

## Thursday, April 3, 2025

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### Local History Research

Date and Time: Thursday, April 3 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre (62 Temperance St., Bowmanville)

**Clarington Library, Museums & Archives**  
**Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre**  
**Thursdays; April 3, May 1**  
**6:30-7:30pm**

**Adults | Drop in**

Discover your local heritage with guided assistance from experienced researchers.

- **Property Records:** April 3
- **Genealogy:** May 1

## Friday, April 4, 2025

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### Paint a Pot, Plant a Seed

Date and Time: Friday, April 4 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Orono Library (127 Church St, Orono)

**Clarington Library, Museums & Archives**  
**Orono Library**  
**Friday, April 4**  
**10:30-11:30am**

**All ages | Drop in**

Welcome the season and decorate a pot to watch your new plant bloom!

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**Friday, April 4**  
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## Comedy Nuggets presents Comedy Night in Bowmanville

Date and Time: Friday, April 4 8:30 pm - 9:45 pm

Address: 2383 Durham Regional Hwy 2

Comedy Nuggets & Volt Raceway brings club pros on Friday nights right to YOU out here in the ‘burbs! Kick off your weekend with an epic night of comedy!

On Friday, April 4, at 8:30 PM, we’re bringing a must-see comedy show to Volt Raceway in Bowmanville. Zabrina Douglas headlines.

Zabrina Douglas, a stand-up comedian and registered nurse from Brampton, has been making audiences laugh for over 14 years. She has performed alongside renowned comedians like Gilbert Gottfried and Luenell and made her Just for Laughs Montreal debut with a Gala performance. In 2020, she gained wider recognition as the headliner of Laughter from the Frontlines, a virtual comedy show featuring healthcare workers. She also created Things Black Girls Say, a live show at Toronto’s Comedy Bar, which she later turned into a comedy album. Her album Things Black Girls Say was nominated for Comedy Album of the Year at the 2023 Juno Awards. A mother of five, Douglas blends her experiences in healthcare, motherhood, and Black Canadian culture into her sharp and relatable comedy.

This is a live comedy show — nothing is censored, and nothing is off-limits! The comedians say what they want, and if that ruffles your feathers, well... that’s on you. If you’re easily offended, might be best to stay home and yell at your TV instead—otherwise, buckle up and enjoy the ride!

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This event is 19+ and all guests will need valid ID to enter.

## Sunday, April 6, 2025

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### Eid Celebration: Eid al-Fitr

Date and Time: Sunday, April 6 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Newcastle Library (150 King Ave. E.)

**Clarington Library, Museums & Archives**  
**Newcastle Library**  
**Sunday, April 6**  
**1-2:30pm**

**All ages | Drop in**

Celebrate and learn about Eid! Presented in partnership with the Al-Ikram Foundation.

## Passover Storytime

Date and Time: Sunday, April 6 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Clarington Library, Museums & Archives**  
**Bowmanville Library**  
**Sunday, April 6**  
**2-3pm**

**All ages | Drop in**

Enjoy a Passover storytime with holiday crafts and fun. Presented with Chabad Jewish Centre of Durham Region.

## Wednesday, April 9, 2025

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### DIY Workshop: Wind Chime

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 9 6:00 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: CLMA, Newcastle Library (150 King Ave. E.)

**Newcastle Library**  
**Wednesday, April 9**  
**6-7:15pm**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

**\$7+tax**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Refunds are subject to a non-refundable Eventbrite processing fee. Caregivers and support staff for people with disabilities are admitted free of charge.

Add music to your garden with a simple, whimsical DIY wind chime made out of small pots! All materials provided.

# Friday, April 11, 2025

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## Dino Tales!

Date and Time: Friday, April 11 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Bowmanville Library**

**Friday, April 11**

**2:30-3:30pm**

**All ages | Drop in**

ROAR! Stomp like a T-Rex to this special storytime! Explore the world of dinosaurs and paleontology with scary tales and hands-on activities.

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On Friday, April 11, at 8:30 PM, we're bringing a must-see comedy show to Volt Raceway in Bowmanville. Jean Paul headlines.

Jean Paul's comedy fuses Caribbean cool with Toronto's high-energy humor, making him a standout on stages worldwide. He has performed at Just For Laughs, JFL42, and the Halifax and Winnipeg Comedy Festivals, as well as iconic venues like the Apollo and London's Comedy Store. His writing and on-screen talents have earned him Gemini and Tim Sims Award nominations, along with appearances on CBC, CTV Comedy, and Kevin Hart's LOL Network. As a regular correspondent for Breakfast Television, he brings sharp comedic insights to a national audience. Jean has also showcased his acting chops in films like Home Again and A Universal Language. Whether on stage, screen, or TV, his fearless and unpredictable style keeps audiences hooked.

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## Saturday, April 12, 2025

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### Hop to It! Easter Storytime

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: CLMA, Courtice Library (2950 Courtice Rd.)

**Courtice Library**  
**Saturday, April 12**  
**10:30-11:15am**

**All ages | Drop in**

Get ready for some hippity-hop family fun and enjoy a visit with the Easter Bunny!

## Tuesday, April 15, 2025

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### Your Child's Oral Health

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 15 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Bowmanville Library**  
**Tuesday, April 15**  
**11-11:30am**

**All ages | Drop in**

Learn more about your child's oral health and the role it plays in speech development, eating habits, and social skills.

Presented by Karen Johnston, Oral Health Division, Durham Region.

### Learn to Crochet for Kids

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 15 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: CLMA, Courtice Library (2950 Courtice Rd.)

**Courtice Library**  
**Tuesdays, April 15 to May 6**

**4-5pm**

**Grades 3-6 | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

**\$45+tax**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Refunds are subject to a non-refundable Eventbrite processing fee. Caregivers and support staff for people with disabilities are admitted free of charge.

Make classic granny squares using chain stitches and double crochets in this four-week class. Hook, yarn, child-friendly scissors, and a plastic tapestry needle are provided.

Presented by Gwen Bevan.

## **Wednesday, April 16, 2025**

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### **Gardening Workshop: Ideas for New Subdivisions**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 16 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Newcastle Library (150 King Ave. E.)

**Newcastle Library**

**Wednesday, April 16**

**10:30-11:30am**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

Soil, sunlight, space—the three S's that spell success when gardening in a new subdivision! Learn the steps to a beautiful yard with a handy checklist.

Presented with the Newcastle Gardening Club.

### **An Evening of Mystery with Robert Rotenberg**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 16 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Bowmanville Library**

**Wednesday, April 16**

**6:30-7:45pm**

**Adults | Drop in**

Enjoy an evening of mystery with criminal defense lawyer and best-selling author Robert Rotenberg, as he speaks with communications expert and author Lloyd Rang about *One Minute More*, an enthralling action thriller following one of Toronto's favourite detectives.

Bestselling author and criminal lawyer Robert Rotenberg discusses the heart-pounding prequel in his detective Ari Greene series. Set in 1988--a mere 100 hours before world leaders gather for the G7 summit--*One Minute More* follows young police officer Ari Greene on his first-ever case: a border-crossing chase of a would-be assassin about to cross into Canada to kill the heads of the seven most powerful countries in the world.

## Thursday, April 17, 2025

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### Waverley Place Tours

Date and Time: Thursday, April 17 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre (62 Temperance St., Bowmanville)

#### Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre

Thursdays; April 17, May 15, June 19

6:30pm

All ages | Registered -- [register now!](#)

Join us for tours of Waverley Place, a historic home furnished and exhibited to depict the Edwardian period (1900-1930s) and lifestyle of a wealthy merchant family in this area.

Tours depart promptly from the Heritage Centre.

## Friday, April 18, 2025

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### Comedy Nuggets presents Comedy Night in Bowmanville

Date and Time: Friday, April 18 8:30 pm - 9:45 pm

Address: 2383 Durham Regional Hwy 2

Comedy Nuggets & Volt Raceway brings club pros on Friday nights right to YOU out here in the 'burbs! Kick off your weekend with an epic night of comedy!

On Friday, April 18, at 8:30 PM, we're bringing a must-see comedy show to Volt Raceway in Bowmanville. Craig Fay headlines.

Craig Fay is a stand-up comedian whose clever, insightful comedy has been praised for its originality and sharp execution. He has performed at Just For Laughs, the Winnipeg Comedy Festival, and appeared on CBC's Laugh Out Loud. His debut album *Helicopter Rich* was praised as "observational and self-reflective" (Exclaim). Craig is also the co-host of *The Villain Was Right* podcast, which won multiple Canadian Podcast Awards. A nominee for the Tim Sims Encouragement Fund and Toronto.com's Funniest Torontonians, he continues to impress onsta

ge and online.

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## **Saturday, April 19, 2025**

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### **LEGO Blast**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 19 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Newcastle Library (150 King Ave. E.)

**Newcastle Library**  
**Saturday, April 19**  
**10:30-11:30am**

**Grades JK-6 | Drop in**

Build, explore, create and put your LEGO skills to the test! Choose a challenge card or create your own master piece!

### **OPG's Darlington New Nuclear Project Free Family Swim**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 19 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 2950 Courtice Rd, Courtice, ON L1E 2H8

Come out and have some long weekend fun at the Courtice Community Complex on Saturday, April 19 for a free family swim, courtesy of OPG's Darlington New Nuclear Project. Meet with members of the project team and learn a little bit more about how OPG is leading the way in the advancement of Small Modular Reactor (SMR) technology in Canada – the future of nuclear power generation

## **Tuesday, April 22, 2025**

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### **Celebrate Earth Day: Storytime**

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 22 10:30 am - 11:15 am



Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Bowmanville Library**

**Tuesday, April 22**

**10:30-11:15am**

**All ages | Drop in**

Delight in the wonders of our planet and learn more about how you can help our environment!

## **Celebrate Earth Day: Waverley Place Family Tour**

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 22 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre (62 Temperance St., Bowmanville)

**Sarah Jane Williams Heritage Centre**

**Tuesday, April 22**

**1:30-3:30pm**

**All ages | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

Take a guided tour of the Waverley Place historic home and enjoy Earth Day activities for the whole family.

## **Wednesday, April 23, 2025**

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### **Gardening Workshop: Best Trees, Shrubs and Perennials**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Newcastle Library (150 King Ave. E.)

**Newcastle Library**

**Wednesday, April 23**

**10:30-11:30am**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

What are the best trees, shrubs and perennials for your garden? Learn some of the best options for sunny and shady gardens, complete with a garden-centre shopping list.

Presented with the Newcastle Gardening Club.

## **Your Child's Oral Health**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: CLMA, Courtice Library (2950 Courtice Rd.)

**Courtice Library**  
**Wednesday, April 23**  
**11-11:30am**

**All ages | Drop in**

Learn more about your child's oral health and the role it plays in speech development, eating habits, and social skills.

Presented by Karen Johnston, Oral Health Division, Durham Region.

## **Teen DIY Jewellery Workshop**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 6:00 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: CLMA, Courtice Library (2950 Courtice Rd.)

**Courtice Library**  
**Wednesday, April 23**  
**6-7:15pm**

**Grades 7-12 | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

**\$6+tax**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Refunds are subject to a non-refundable Eventbrite processing fee. Caregivers and support staff for people with disabilities are admitted free of charge.

Explore your creative side in this hands-on workshop and craft unique pieces of wearable art.

## **LEGO and Lagers**

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Chronicle Brewing (422 Lake Rd., Bowmanville)

**Chronicle Brewing (422 Lake Rd, Bowmanville)**  
**Wednesdays, April 23, May 21, June 18**  
**6-7:30pm**

**Adults | Drop in**

Kick back and relax with a drink, some friends, and of course, LEGO! Drop by for a casual evening of socialization and construction.

Presented with Chronicle Brewing.

## Mortgage Renewals

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Clarington Library, Museums & Archives, Online

**Online via Microsoft Teams**

**Wednesday, April 23**

**6:30-7:30pm**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

Learn strategies to confidently navigate your mortgage renewal and secure the best option in this empowering webinar. Presented by Lora Behm, Mortgage Agent.

## Thursday, April 24, 2025

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### Effective Communication Workshop

Date and Time: Thursday, April 24 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Clarington Library, Museums & Archives, Online

**Online via Microsoft Teams**

**Thursday, April 24**

**2-3:30 pm**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

Strengthen and practice your core communication skills in an inclusive and non-judgmental space.

Presented with Social Service, IEHSD, Regional Municipality of Durham.

### Fairy Garden Evening

Date and Time: Thursday, April 24 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

**Bowmanville Library**

**Thursday, April 24**

**6:30-7:30pm**

**All ages | Drop in**

You're invited to an enchanted evening reading fairy stories and creating your own magic wand. Costumes welcome!

## Friday, April 25, 2025

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### Bethesda House's 20th Annual Dinner & Auction

Date and Time: Friday, April 25 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 20 King Avenue West, Newcastle

Join Bethesda House for the **20th Annual Dinner & Auction** on **Friday, April 25th at 6 PM** at the **Newcastle Community Hall** (20 King Avenue West, Newcastle). This extraordinary event will be filled with joy, laughter, and the powerful spirit of giving back, all in support of **Bethesda House**.

Every bid you place, every dollar you contribute, and every moment you share with us will directly help those affected by gender-based violence. This is your chance to make a lasting difference in the lives of survivors while enjoying an evening of camaraderie with friends and colleagues.

#### What's Included:

- A selection of **delectable hors d'oeuvres**
- A **buffet-style dinner** featuring a variety of mouthwatering options
- A **fresh salad bar** to complement your meal
- A **tempting dessert table** for the sweet tooth in all of us
- **Live musical entertainment** to set the mood
- A captivating **guest speaker** who will inspire you with their powerful story

Additionally, there will be a **cash bar** and a chance to bid on **amazing items and unique experiences** in our silent auction. The **online bidding opens on April 4th**, giving you an exclusive opportunity to start your bidding early!

#### Why Your Support Matters:

By attending this event or participating in the online auction, you're playing a key role in supporting survivors of gender-based violence. Your contributions will allow us to:

- **Prevent future violence** by funding educational programs that raise awareness and promote community outreach.
- **Provide critical support** through shelter, counseling, and essential services that help survivors rebuild their lives and regain their independence.

Together, we can create a **safer, stronger community** where everyone has the chance to heal and thrive.

**Mark your calendar** for a night that's not only fun but meaningful—a night that will make a real difference. Your presence and generosity will help provide hope and healing to those who need it most.

**To buy tickets, purchase a table, and bid on amazing items and experiences:** <https://trellis.org/20th-annu>

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Address: 2383 Durham Regional Hwy 2

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On Friday, April 25, at 8:30 PM, we're bringing a must-see comedy show to Volt Raceway in Bowmanville. Crystal Ferrier headlines.

Crystal has performed all over the world from Canada, to New York, to India. The only Indian woman who has headlined Kenny Robinson's Nubian Disciples of Pryor, and opened for Russell Peters, her talent and work ethic is unmatched. See her on Kevin Hart's LOL network or CTV's Roast Battle Canada. This actress, comedian, writer and producer is also a proud mother of two. Crystal's real-life, raw comedic personality is unforgettable and will captivate anyone who falls in her company.

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## Saturday, April 26, 2025

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### 5th Annual Great Lakes Watershed Cleanup

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Various locations

Let's come together to roll up our sleeves and take action to create a cleaner community!

Saturday, April 26 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Three cleanup locations:

- Bowmanville Creek Fish Ladder (Roenigk Drive and King Avenue)
- Bowmanville Creek South parking lot (Spry and Baseline Road)
- Visual Arts Centre (143 Simpson Avenue)

In partnership with Starbucks, Bowmanville Rotary Club and Starapples

## Owasco RV: Free Family Fun RV Springfest!

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 570 Rundle Rd, Bowmanville, ON L1E 0L4

Saturday, April 26th: **All Day Sales Specials** with **Giveaways**, plus Family Fun Events from 10 AM - 2 PM!

Family Fun Events on Saturday from 10 AM - 2 PM include:

- Charity Concession Stand (\$)
- Mini Golf Challenge (FREE!)
- Colouring Contest (FREE!)
- Jumping Castle (FREE!)
- Obstacle Course (FREE!)
- Shooting Stars Basketball (FREE!)
- Reptilia (FREE!)
- Custom Balloons (FREE!)
- Kids Characters (Get FREE pictures with them!)
- Popcorn (FREE!)
- KX96 (Live on location!)

**Plus, don't miss out on these crazy deals!!**

- **HUGE** Savings on our **ENTIRE** Inventory!
- **Parts Department Garage Sale!**
- Book Your Summer RV Rental!

**If raining, all activities will be moved indoors!**

Don't miss this **fun-filled** and **deal-packed** event! See you there!

## Concert by Meredith Cutting

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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Love and Spring Are in the Air

"The Singing Policeman" Meredith Cutting in Concert

Saturday April 26th

7:00 p.m.

Newcastle United Church

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## Wednesday, April 30, 2025

## Financial Workshop: Estate Planning

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 30 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: CLMA, Bowmanville Library (163 Church St.)

### Estate Planning: Protecting Your Savings and Investments

**Bowmanville Library**

**Wednesday, April 30**

**6:30-7:30pm**

**Adults | Registered -- [register now!](#)**

Prepare for the future in this comprehensive workshop. Ensure your hard-earned savings and investments are protected and properly managed.

Participants will learn:

- How to create a solid estate plan that safeguards your savings and investments;
- Strategies to minimize taxes and avoid costly probate;
- The benefits of wills, trusts, and beneficiary designations;
- How estate planning can provide peace of mind for you and your family;
- Real-life examples of how estate planning impacts your financial legacy.

Presented with Jaituni Desai and Aamir Amla, FSRA Licensed Financial Professionals.

<https://calendars.clarington.net>