

Friday, February 7, 2025

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Saturday, February 8, 2025

Valentine Candy Making Party

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Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

Step back in time and experience the warmth and charm of an old-fashioned Valentine Candy Making Party. Enjoy time with your Valentine in this hands on workshop. Learn to make sweet treats like marshmallows, maple cream fudge, and participate in an old-fashioned taffy candy pull. Take home a box of your treats.

This is an adults only event. Bring a date, a friend, or make new friends at this fun hands on workshop.

Whether you're an aspiring cook, history enthusiast, or simply seeking a unique culinary experience, our workshop offers a sweet taste of the past.

Registration required.

Presenter: Carolyn Blackstock

[Register Now](#)

Information for Museum Members

Region of Waterloo Museums Member pricing: 10% off with code

Valentine's Day "Death By Chocolate" Tea by The Grand

Date and Time: Saturday, February 8 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S., Cambridge, ON

McDougall Cottage's mouth-watering "Death by Chocolate" Tea by the Grand makes its return, just in time for Valentine's Day!

Grab a special someone, or two, and head down to McDougall Cottage for an indulgent tea experience featuring one of the most beloved flavours of all time, chocolate.

We'll be serving decadent chocolate treats and drinks, alongside a couple of McDougall's ever-popular tea classics, like cucumber and cream-cheese sandwiches, and bottomless tea, of course.

If you and your valentine or pal-entine have a sweet tooth, this event is for you!

Reserve your spot today—because when it comes to chocolate, too much is never enough!

Note: Tickets are also available for in-person purchase at the Cottage during McDougall Cottage's hours of operation.

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Tickets are non-refundable.

[**Valentine's day Crafternoons**](#)

Date and Time: Saturday, February 8 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South, Kitchener, ON

Join us at Schneider Haus February 8th and 9th for our Valentine's day craftermoons! Enjoy crafts like paper heart ornament making, custom valentines cards with heart confetti, and join us in decorating Schneider Haus' favourite cookies, Sandhearts! Nothing is sweeter than a hand decorated cookie. These activities are included in the price of admission and take place during our open hours from 11 am to 4 pm.

Sunday, February 9, 2025

Valentine's day Crafternoons

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What the Health!?! A Health Information Fair

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Explore community health resources for everyone. Get your blood pressure checked. Learn about support groups, recreational opportunities, and special programs for people of all ages. Visit the exhibit Beyond the Bricks: 100 Years of Compassionate Care at St. Mary's General Hospital.

Health Fair Participants

- KW Alcoholics Anonymous
- Alzheimer Society Waterloo Wellington
- The Kidney Foundation of Canada
- SPECTRUM Waterloo Region's Rainbow Community Space
- Waterloo Cycling Club
- The Child and Adolescent Research and Education (CARE)And more!

Speakers Schedule

12 p.m. - Hear from Marion Martell from Women's Heart Health who will discuss her lived experience with heart health and focusing on heart health in women.

1 p.m. - Robin Smart from the Alzheimer Society Waterloo Wellington presents What You Need To Know About Dementia.

3 p.m. - Jason Cairns presents from KW Alcoholics Anonymous

Valentine's Savoury Bread Workshop

Date and Time: Sunday, February 9 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

This year treat your valentine to a savory, heart-shaped bread. Dive into our hands-on bread making workshop. Made with fresh yeast and delicious cheeses (and optional bacon), this bread is sure to tantalize your true loves taste buds. Bread will be baked in the Schneider Haus historic wood-fired oven for a one-of-a-kind baking experience!

This workshop is for ages 16 and up. Pre-registration required, no refunds.

Friday, February 14, 2025

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Saturday, February 15, 2025

Family Day Weekend Printmaking

Date and Time: Saturday, February 15 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

It's our birthday! Celebrate one amazing year of imagination and creativity in Schneider Haus' new Discovery/ Maker Space. Tinker, create, build, and play all weekend long! What's a birthday without a sweet treat? Decorate and enjoy a funfetti birthday cookie while you're here with us!

Get creative with the art of printmaking with Elysha (@worthmending, <https://worthmending.com>) and Courtney (@rosewoodstitches) from Kwartzlab! They are passionate about sharing their crafting skills with others while keeping the values up-cycling and creative reuse at the centre of their work.

In this session with Elysha and Courtney from 1 to 4pm visitors will design and print with their own unique stamps created from ordinary household materials.

Sunday, February 16, 2025

Family Day Weekend Printmaking

Date and Time: Sunday, February 16 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

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Explore textures and colours with @s.u.s.h.a! Guests of all ages can use a selection of wooden block stamps to create their own original designs. Artist Susha Suresh Kumar is a textile artist specializing in print, embroidery, and paper design. Join her in our Maker Space from 1 to 4 pm.

Monday, February 17, 2025

Family Day Tea by the Grand

Date and Time: Monday, February 17 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S., Cambridge, ON

Start A New Family Day Tradition: Tea by the Grand at McDougall Cottage

“Family” is a delightful word because it can mean whatever you want it to mean. Families come in all shapes and sizes and traditional, or not, all are equally wonderful because “Family is what you make it”.

On Monday, February 17 McDougall Cottage invites you to gather your loved ones—family by birth or family by choice—for a heartwarming Family Day Tea by the Grand at McDougall Cottage!

Indulge in one of our delightful classic teas featuring favourites like cucumber and cream cheese tea sandwiches, ham and cheese pinwheels, buttery scones with preserves and whipped cream, melt-in-your-mouth shortbread and hot chocolate, or bottomless tea.

Nestled in the charm of our 165-year-old stone cottage, it's the perfect setting to sip, savour and share stories with those who matter most and it's sure to become a tradition for you and those special people you call “Family”.

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Magical Performance and Family Day Fair!

Date and Time: Monday, February 17 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

It's a day of magic and fun at the Ken Seiling Waterloo Region Museum with local magician Scott Boyd! Scott will bring his incredible talent and charm to our grand theatre in an all ages performance that will amaze you!

Other festivities include:

- Fun fair games, wiggle car track, confections and gallery exploration.
- A special beaver tail treat will be included for the **first 100 tickets**.
- Yog N' Shake will be on site for all your smoothie needs! (not included in ticket price)

We can't wait to spend this magically fun day with you and your families.

See you soon!

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Family Day Discovery Space Birthday Party

Date and Time: Monday, February 17 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

Celebrate the 1st birthday of our Discovery Space with us! Tinker, create, build, and play this Family Day! Speci

al guest makers will be onsite to guide families in tinkering and making activities. What's a birthday without a sweet treat? Decorate and enjoy a funfetti birthday cookie while you're here with us!

Make a Cozy Critter ornament with Agnes from Mindful Makers! Families are invited to drop-in to this hands on make & take station to create a yarn wrapped craft that is suitable for all ages with Agnes from 1 to 4 pm.

Also enjoy live music with [Tea for Three](#) -- Paul Morris, Gwen Potter & Brad McEwen from 1 to 3pm. The repertoire is traditional folk music.

For family day only, receive a free family pass with paid admission (one per family) to visit us again with your chosen family!

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Saturday, February 22, 2025

Growing Seedlings Indoors Workshop

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Grow your own healthy seedlings indoors, even if you don't have a greenhouse! Learn about seed germination, seed storage, soil, watering, lighting, and tricks for keeping seedlings healthy and compact. Participants will plant and take home a tray of heritage seeds/seedlings for their own garden.

\$25.00 per person plus HST and Eventbrite fee. Member's discount applies. Capacity limited. Pre-registration required.

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Gardening Series: Growing Seedlings Indoors Workshop

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Presenter: Bob Wildfong, Heritage Gardener

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