



## What's going on at The Library

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### Your Public Library Card: An Essential School Supply

Do you have children, or perhaps grandchildren, returning to school this fall? Remind them to stop by the library to pick up a very important school supply – their public library card. It's free, and unlike a Sesame Street lunchbox is guaranteed to be useful throughout their school career. In addition to providing access to books on almost any topic, your public library card also gives you virtual access to our e-resources. For students learning French, access Mango Languages from anywhere with an internet connection to practice in a conversational style. Find it at [peclibrary.org](http://peclibrary.org) and then click on **Find Stuff** and then online resources. Use your library card number & four-digit PIN to register for an account. If you need help or a demonstration we are happy to help – contact the tech help team at the Picton Branch at [techhelp@peclibrary.org](mailto:techhelp@peclibrary.org) or (613) 476-5962 to book your free appointment.

For older students, Kanopy might be a useful online service. It is a film streaming service specializing in thoughtful entertainment including documentaries and classic films. It is a great way to delve deeper into a topic of study. Teachers will be happy to know that all Kanopy films come with public performance rights, so they are available to be shared with classes. Kanopy is also accessed with library card & PIN. Some of the topics available include the Arts, Education, Global Studies and Science and Social Sciences. There are even some instructional Math and Science videos.

You can access most of the library's electronic resources from anywhere with an internet connection, and if you don't have internet access at home, we have both computers you can use as well as WIFI which is accessible 24 hours a day. Did you know you can borrow the internet from your library? We now have mobile internet devices you can borrow for a week at a time! Drop by any branch of the library for more information.

### Mark your calendar...

**Saturday, September 16** - The Friends of the Milford Branch Library will have a book & DVD sale at the Milford Fair with a special visit from Anne Preston of County Kids Read who will be giving books to children.

**Sunday, October 22** - The Friends of the Milford Branch Library present a talk about the history of the Ann Farwell Library with speaker Nancy Butler. More details to come!

**Please note that with Labour Day, come our fall hours – the Bloomfield and Milford Branches of the Library will be now closed on Fridays.**



To mark 19 years of dedicated service, Kathy Empringham received a nice retirement send off with the help of friends, patrons and Barbara Sweet, CEO of the PEC Library. Congratulations and many thanks for your contribution to the community.

### ST. PHILIP'S ANGLICAN CHURCH WOMEN

#### YARD & RUMMAGE SALE



SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH HALL

MILFORD

10:00a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

NO EARLY BIRDS PLEASE

