

COUNCIL INFORMATION PACKAGE

September 2, 2026

1. **C-2026-218**
Correspondence received August 27, 2026 from the Wainfleet Township Public Library respecting the September 2026 Newsletter.
2. **C-2026-219**
Correspondence received August 28, 2026 from the Town of Greater Napanee respecting a resolution of support for the Municipal Finance Officers' Association of Ontario correspondence regarding making permanent the doubling of the Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF).



CHECK IT OUT @ YOUR LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2026 NEWSLETTER

Received August 27, 2026
C-2026-218

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Hours:

Monday & Thursday:
10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:
10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday:
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Sunday:
Closed

**The Library will be
CLOSED
for Labour Day
Monday, September 7**



*Children
had a blast at our
Summer Camps,
Magic of Stories
and
FITastic programs.*

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New and exciting things are happening at the Wainfleet Township Public Library!

The digital library
is **always open**.



OPEN
24
HOURS

Libby.
The library reading app

Upcoming Wainfleet Community Events

Wainfleet Farmers' Market

Tuesdays from 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

June 9 - September 8

Marshville Heritage Festival

September 5, 6 & 7

marshvilleheritatesociety.org

Wainfleet Fall Fair

September 17, 18 & 19

wainfleetfallfair.com

This year's theme: "From Farm to Fair!"

Please visit the Library's booth at the fair!



One-on-One Computer Training



First hour FREE!
\$10 per hour
thereafter

1-hour training sessions can be tailored
to a program or topic of your choice.

Contact library staff for more information!

Visiting Library Service

Are you or someone you know unable to visit the Library due to health reasons and/or physical limitations? The Library offers a visiting Library service designed specifically for those who cannot come to the Library.

For further information or to
schedule deliveries to your home,
please call the Library at
905-899-1277.



Wainfleet Township Public Library is part of Libraries in Niagara Cooperative (LiNC)

LiNC is a partnership of many Niagara public library systems to share resources and a catalogue system called Evergreen.

LiNC Public Libraries include: Lincoln Pelham, Fort Erie, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Thorold, Grimsby, Welland, Port Colborne, West Lincoln and Wainfleet.

If you have a Wainfleet Township Public Library Card you are automatically a LiNC cardholder. You can visit any LiNC library and borrow in person, or you can place holds and have items sent to Wainfleet for pick up. Items can be returned to any of the LiNC Libraries. Books and audiobooks can be borrowed for 3 weeks; magazines and DVDs can be borrowed for 1 week.

The Library catalogue allows you to search our Library or the entire LiNC catalogue. You can place holds, renew items, create reading lists and track your reading history.

To access the catalogue, go to www.wainfleetlibrary.ca and click on Search the Catalogue. To sign in, enter your library card number and your password is either the last 4 digits or last 7 digits of your phone number.

 Sign In

 CARD NUMBER

Library Card Number

 PASSWORD

Last 4 or 7 digits of phone #

☐ Stay signed in

Sign in

PROGRAMS

Wainfleet Fall Fair Exhibitor Passes for Sale

Saturday, September 5 and 12 from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

The Wainfleet Agricultural Society will have a table set up in the Library for people to drop in and purchase exhibitor passes, sign up to volunteer and learn more about the Wainfleet Fall Fair.



Fall Colouring Contest - September 8 - 30

Come to the library and pick up your copy of our fall colouring contest beginning September 8. Entries are due Wednesday, September 30 by 5:00 p.m.



Fall Fair Zucchini Car Building

Monday, September 14 from 6:00 - 6:45 p.m. or 7:00 - 7:45 p.m.

Did you grow a zucchini in your garden this year? Children from Kindergarten to Grade 8 can sign up and join us to build a zucchini race car to enter in the Wainfleet Fall Fair. Wheel kits and crafting supplies provided – you must supply your own zucchini (must be between 8-12"). Registration required by Friday, September 11.



Service Canada In Your Community

Thursday, September 17 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Service Canada will be in your community to help you apply for and answer questions you may have about the following programs and services: Canada Disability Benefit (CDB), Canada Pension Plan (CPP), Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP), Old Age Security (OAS), Employment Insurance (EI). Social Insurance Number and valid photo ID needed for some services. Visit Canada.ca for a complete list of required documents to bring with you.



Fall Fair Booth - September 17, 18 & 19

The library will have a booth at the Wainfleet Fall Fair again this year. Stop by and visit our booth, learn more about the library, our services and upcoming fall programs.

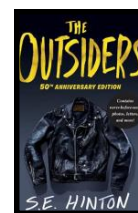


Thursday Afternoon Book Club

Thursday, September 24 at 2:00 p.m.

This month's book is *The Outsiders* by S.E. Hinton.

Each participant will be loaned a copy of the current book. Registration is required.



Monday Evening Book Club

Monday, September 28 at 6:30 p.m.

This month's book is *A Dark Forgetting* by Kristen Ciccarelli.

Each participant will be loaned a copy of the current book. Registration is required.

Time for Tots and Craft is back in October!

Thursday, October 8, 15 & 22 from 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.

Join us for stories, songs, activities and crafts for tots ages 4 months to 4 years and their caregivers. Spaces are limited, please register by Monday, October 5.



The library has many board games, puzzles, card games and flash cards to keep you busy this fall!
Come see what we have available!



Summer 2026

We had such a busy summer this year and it all went well thanks to our amazing team of Summer Program Coordinators. Special thanks to **Olivia, Tytan and Violet** for their hard work, dedication and positive impact on our campers.

We held 9 sessions of our **FITastic Drop-In Playtime** at the Wainfleet Arena with 513 children (and adults) attending!

At our **Summer Camp** this year we traveled around the world, explored like pirates, discovered zoo animals, went camping, to the beach and inside the magical kingdom. Over 6 weeks we had 44 sessions of Summer Camp with 509 participants.

At our **TD Summer Reading Club** and **Magic of Stories** sessions we travelled under the sea and held 10 in-person Magic of Stories sessions with 64 participants. A total of 77 children registered in our TDSRC and they read a total of 1,879 books and 45,251 pages.



Discover Your Family's HISTORY

ancestry[™]
Library Edition

Available @ your local library branch

We are a FamilySearch affiliate library!

Access FamilySearch from any of the library's public computers or via WTPPL wifi for a vast collection of records, resources and services designed to help you learn more about your family history. Build your family tree today!



ONTARIO PARKS AND NPCA PASSES @ YOUR LIBRARY

Library patrons can borrow day-use passes for Ontario Parks and Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority (NPCA) parks. Passes are available throughout the year and can be borrowed for 2 weeks (no renewals).



For information on individual parks, including opening dates and hours of operation, visit ontarioparks.com.

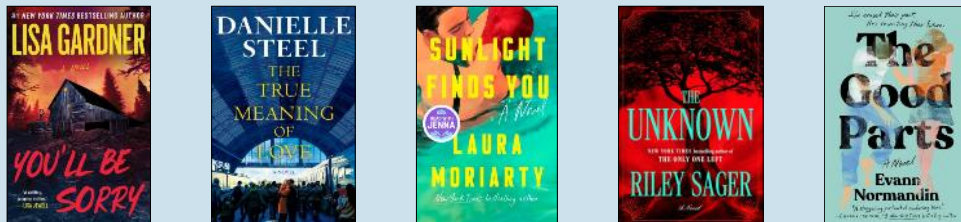


For information on conservation areas, including opening dates and hours of operation, visit npca.ca.



NEW LIBRARY MATERIALS

Adult Fiction Books



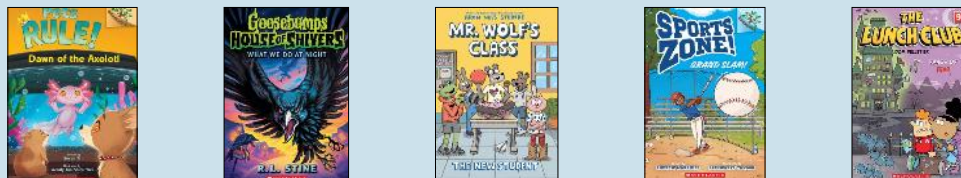
DVDs



Adult Non-Fiction Books



Juvenile & YP Fiction Books



Juvenile Picture Books





MISSION STATEMENT

The Wainfleet Township Public Library cultivates a welcoming and vibrant environment that serves and enriches our community.

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LIBRARY BOARD

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Lynn Gibson
Vice-Chairperson

Joan Anderson
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Lois Johnson
Trustee

Chris Summerhayes
Trustee

Library Board meetings are held the second Wednesday of February, April, May, June, September, October, November and December and are open to the public.

September 2026

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

		1	2	3	4	5 10 a.m. Wainfleet Agricultural Society Marshville Heritage Festival
6 Marshville Heritage Festival	7 Library Closed - Labour Day Marshville Heritage Festival	8 10 a.m. Colouring Contest Begins	9 10 a.m. Library Board Meeting	10	11	12 10 a.m. Wainfleet Agricultural Society
13	14 6 or 7 p.m. Fall Fair Zucchini Car Building	15	16	17 1 p.m. Service Canada 6 p.m. Fall Fair Parade Wainfleet Fall Fair	18 Wainfleet Fall Fair	19 Wainfleet Fall Fair
20	21	22	23	24 2 p.m. Afternoon Book Club	25	26
27	28 6:30 p.m. Evening Book Club	29	30 5 p.m. Colouring Contest Ends			



RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 368/26
Title: OCIF Funding Support
Date: August 25, 2026
Moved by: Councillor Davey
Seconded by: Councillor Norrie

That Council receive for information Financial & IT Services - OCIF Funding Support Resolution report;

And that Council support the Municipal Finance Officers' Association of Ontario (MFOA) request that the Province of Ontario make permanent the doubling of Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) funding from \$200 million to \$400 million annually beginning in 2027; and

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Infrastructure, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Minister of Finance, the Municipal Finance Officers' Association of Ontario, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, the Member of Provincial Parliament for Hastings-Lennox and Addington, and Ontario municipalities.

☒ CARRIED ☐ DEFEATED ☐ DEFERRED



Terry Richardson, Mayor