

No matter your goals, resolutions, hopes and dreams for the new year, remember the library has the resources to help!

Want to learn a new language? We've got books, audio resources, online databases and conversation groups at the library. While our Spanish Group is taking a bit of a break, Saturday afternoons at 2pm, the French Conversation Group meets in the lower level Board Room.

Looking to expand your business opportunities? We've got up to date material about marketing, computer skills, finances and more. If you're in the job market, we've got resume writing resources, books on interview skills and computers. We also have printing, faxing and scanning services.




Thanks to everyone who attended our 3rd annual New Year's Eve Fundraising Gala!



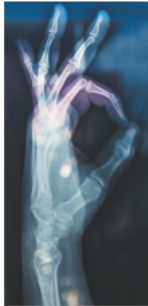
All proceeds enhance adult programming at the library.



Arnprior *Discovery* Lecture Series



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**Make No Bones About It:
Osteoarthritis and Your Health**

Thursday, Jan. 10th 7pm

Arnprior Public Library
21 Madawaska Street

Meeting will be in the Main Hall

Please reserve your free seat:
www.arnpriorlibrary.ca

Everyone Welcome

Arnprior *Discovery* Lecture Series

This lecture series is a presentation of Arnprior Regional Health Foundation and the Arnprior Public Library

We've got a wide variety of lifestyle and health related resources. Books and databases about nutrition, fitness, mental health, parenting and so much more.

Join us **Thursday January 10th at 7pm** for a free presentation about osteoarthritis. This is part of the Arnprior Discovery Lecture Series. To assist with setup we ask that you RSVP your seat on our website. We'll also send out a reminder to those who registered to attend.

On Tuesday January 22 at 7pm - in partnership with Prior Eco Action Group - the Library will be hosting Eric and Kate of **Grow for You Food Inc.** This Renfrew County based business is dedicated to not simply developing beautiful, reliable vertical aeroponic gardens, but empowering the average person and building their confidence in their ability grow food for themselves.

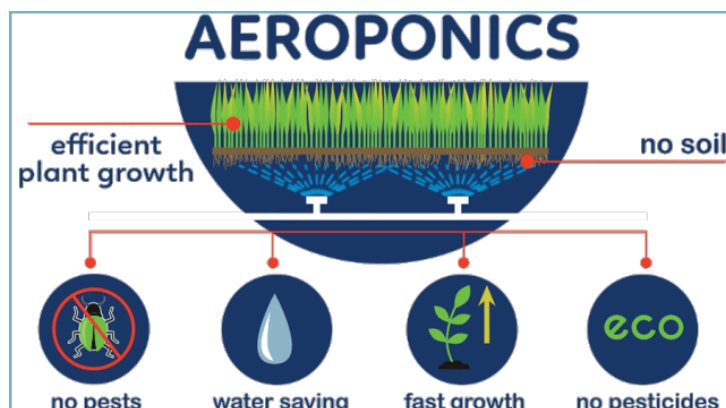


Please RSVP your seat for this free presentation on AEROPONICS at 7pm on Tuesday January 22nd.

The library will be purchasing some of these vertical aeroponic gardens adding to our already inviting



'green space'. Our goal is to offer the community fresh herbs and to include fresh produce as part of our nutrition offerings for youth who attend after school programming.





Our Children’s programming is taking a bit of a preparatory break. Regular Friday Morning Drop in Story times will resume **February 8th**. Bonjour *mes Amis*—our Saturday Bilingual Family Story Times will also resume next month.

LEGO Lounge does return Saturday January 19th at 10:30. All are welcome to attend this creative time for the whole family.

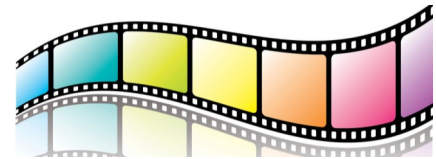
Register now for our Winter session of Baby Rhyme Time (to be held January 29—March 5)

Our Artist in Residence, Ian Bartlett is back for another 4 week Art 101 Course. This time the focus is **Perspective**. You must register for this course which will be held January 24, 31, February 7 & 14. The fee is \$10.

All levels welcome.



The Library will host a double feature on Sunday January 27th. Attend one or both films. We ask that you reserve your seat(s) on our website. Admission is by donation.



Set over one summer, The Florida Project follows precocious 6-year-old Moonee as she courts mischief and adventure with her ragtag playmates and bonds with her rebellious but caring mother, all while living in the shadows of Disney World. Starring Willem Dafoe. Runtime is 112 minutes.

Screening of The Florida Project begins 12:30pm on Sunday January 27th.

Then at 3pm we will screen the documentary Human Flow.



“Over 65 million people around the world have been forced from their homes to escape famine, climate change and war in the greatest human displacement since World War II. Human Flow, an epic film journey led by the internationally renowned artist Ai Weiwei, gives a powerful visual expression to this massive human migration. The documentary elucidates both the staggering scale of the refugee crisis and its profoundly personal human impact. Captured over the course of an eventful year in 23 countries, the film follows a chain of urgent human stories that stretches across the globe in countries including Afghanistan, Bangladesh, France, Greece, Germany, Iraq, Israel, Italy, Kenya, Mexico, and Turkey. Human Flow is a witness to its subjects and their desperate search for safety, shelter and justice: from teen-ing refugee camps to perilous ocean crossings to barbed-wire borders; from dislocation and disillusionment to courage, endurance and adaptation; from the haunting lure of lives left behind to the unknown potential of the future.

Human Flow comes at a crucial time when tolerance, compassion and trust are needed more than ever. This visceral work of cinema is a testament to the unassailable human spirit and poses one of the questions that will define this century: Will our global society emerge from fear, isolation, and self-interest and choose a path of openness, freedom, and respect for humanity? “ *Quoted from the documentary’s website.*

If you have a suggestion for upcoming films, let us know and we’ll see if our licence covers the screenings.

Also...we’ve had great response to our Kitchen Party (Open Mic) suggestion as well as our Cook Book Club. Please stay tuned for details on these programs. We’re ironing out the details now. You can still register your interest for these new programs on our website.