

Temporary Hours at the Library

Monday - Saturday | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Library staff are onsite to answer your phone calls and to schedule curbside pick-up.

Holiday Hours

The library will be closed for Family Day on Monday, February 15, 2021.

Curbside Pickup Only—No In-Person Programs or Services

Available Monday to Saturday, 11 a.m. — 3 p.m.

The library is now offering contactless curbside pick-up for our library patrons. It's as easy as 1-2-3!

Place your order. Don't know what to borrow? We can make suggestions!

Contact us at 905-834-6512, by email at library@portcolborne.ca or online at www.portcolbornelibrary.org

Staff will contact you when your items are ready.

Pick up your library materials: Monday to Saturday between 11 a.m.—3 p.m.

No appointment necessary.

Please note the following:

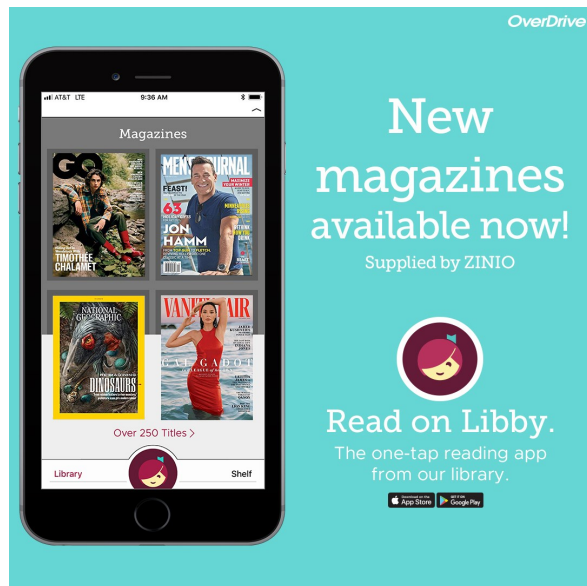
- The book drop is open 24/7 to return your books and library materials
- All returns will be quarantined for 96 hours. Fines will be waived on late items.
- If you need help, please call or email us and we will respond to your questions as soon as possible. Stay safe! We will see you soon.

Computer Services & Printing

WiFi is available 24/7.

Need something printed? We can help! Contact us at: library@portcolborne.ca or 905-834-6512 for curbside pickup.

For more information visit: www.portcolbornelibrary.org



I READ CANADIAN DAY

Wednesday, February 17, 2021

We challenge your family to "Read Canadian" for 15 minutes on February 17 and to share your experience with us on social media. Tag us in your post and use the hashtag #IReadCanadian

Watch for other fun, Canadian-themed activities on our social media accounts throughout the month!



FREEDOM TO READ WEEK

February 21 to 27, 2021

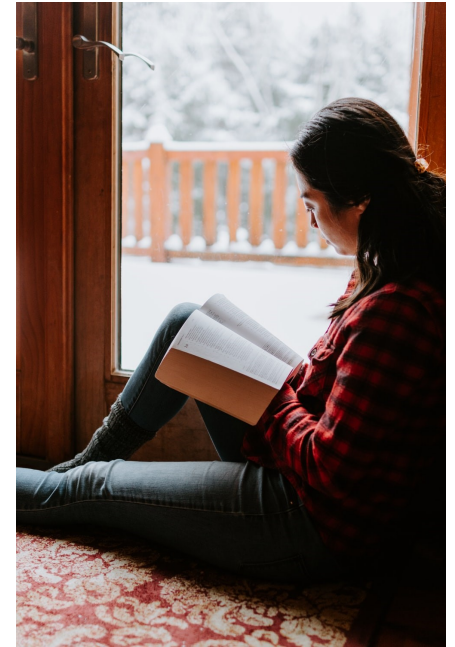
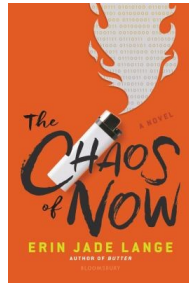
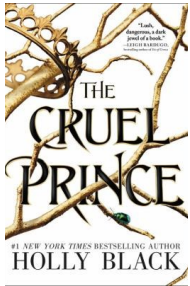
Freedom to Read Week is an annual event that encourages Canadians to think about and reaffirm their commitment to intellectual freedom, guaranteed under The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms. Celebrate your freedom to read by enjoying a frequently challenged or banned book! Order a banned book through our curbside pickup: 905-834-6512 or read an e-book using the Overdrive or Libby App!

Teen Community Service Hours

Teens! Do you want to earn [community service hours](#) from the comfort of your home? We are looking for guest reviewers to read books and write reviews for our website and social media accounts. Each approved book review will earn you five hours of community service!

For more information on how to register, please email: library@portcolborne.ca

Suggested Winter Book Review Titles



TAKE & MAKE FAMILY CRAFTS

Every week, your family can order a free kit to make an amazing craft. All craft kits have been quarantined for 4 days and were packed by staff wearing gloves.

- Jan. 29 - Penguin Puppets (Ages 4 – 8)
- Feb. 5 - Paper Quill Hearts (Ages 9 and up)
- Feb. 12 - Valentine Tic Tac Toe (Ages 4 – 8)
- Feb. 19 - Upcycled Magazine Beads (Ages 9 and up)
- Feb. 26 – Love Hedgehog (Ages 4 – 8)



NEW RECOMMENDATIONS ON KIDS' BOOKS BY KIDS

(For children 12 and younger)

Read any good books lately? We are looking for book recommendations written for kids for by kids!

1. Check out a library book
2. Read & enjoy!
3. Write down your name, age, the title of the book, the reason why you liked it, and how many stars you would give this book out of five. You can include a drawing or photograph!
4. Email us your book recommendations here: library@portcolborne.ca



Submissions will be featured on our website, social media accounts and newsletter:

Call to book your kit: 905-834-6512. Available while supplies last!