

Join the Club!



June 2

Short Story Contest Launch

Young writers of Ajax are invited to submit their works based on the TD Summer Reading Club theme: **Dive In!**

June 13

Registration Opens

Visit any branch to join the TD Summer Reading Club and get your free kit!

July 2

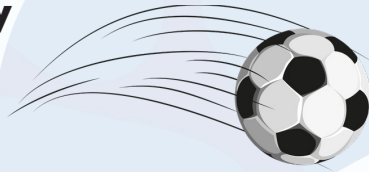
Book Reporting Starts

Track and report your reading! Report your time spent reading at any branch. Receive points for every 120 minutes that you read. You could win a prize in one of our draws! Last day to report is Saturday, August 22.

TD SRC Specials for Kids & Families!

FIFA 2026 Watch Party

Friday, June 12
2–7 p.m.
Ajax Fairgrounds



Look for the Library at the Town of Ajax FIFA watch party, where we will share fun game-day activities!

TD SRC Kickoff: Get Your Summer Read On!

Saturday, June 13
10 a.m.–12 noon
Audley & McLean Branch

2:30–4:30 p.m.
Main Branch



Dive in for a summer of reading fun at our TD Summer Reading Club kickoff event. It's just the beginning of a summer full of activities, games, crafts, and of course some great books!

TD SRC Kickoff Craft & Movie: The Super Mario Galaxy Movie

Friday, June 26
1:30–4 p.m.
Grandview Kids

After defeating Bowser and saving Brooklyn, Mario faces Wario and Bowser Jr.'s evil alliance. Now, alongside his friends and Yoshi, he must stop their plans for world domination. Rated PG.

TD SRC StoryWalk

June 13–August 22

Look for us in your nearest park with the Book Bike, our Audley Branch Reading Garden, or the Grandview Kids Story Trail to take a stroll along our StoryWalk, where you can enjoy reading “Colette: The Solitary Bee” outside as you walk from one page to the next!

TD SRC Specials for Tweens & Teens!

Teen Summer Reading Club

July 2–August 28

Calling all teen readers! Sign up for the Teen Summer Reading Club! Once you're signed up, stop in to pick up a Trope Bookmark (or two or three!) to fill out as you read your way through the summer with any book(s) of your choosing.

*Teen Summer Reading Club: Exclusive Wrap-up Party

Wednesday, August 26
2:30–4:30 p.m.
Main Branch



Registration for the Teen Summer Reading Club or Teen Writing Contest required.

Storytimes (July 5–August 15)

STEAM Storytime	STEAM Storytime	Books for Babies	Books for Babies
Mondays 10–11 a.m.	Tuesdays 10–11 a.m.	Wednesdays 10–11 a.m.	Thursdays 1–2 p.m.
McLean Branch	Audley Branch	Main Branch	Audley Branch

Please note: there are no Storytimes on Monday, August 3.

L'heure du Conte: French Family Storytime

Mondays, June 29 and August 24

6:30–7:30 p.m.

Main Branch

Practice your French while enjoying songs and stories en français with your family!

Pratiquez votre français en appréciant des chansons et histoires en français avec votre famille!

Summer Drop-in Days (July 2–August 22)

Mondays 1:30–3 p.m. (no session August 3)	Tuesdays July 7 and August 4 1:30–3 p.m.	Wednesdays 10–11:30 a.m.	Fridays 4:30–6 p.m.
Main Branch	Grandview Kids	Audley Branch	McLean Branch

LEGO!

Saturdays, June 13, 27; July 11, 25;
August 8, 22

10 a.m.–12 noon

McLean Branch

Sundays, June 28–September 6

12 noon–2 p.m.

Audley Branch

*Scientists in School

Tuesdays, June 30; July 14, 28; August 4, 18
1–2 p.m.

All Branches

Each session is being held at a different branch with a different theme! For locations, themes, and to register, visit ajaxlibrary.ca/TDSRC2026.

Pizza Garden

Thursdays, July 2–August 20
10–11 a.m.

Ages 6–12 | Audley Branch

*Registration required for the August 20 pizza party



Join us for gardening, fun stories, and more as we watch our pizza garden grow—then, at the end of the summer, we'll harvest the plants and have a pizza party!

*French Reading Buddies




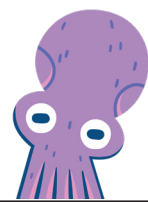














Mondays, July 6–August 17
(no session August 3)

6:30–7:30 p.m.

Main Branch



Children in Grades 1–6 can improve their reading skills en français by practicing reading and speaking at this weekly session led by high school reading buddies!

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
JULY			1 Closed	2	3	4
5 	6	7	8	9 Sunken Treasure Hunt 6 p.m. 	10 *Family D&D 4 p.m. 	11 
12	13	14	15	16 *Reptilia Stage Show 9:50 a.m.  Reptilia Meet & Greet 11 a.m.  Splash and Scribble Water Crafts 6 p.m. 	17	18
19 	20	21 Sensory Story Trail 1 p.m.  *Ontario Tech Coding Workshop 2 p.m. 	22	23 Crafter Special: Dive In! 6 p.m. 	24 Friday Craft & Movie: Zootopia 9:30 a.m.  Friday Craft & Movie: Zootopia 1:30 p.m. 	25 Gamers' Club 2 p.m. 
26	27	28 *Ontario Tech STEM Workshop 2 p.m. 	29	30 Make a Mess! 6 p.m.  *Global Dance Party with the Travelling Stage 1 p.m. 	31	



= **Audley Branch**



= **McLean Branch**
























= **Main Branch**



= **Grandview Kids**



= **Summer Drop-in Days!**
For times and locations,
see page 2.

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
AUGUST						1
2	3 Closed	4	5 	6 *Reptilia Stage Show 1 p.m.  Reptilia Meet & Greet 2:10 p.m.  Teddy Bears Under the Stars  6 p.m.	7	8 *Family D&D 10 a.m. 
9	10	11 *Ontario Tech Coding Workshop 2 p.m. 	12 *Black Girls Empowerment STEM Club 5:30 p.m. 	13 *Black Youth Empowerment STEM Club 5:30 p.m.  Sidewalk Painting  6 p.m.	14	15 
16	17 	18 Sensory Story Trail 1 p.m.  *Ontario Tech STEM Workshop 2 p.m.  Black Girls Empowerment STEM Club 5:30 p.m. 	19	20 *Black Youth Empowerment STEM Club 5:30 p.m.  Short Story Contest Reception 6:30 p.m. 	21 Friday Craft & Movie:  Zootopia 2 9:30 a.m. Friday Craft & Movie:  Zootopia 2 1:30 p.m.	22
23	24	25	26 	27	28 Back to School Escape Room 2:30 p.m. 	29 
30	31	<p>Sign up for our eNewsletters to be in-the-know on all things TD Summer Reading Club and more Library programming!</p> <p>Visit ajaxlibrary.ca/enewsletter to sign up now!</p> <p>* = Registration Required</p>				

Summer in the Makerspace!

Dates	*Hands On Learning 9:30–10:30 a.m.: Ages 4–7 10:30–11:30 a.m.: Ages 8–12	Makerspace Drop-ins 12 noon–5 p.m. Daily
July 2–4	*Fabric Bookmarks	Sewing
July 5–11	*Felt Monsters	Music
July 12–18	*Drawstring Bags	Cross Stitching
July 19–25	*Lip Balm Cozy	Sublimated Bags
July 26–August 1	*Embroidery	Circuitry
August 2–8	*Stitching	Robots
August 9–15	*Summer Beats	Ink
August 16–22	*Painted 3D Models	Graphic Design

Be on the lookout for the Makerspace this summer, they might be invading the other branches with different themed activities!

*Teen Tinker Tank: Letting It Roll

Wednesday, July 8

7–8 p.m.

Makerspace @ McLean Branch

Ages 13–19

Take your games with you this summer! We'll show you how to sew your own portable, foldable dice tray!

*Teen Tinker Tank: Canva

Wednesday, August 12

7–8 p.m.

Makerspace @ McLean Branch

Ages 13–19

Have you heard of Canva, but aren't sure how to use it? Register to find out how versatile this software can be and what it can do for you. And, make some stickers!



* = Registration Required

For complete program descriptions and to register, visit ajaxlibrary.ca/Events.

Teens & Tweens

TAC Presents:

Cookies and Cards

Saturday, June 27

2:30–4:30 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Main Branch

Celebrate the end of school with card games and cookie decorating (and, most importantly, cookie eating).

Teen Book Club

Thursdays, July 2–August 27

2:30–4 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Audley Branch

Come talk about books over snacks and drinks at our summer book club! Our book club theme this summer is sci-fi, so choose any book (or books!) within that genre!

***Tween Tech: Recording Rockstars**

Wednesdays, July 8, 22; August 5, 19

5–6 p.m.

Ages 10–14 | Makerspace @ McLean Branch

Have you ever wondered how a hit song gets made? Learn the basics of audio recording, including vocal editing and combining your recordings with music, to make your own masterpiece!

Craft Club

Mondays, July 13–August 24

5–6 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Main Branch

Craft, create, snack, and unwind at our weekly craft club! This easygoing club features fun crafts and chill vibes.

Canvas Painting

Wednesday, July 15

6:30–8:30 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Main Branch

Flex your art skills by trying your hand at canvas painting! We'll provide the supplies; you bring your creativity.

Teen Summer Movie: La La Land

Wednesday, July 29

5:30–8:30 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Main Branch

Do some crafting, eat some snacks, and we'll watch "La La Land" (and maybe sing along?).

Frozen Treats & Book Crafts

Friday, August 14

3–4:30 p.m.

Ages 13–19 | Audley Branch

During a hot summer, the only thing better than eating frozen treats is eating frozen treats AND making awesome book crafts. Cool off and make cool crafts with us!

Teen Summer Writing Contest

July 6–August 14

Ages 13–19

Do you have a story to tell? We are looking for short stories (500 words max) and poetry for our teen writing contest!

Submit your work to devon.ward@ajaxlibrary.ca and we will read your work, give you feedback, and—of course—invite you to the end-of-summer party where we will announce the winners, eat snacks, and enjoy connecting with a supportive group of fellow Library users.





Back to School Movie & Lunch: GOAT

Friday, September 4
9:30 a.m.–12 noon p.m.
Main Branch

Friday, September 4
1:30–4 p.m.
Grandview Kids

Celebrate the end of a summer of reading with a free halal pizza lunch and a movie showing of GOAT. Rated PG.



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