

Media Advisory

Media Advisory: Spring Break Starts at EPL Photo and video opportunities as kids play, create, explore

EDMONTON, AB, March 23, 2018 – From March 24-31, the Edmonton Public Library (EPL) is offering free programs and activities to encourage kids to play, create and explore during Spring Break.

Why?

Research proves keeping kids' minds sharp during vacation helps when they return to school, and has a measurable impact on mental acuity. Plus, it's tons of fun and a great way to spend time together!

What's New?

We have old favourites like Puppet Adventures and Art Attack, but will be welcoming <u>special guests</u> Charged Particles and Phileas Flash as well! A <u>full list of programs</u> is available on our website.

One Book, One Break, Many Adventures!

Building on the success of previous years, our <u>One Book program</u> is back! This means kids can read the adventurous tale of *Bera the One-Headed Troll* by Eric Orchard, then participate in activities in-branch such as a digital scavenger hunt using iPads and a cool augmented reality app.

Spring Break Details:

When: Saturday, March 24 through Saturday, March 31, 2018

Time: Various times

Where: Various library locations

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About the Edmonton Public Library

The Edmonton Public Library (EPL) is proud to be 2014 Library of the Year! We've come a long way since 1913 when books were all you could find on our shelves... and we're just getting started! Today, EPL carries everything you care about. We are Edmonton's largest lender of all manner of information and entertainment. Our professionally trained staff take you beyond Google with the knowledge, discernment and desire to help



you navigate a universe of information. The second most visited place in Edmonton, every year EPL hosts over 16.9 million in-branch and online visits across our 20 branches and website. We deliver our incredible content to you everywhere – in the library, at home or on your handheld device. Unmatched access and unrivalled value – that is today's EPL. EPL is a registered charity and relies on donations to enhance services. Spread the words. www.epl.ca/give

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