Trails Network- Engagement session

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 18 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Virtual via Zoom

- **Online Public Session**

- Date: Tuesday, Nov. 18, 2025

- Time: 7 – 8:30 p.m.

- Location: Zoom Webinar. Register here: https://lura-ca.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_a4AYZ9mYTGyjAG41mpHD9g

Format: There will be an opportunity to view a presentation prepared by the project team and engage in verbal or written discussion during a Q&A session.

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

Seniors Active Living Fair

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 19 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Ron Edwards Family YMCA

YMCA's FREE Seniors Active Living Fair will showcase local wellness programs and services designed for older adults.

Each Seniors Active Living Fair is a free public education initiative, developed in partnership with the Older Adults Centres' Association of Ontario (OACAO) and the Ministry of Seniors and Accessibility (MSAA).

Fairs are free and accessible and help to build awareness about programs and services that are available to seniors within their communities. These Seniors Fairs are an opportunity to build community partnerships, share knowledge about healthy aging and encourage participation in an active lifestyle. Just drop in! Registration is not required.

Feature Presentations and Guest Speakers

A Step Ahead: Understanding and Preventing Falls

Falls are the leading cause of injury—especially among older adults—but they are preventable with the right strategies and awareness.

This workshop will equip you with the knowledge and tools to reduce the risk of falls in everyday life. Whether

you're looking to protect yourself, a loved one, or members of your community, you'll gain practical techniques to stay safe and maintain independence for years to come.

Presenter:

Tess Ewert Zehr is an Occupational Therapist with the Burlington Family Health Team and serves as the Team Lead for its expanded services. She works with patients both one-on-one and in group settings, and one of her favourite things is providing education sessions in the community. Tess is passionate about health promotion and helping Burlington residents engage in the activities they need and want to do.

Gait Speed: The New “Sixth Sense”

Gait speed is a powerful indicator of overall health. Unlike traditional vital signs, gait speed offers a dynamic measure of functional ability. Learn about a new rapid and reliable tool developed by GERAS to assess gait speed and mobility.

Presenter:

Dr. George Ioannidis, BPE, MSc, PhD, is the Deputy Director of the GERAS Centre for Aging Research and an Associate Professor in the Divisions of Rheumatology and Geriatric Medicine, Department of Health Evidence and Impact. He also holds the Eli Lilly Canada Chair in Osteoporosis.

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Aging Well At Home Information Session

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 19 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: The Hub @ Burlington Centre, 777 Guelph Line, Burlington, ON L7R 3N2

Do you or your loved ones know how to prepare for aging at home? Do you want to know more about community resources that help older adults to live healthily and independently? Join us for an information session to learn more about Aging Well At Home!

This session was developed by members and collaborators of the Burlington OHT who support older adults in our community. It will be presented by Acclaim Health, Ontario Health atHome, and AbleLiving Services and will touch on topics such as planning ahead for aging and available community resources.

If you are an older adult or someone who supports an older adult in Burlington, this session is for you!

There is no cost to attend.

Sign up here: www.acclaimhealth.ca/aging-well-at-home

Thursday, November 20, 2025

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Burlington Repair Cafe

Date and Time: Saturday, November 22 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 662 Guelph Line

Bring your broken/damaged small household items and our volunteers will help you fix them, for free. Please send us an email to tell us what you'd like to bring.

Burlington Animal Shelter - Santa Paws Is Coming To Town

Date and Time: Saturday, November 22 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 2424 Industrial St

Santa is coming to the Burlington Animal Shelter!

We will be hosting a Pet photo event on Saturday November 22nd from 10am-2pm.

Pet photos with Santa will be available by a minimum donation of \$10 dollars going towards our P.A.W. Fund. All appointments will be prebooked in 10 minute increments. *All dogs must be properly leashed and cats/small animals must be in appropriate carriers.

All attendants will have the opportunity to view some adoptable animals, learn about our licensing campaign "Home for the Holidays" and visit our garage sale to purchase new and used pet items just in time for the holidays!

Please call 905-335-7777 to secure your spot!

Arts Burlington Holiday Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, November 22 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Art Gallery of Burlington, 1333 Lakeshore Rd, Burlington ON

We're excited to announce the return of the Arts Burlington Holiday sale, taking place Saturday and Sunday, November 22, 23, 2025, from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM at the Art Gallery of Burlington.

This much-anticipated community event brings together some of Burlington's most talented artists and craftspeople. Visitors can browse and purchase a stunning variety of handmade works, including pottery, photography, fine art, mixed media, hooking craft, sculpture, woodcraft, weaving, and spinning.

Whether you're looking to add to your collection or just enjoy an inspiring day out, there's something for everyone.

Wonder Lab STEAM Workshop

Date and Time: Saturday, November 22 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 1240 North Shore Blvd E

Joseph Brant Museum, in partnership with STEAMULATION Lab, is excited to bring you the Wonder Lab series—three fun-filled workshops packed with exotic, hands-on experiments. Each session explores a different theme, from explosive chemical reactions to weird liquids and colourful density towers.

You can register for any single workshop or sign up for all three for the full experience. Each session is unique, exciting, and guaranteed to spark curiosity in every young scientist!

Workshops are designed for children between the ages of 5 - 9 years old. The cost is \$30/session. For more information, or to register, visit here: <https://museumsfburlington.ca/education/kids-clubs/>

Blackburn Brothers

Date and Time: Saturday, November 22 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

The story of Blackburn Brothers is one of music, history, and deep familial roots. A band of brothers in the truest sense, their sound is forged in heritage, passion, and purpose, carrying the legacy of generations before them. Led by Duane (lead vocals, organ, piano), Brooke (guitar, vocals, songwriting), and Cory (drums, harmony vocals), the band also features their eldest brother Robert (guitar, vocal harmonies, songwriting) and cousin Nathan (bass guitar) on recent studio recordings. Their longtime horn section includes Neil Brathwaite (tenor saxophone) and Ted Peters (trombone), with Andrew Stewart as their touring bassist.

The brothers carry a musical lineage, tracing back to their father, Bobby Dean Blackburn, an R&B legend whose influence on the Toronto music scene has spanned over six decades. Their music is not just about sound—it's about storytelling, heritage, and the spirit of the blues.

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Culinary Kids Club

Date and Time: Sunday, November 23 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line

Culinary Kids Club is a once monthly drop-off program at Ireland House Museum on Sunday afternoons between 1:30 – 3:30 pm. Culinary Kids Club is designed for children between the ages of 8 – 12 years old. The cost is \$30/child for each session (includes tax).

Portable containers with sealable lids are recommended for kids to bring home their culinary creations.

Pre-registration is required, and space limited. See you in the kitchen! Learn more, or register here: <https://museums.burlington.ca/education/kids-clubs/>

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Canada's Ballet Jörgen: The Nutcracker - A Canadian Tradition

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 25 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Holiday magic is made year after year by Ballet Jörgen's traditional treasure *The Nutcracker: A Canadian Tradition*. Created by acclaimed choreographer and Artistic Director Bengt Jörgen to Tchaikovsky's well-loved score, this delightful classic is a favourite that brings magic to the holidays.

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Wednesday, November 26, 2025

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Coyote Etiquette and Petiquette pop-ups at Central Library

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 26 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 2331 New Street Burlington Public Library- Central Branch

Every other week, Animal Services hosts a Coyote Etiquette and Petiquette Pop-Up table at Central Library. Stop by our pop-up table to ask questions and learn more about a variety of topics, including:

- How to haze coyotes and coyote-proof your property
- How to report off-leash dogs
- Bylaws related to stoop-and-scoop
- Leash-free areas around the city, and more!

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Friday, November 28, 2025

Victorian Christmas PA Day Camp | Ireland House Museum

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line

Christmas is coming, and we're celebrating Victorian-style today at Ireland House Museum. Learn about old-fashioned traditions and decorations, make cookies at the hearth, and craft a tin punch ornament. You'll be all set for the holiday! Camp is for ages 5-12 and runs from 9:00am to 4:00pm. The cost is \$55/child.

For more information, or to register, visit here: <https://museumsオブurlington.ca/education/kids-camps/>

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Candlelit Stroll

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 426 Brant Street

Oh, the weather outside is (definitely not) frightful, but the activities are so delightful, since we've got an amazing place to go, let us stroll, let us stroll, let us stroll...

Our annual Candlelit Stroll is back!

On Friday, November 28th the businesses of Burlington Downtown invite you to enjoy a FREE* night of all things cheery, local and bright to help welcome the winter season. Starting at Civic Square, we encourage visitors and residents alike to join our community for the lighting of the Tree of Hope. From there, enjoy a self-led winter wonderland in Burlington Downtown.

The fun doesn't show signs of stopping, and we've got some popcorn for munching (thanks to our friends at Cogeco), the lights are turned way down low, so we can play a holiday movie at Centro Garden, so let us stroll, let us stroll, let us stroll.

6PM-7PM Civic Square

Grab your candles, glow sticks & route map while we light the Tree of Hope with local dignitaries, kicking off the evening with a performance by the Burlington Teen Tour Band (6pm-6:30pm)

6PM-8:30PM Stroll Throughout Downtown

Various locations will be set-up throughout the downtown featuring music, nibbles, giveaways & more! This is a free community event (while supplies last).

A complete list of activities and map to follow - stay tuned!

Ireland House After Dark | Victorian Christmas Tours

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line

Visit Ireland House after dark to learn about Victorian Christmas traditions. This guided tour experience will take you through Ireland House, decorated for the season, as you hear about how the Ireland family would have prepared for, and celebrated Christmas, and discover the origins of traditions that have lasted to present day. Tickets include light refreshments.

November 14, 28 and December 12

Tottering Biped: Searching for Marceau

Date and Time: Friday, November 28 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 440 Locust Street

Searching for Marceau finds a budding young mime trying to make sense of his two fathers: the real one raising him and the far away Marcel Marceau. The imaginary and the real battle in this theatre/mime piece reinvents Marcel Marceau's mime tradition for the 21st Century.

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Saturday, November 29, 2025

St. Christophers Makers Market

Date and Time: Saturday, November 29 12:17 am - 12:17 am

Address: 662 Guelph Line Burlington

A Makers market with a variety of artists, bakers, jewelry and crafts. Light refreshments available and hopefully Christmas trees too! Our site is fully accessible.

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Free Event - Heal your Heart with Meditation & Art

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Address: Orchard Community Hub, 2400 Sutton Drive, Burlington, Ontario L7L 7A9

3 Unique Guided Meditation Sessions with a creative workshop

You can also bring your own art to share

& BE inspired to create something simple and new

Materials will be provided. Join any one of the three sessions or ALL

Bring something for the community Potluck (not mandatory)

Free and Open to ALL

Heritage Workshop: Needle Felting

Date and Time: Sunday, November 30 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 2168 Guelph Line, Burlington

Learn the art of needle felting figures by shaping wool into a cheeky Gnome ornament! Fibre artist and instructor Cathy Disbrow will teach you how to wrap wool into a cone shape on a skewer, properly attach the beard locks, how to sculpt wool to create a nose and stab attach it on. These gnomes are fun decor and perfect gifts for the upcoming holiday season. Gnome is approx. 3.5" tall. Wool and 2 felting needles are included in the cost. Foam felting pads are provided for students to use during class and can be purchased separately. Participants will have the option of touring Ireland House Museum before the workshop (12pm). Light refreshments included. This workshop is suitable for ages 16+.

<https://events.burlington.ca>