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## Join us for **CANADA DAY** **TUESDAY, JULY 1/25**

### CLARKSBURG

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST** 8:30-10:30am

Royal Canadian Legion

Adults \$12; Children under 12 \$6

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**FACE PAINTING** 9-11am

**SCAVENGER HUNT** 9-1pm

reDiscovered Antiques, 179 Marsh

**CANADIAN I SPY** 9-1pm

BREADxCircus Studio, 183 Marsh

**MUSIC** with Bored Of Education 10-11am

**PARADE** 11:00am

Leaves Clarksburg to Thornbury

**MUSIC** by Regal Jazz Band 11am-1pm

**BBQ** noon-5 **MUSIC** 1-4pm

Marsh Street Centre, Elbows Up

Best of Canadian Music

### THORNBURY

**FACE PAINTING** 11am-2pm

Cranky Bear Café, 45 Bruce St S

**MUSIC** by Strange Potatoes 11:30-1:30pm

Bruce Street parkette

**BBQ** 11am-2pm by Bruce Wine Bar, parkette

**PARADE ARRIVES** 11:15am

**BIRTHDAY CAKE** Noon

### BLUE MOUNTAIN VILLAGE

12-5PM Stilt Walkers

12-6PM Big Block Fun Zone

2:30-3:30PM Birds of Prey Demonstration

3-3:45PM Groove Dancing with Tyler Boyle

4:45PM Beaver Tail Eating Contest

5-8PM Live Music: Miranda Journey

4:30-5:30PM Magic Show with Sawyer Bullock

7:30PM Live Music: The High Loves

8:45PM Live Music: James Blonde

10:15PM Fireworks Over the Mountain



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### THE BLUE PRINT OFFICIAL PLAN REVIEW

## Town of The Blue Mountains Council Passes By-law to Adopt Official Plan Amendment

The Town of The Blue Mountains is pleased to announce that during the Council Meeting on June 23, 2025, Council voted to enact By-law 2025-35, being a By-law to adopt a new Official Plan Amendment.

This milestone comes after several years of collaboration between Town staff, Council, and project consultants, who worked closely with members of the community in workshops, drop-in sessions, and open houses to shape policies that address key topics regarding development in the community. Most recently, Town staff have spent several months revising the final draft of the Official Plan document to adequately address concerns such as Affordable Housing, Height, Density, Parkland Dedication, the Georgian Trail and Tree Protection.

"The final version of this plan marks an exciting step towards shaping the next generation of development in the Town," said Shawn Postma, Manager of Community Planning. "Through thoughtful collaboration and public input, we have introduced meaningful improvements, particularly in areas like housing and environmental protection, while laying the groundwork for future updates. While there is still more work ahead, I am proud of our progress and grateful to everyone who contributed to this process."

### Next Steps

With the enactment of By-law 2025-35, the Town Clerk may now submit the Official Plan Amendment to the County of Grey for final review and approval. This process is expected to take approximately 4 months. Once approved by the County, the Official Plan will serve as a critical document to guide all future land-use decisions in the Town, including residential, commercial and other forms of development.

For more information or to subscribe for project updates, please visit the project webpage or contact:

Shawn Postma, MCIP RPP  
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## DROP-IN BRIDGE

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St. George's Anglican Church,  
Clarksburg

## BID EUCHRE

Wednesday & Thursday,  
12:50-3:30pm

\$2 per day, Small Hall  
Beaver Valley Community  
Centre

Lessons Available -

Bev 705-507-0563 or

Dorothy 519-599-5044

## Joanne Hart publishes her first book

It's never too late to pursue your passions. Joanne Hart has always loved storytelling starting with the bedtime stories she told her sons when they were young. She loves fairy tales herself and enjoys creating fun characters that get kids excited. One particular story grew into a lengthy generational tale that needed to be put to paper. After drafting a manuscript, Joanne let it sit on the shelf for several years before finally realizing how important it was to her that her sons have this story to share with their own children. It was time to find a publisher for this first-time author and so **The Wicked Spells of Hagatha** came to fruition. This fantastical story bewitches the imagination challenges readers with riddles and demonstrates a valuable lesson. It's a young reader's book suitable for ages 7 to 11 available locally at Jessica's Book Nook in Thornbury, the Book Hive in Meaford as well as local Libraries in Meaford, Thornbury and Collingwood.

Pick up a copy and share it with your kids and grandkids.



## Weekly cleaning needed Fridays at cottage starting June 27th.

Bay Street E. Thornbury  
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\$ 25 p/h; Contact: Ruby

## Matt's Millennial Support Companion Services

Need help with errands and stuff?  
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**Call Matt 416-459-0178 or  
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## Update Regarding peopleCare Long-Term Care Home

The Town of The Blue Mountains would like to provide the public with an update regarding the partnership with peopleCare Communities to build a new long-term care (LTC) home in the Craigleith area on a section of the former Tee's Please property.

The press release issued by the Town on May 14, 2025, indicated that a report with details of the purchase and sale agreement would be presented at an open session of Council in June 2025. The Town would like to assure the public that the project is on track, but that additional time is required for site analysis to be completed before the report and agreement details are presented.

The importance of increasing access to LTC in the Town is a long-standing community priority that Council remains committed to. Details regarding the report will be posted on the Town website and project webpage.

As a reminder, after the land sale is finalized, peopleCare will submit a planning application and undertake the planning process, which includes amendments to the Official Plan and Zoning By-law, and opportunities for public engagement through open house meetings and a formal public meeting. Once these public processes are concluded, the home will be subject to Site Plan Control before a building permit is issued.

A project webpage, including an FAQ document, has been launched to provide transparency and information related to the project. For details, visit: [www.thebluemountains.ca/LTC](http://www.thebluemountains.ca/LTC)



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## Grey, Bruce and Dufferin Transit Project Secures Up To \$9.5 Million In Funding

Residents, businesses and visitors across Grey, Bruce and Dufferin counties can look forward to rural transit enhancements over the next five years. The three counties, in partnership with Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit (SMART), will receive up to \$9.5 million from the province through the Ontario Transit Investment Funding (OTIF) to develop a unified regional transit network.

"Access to affordable and reliable transportation is essential to the economic, social and environmental health of rural communities," says Grey County Warden Andrea Matrosov, on behalf of the partnership. "We're excited the province sees value in rural transit in our region and grateful for the significant investment that will help build a sustainable transit network across Grey, Bruce and Dufferin counties." No additional services will be added until a full study and costing has been completed and a vendor is selected. This is expected to happen no earlier than 2026.





Emergency Housing staff were recognized by Grey County Council on Thursday, June 26. L-R: Mark Seetahal, Josh Gibson, Rylee Vanderburgh-Gingras, Martina Williamson, Caitlin Currie, Warden Andrea Mastrosovs, Kiara Brunet, Cheryl Reid, Austin Russell, Anne Marie Shaw

## Grey County Recognizes a Year of Operating Short-Term Emergency Shelter

Grey County is proudly celebrating more than a year of directly operating the short-term emergency housing at 713 9th Avenue East in Owen Sound. In the first 12 months of operation, the service has supported over 375 households during periods of housing crisis. This represents 480 unique individuals, including families and more than 50 children under the age of 16.

Grey County has been working with local operators to offer motel-style emergency housing for several years. This type of housing provides a higher level of privacy and security than a conventional congregate shelter setting, making it a more compassionate option for individuals and families in crisis. By purchasing the former Diamond Motor Inn in Owen Sound, Grey County can deliver motel spaces at about half the previous cost, freeing up more funding to expand response during peak winter periods.

"Savings from the motel program have created critically needed capacity to expand our winter response," said Randy Scherzer, Grey County Chief Administrative Officer. "By funding overflow spaces and supporting Safe N Sound's out of the cold program, Grey County was able to offer up to 60 emergency housing spaces per night during the peak winter season."

The short-term emergency housing program is supported by a range of wraparound services on-site, helping individuals move beyond crisis toward stability. Over the past 12 months, these supports helped 176 households transition from Grey County's real-time homelessness list into longer-term permanent housing.

"Everyone deserves a safe place to call home," said Grey County Warden Andrea Matrosovs. "We know that providing stable, dignified housing is a critical first step for people experiencing homelessness. This site and the team behind it are making a tangible difference for individuals and families across our community who are facing some of their most difficult days."

The short-term emergency housing will continue to play a central role in Grey County's housing and homelessness response strategy, providing residents in need with support, compassionate care, and a path to permanent housing.

More information about the short-term emergency housing program and other Grey County housing services can be found online at [www.grey.ca/](http://www.grey.ca/) or by calling Grey County at 1-800-567-4739.

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## Ontario Investing \$2 Million to Protect Workers & Support Pearson Airport Expansion

The Ontario government is investing \$2 million through the Skills Development Fund (SDF) Training Stream to support the Pearson Works training project at Toronto Pearson International Airport. This investment will help recruit, train and upskill 450 workers for in-demand jobs in hospitality, ramp and baggage handling, safety and security, general labour and customer service, with direct connections to employers to support clear pathways to employment.

"Our government's \$2.5 billion investment in skills development is helping Ontario workers, including the hard-working employees at Toronto Pearson, stand up to the impact of tariffs and economic uncertainty," said Premier Doug Ford. "Our government is helping these workers get the training they need to succeed and support the airport's ongoing expansion."

There are more than 400 employers across the airport that need workers to remain competitive in the face of ongoing economic uncertainty. The need for workers at the airport is already increasing due to the growing demands of day-to-day airport operations and the airport's ambitious expansion plans.

Since its launch in 2021, Ontario's SDF has helped connect more than half a million jobseekers with better training for better jobs with bigger paycheques. As announced in the 2025 Budget: A Plan to Protect Ontario, the Ontario government is investing nearly \$1 billion more in funding over the next three years through the SDF to support major industries and sectors while training the workers needed to build and strengthen Ontario's economy. This investment brings Ontario's total SDF investment to \$2.5 billion.

### Quick Facts

- The investment brings Ontario's total investment in Peel region training projects through the Skills Development Fund to almost \$37 million, which includes almost \$16 million from Round 5 funding.
- So far, the Skills Development Fund Training Stream has supported over 1,000 training projects across the province and aimed to help over 700,000 people.
- People interested in participating in Pearson Works can register for an information session where they can learn about the program and how to enroll.
- The Skills Development Fund Training Stream is supported through labour market transfer agreements between the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario.



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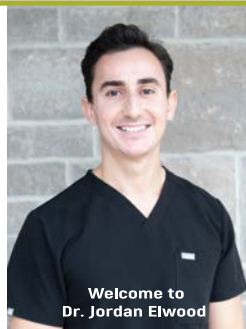
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- 1938 US federal minimum wage law guarantees workers 25 cents per hour (rising to 40 cents by 1945) and a maximum 44 hour working week
- 1950 North Korea invades South Korea, beginning the Korean War
- 1953 86°F in Anchorage, Alaska
- 1953 First passenger to fly commercially around the world in less than 100 hours
- 1964 WMCA radio in NYC plays The Beatles' "A Hard Days Night" album 10 days prior to its scheduled release date; record company moves release to June 26th
- 1966 The Beatles' single "Paperback Writer" goes #1 & stays #1 for 2 weeks
- 1967 First global satellite television program: "Our World" broadcast features 19 acts representing 19 nations including The Beatles singing "All You Need Is Love"
- 1977 Roy C. Sullivan of Virginia is struck by lightning for 7th time!
- 1978 First use of the rainbow flag, symbol of gay pride, made by Gilbert Baker at a march in San Francisco
- 1984 Warner Bros Records releases the sixth studio album by Prince, "Purple Rain"; his commercial peak, the film soundtrack album sells over 25 million copies, tops the charts in five countries, and wins two Grammy Awards and an Academy Award
- 1993 Kim Campbell becomes the 19th Prime Minister of Canada (although she would remain in office for less than five months)
- 2021 WHO head Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus confirms the COVID-19 Delta variant is the most transmissible to date, now present in 85 countries and spreading rapidly



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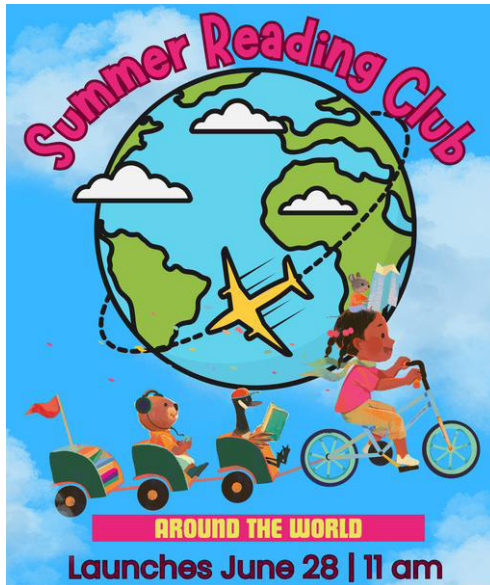
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Saturday July 5

2 - 4pm

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Thornbury

Hailing from Saugeen Ojibway Nation 29, Robert J Henry brings his latest exhibition, *Our Bundle, Our Medicine*, to The Gallery at L.E. Shore.

A bundle is something we gather over time—tools, that help us live in a good way and support us through life's more difficult moments. Robert once asked an Elder, "How do I start my bundle?" The Elder chuckled and replied, "You already carry your bundle: your brushes." After a devastating accident, a profound healing journey began to unfold for Robert. His brushes—his bundle—became an essential part of that process.

### About the Artist

Ojibway Artist Robert J Henry was born in 1979 in Collingwood, Ontario, Canada, and currently resides in Saugeen Ojibway Nation #29. His journey with acrylics started in 1995.

A self-taught artist, his inspiration comes from many First Nations artists and master artists of the past. He uses both traditional painting techniques and his own methods learned from trial and error. Robert is of the Bear clan. His spirit name is "Sagajiwageezhig." *Coming from the sun.*



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Shjaane Glover

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**Friday, July 4, 8pm** E.T. RHINO; ADAM WEBSTER  
The Corner, 5 Bruce St S, Thornbury

**Saturday July 5, 2pm** JAYDEN GRAHLMAN  
Thornbury Craft, 90 King St E, Thornbury

**Saturday July 5, 3pm** JESSE MURPHY  
Blue Mountain Village, 156 Jozo Weider Blvd.

**Saturday July 5, 8pm** CONOR GAINS  
Blue Mountain Village, 156 Jozo Weider Blvd.

**Sunday July 6, 11am** EMILY POWER & RICK FAIRBURN  
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**Sunday July 6, 2pm** COURTNEY BOWLES  
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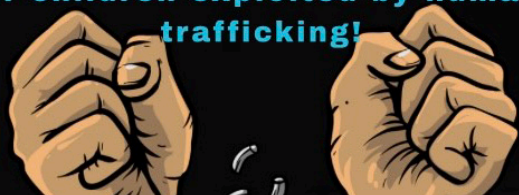
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## THE BLUE WATER JAZZ COLLECTIVE

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Sunday July 13<sup>th</sup> 1:30 pm

Marsh Patio: Beverages / Food Available

Entry by Donation; Min \$10

Details and Tickets: [www.marshstreetcentre.com](http://www.marshstreetcentre.com)  
187 Marsh Street, Clarksburg, ON N0H 1J0 (519)-599-7837



JULY 11 - 13

# COUNTRY FEST



## ELYSE SAUNDERS

• ROSEWOOD AVE • BUCKING BRONCOS •

• CAM GALLOWAY • JADE HILTON • DEAN JAMES •

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• NEW THIS YEAR: LIVE BAND KARAOKE FEATURING DEAN JAMES BAND •

PLUS URBAN COWBOY LINE DANCING LESSONS

[bluemountainvillage.ca/country-fest](http://bluemountainvillage.ca/country-fest)





# Garden MAINTENANCE

GARDENER-IN-RESIDENCE: DIG INTO GARDENING WORKSHOPS

**JULY 15TH**  
12:30-2:30 PM  
at the L.E. Shore Library

Learn practical tips on keeping your soil and plants healthy and the best tools for the task.

Register




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TheBlueMountainsLibrary.ca | 519-599-3681



# birds & birding

WITH DEBBIE BUEHLER

**SATURDAY  
JULY 19TH  
3PM-4:30PM**  
At the L.E. Shore Library  
ALL-AGES

Bring the whole family and join our bird expert for a fun and fascinating talk all about birds!

RSVP:




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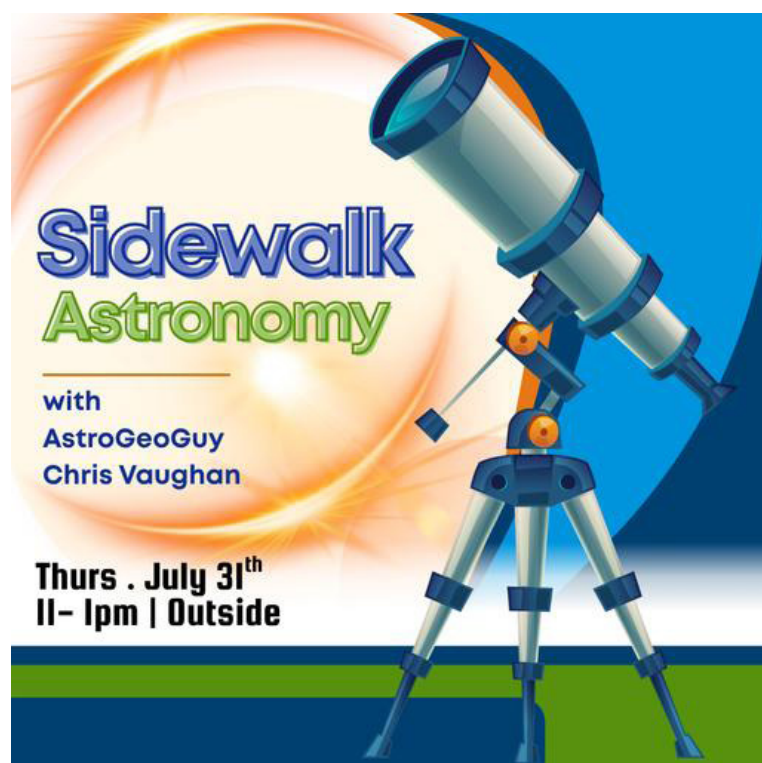


## Salsa Party - Latin Train

**Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm**

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# Sidewalk Astronomy

with  
**AstroGeoGuy  
Chris Vaughan**

**Thurs . July 31<sup>st</sup>  
11- 1pm | Outside**

**L.E. Shore Library Parking Lot**  
173 Bruce Street South, Thornbury



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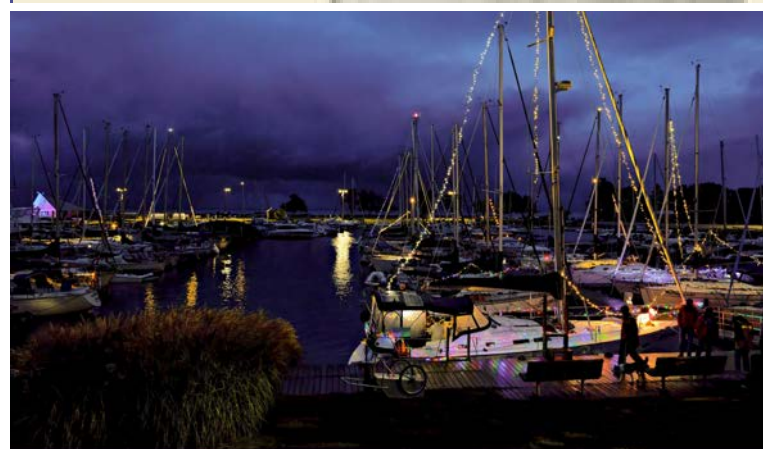


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## NIGHT PARADE 2025

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 2025  
7-9 P.M.


@ THORNBURY HARBOUR  
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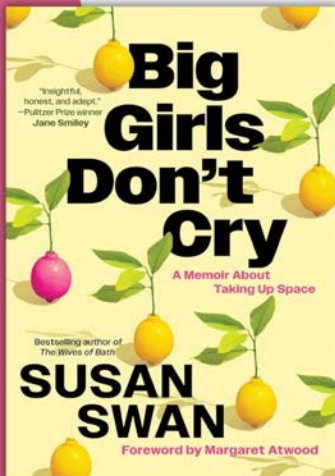
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Featuring **Julie Mannell**



Join authors Susan Swan and Julie Mannell for readings, conversation, and audience Q&A.


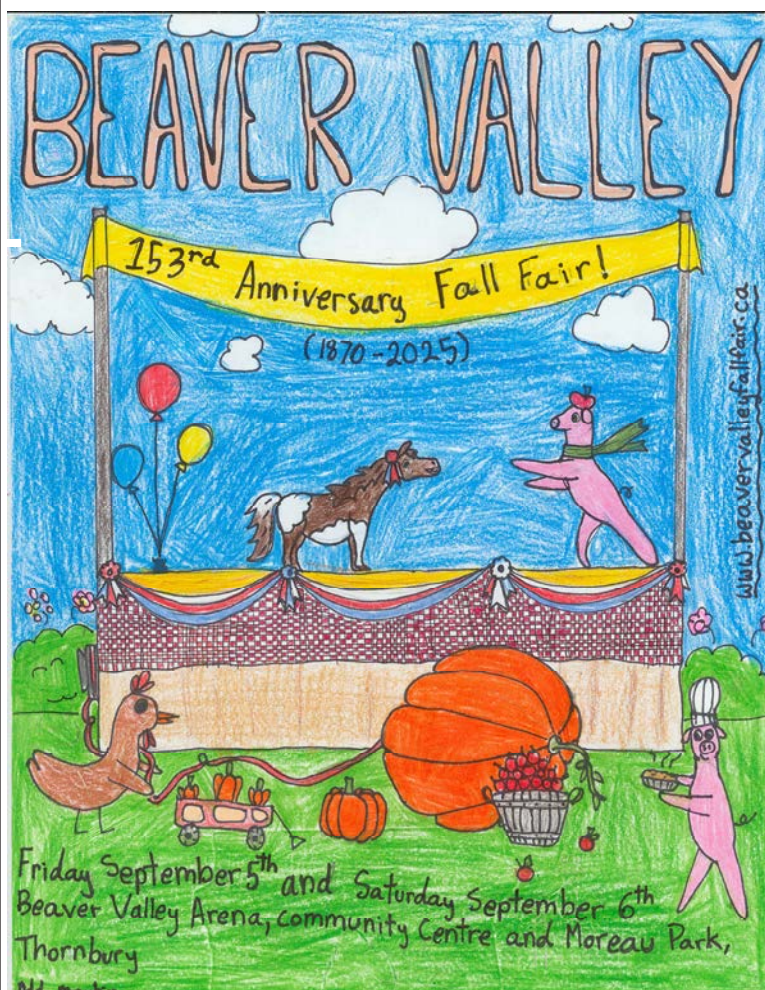
Book sales by Jessica's Book Nook and signing to follow. Light refreshments served.

**FREE, ALL ARE WELCOME  
RSVP:**



**Saturday, August 16, 2025  
2-4 PM**

**L.E. Shore Library  
173 Bruce St. S. Thornbury, ON**

The 153rd BEAVER VALLEY FALL FAIR will be held Friday, Sept 5th and Saturday, Sept 6th at the Beaver Valley Community Centre. This year's program and prize list are available at the L E Shore Library or on their website [beavervalleyfallfair.ca](http://beavervalleyfallfair.ca)



## Celebrate Pride at the Rainbow Dance Party

Hosted by The Blue Mountains Public Library

Join us for a vibrant, family-friendly Rainbow Dance Party with Tyler Boyle in celebration of Pride Month. Enjoy music, arts & crafts, dancing, and community spirit in a welcoming environment for all ages.

**Saturday, June 28, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

L.E. Shore Memorial Library Front Lawn (Rain Location: The Gallery)  
173 Bruce Street, Thornbury

This free event features music, dance, activities, arts & crafts, and family-friendly entertainment in a safe and welcoming space. Attendees are encouraged to wear rainbow colours.

This celebration is made possible through generous funding from the Community Foundation Grey Bruce, supporting equity and inclusion initiatives across our region.

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**Thornbury Turkey Trot**  
Saturday October 11th, 2025  
Beaver Valley Community Centre

This Thanksgiving, feathers are going to fly again!

**WELCOME: 8:45am**  
**Kids' 1 km Fun Run: 9:00am**  
**Half Marathon, 10km & 5km Run/Walk: 9:30am**  
**Race Kit Pick Up**  
**Friday, October 10th 3 to 8pm & Race Morning 7 to 8am**

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## Thornbury Farmers' Market



**SUNDAYS 10AM-2PM**



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