



Wednesday, October 1, 2025

Fiero Code Contest - Light Quest starts

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 1 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

The countdown is on, storytellers and game designers! Light Quest is a free online coding competition where you'll build an epic sci-fi game with Code Blocks—no experience required. Your challenge: lead a team of robots to restore light to a distant world. Are you up for the quest? Mark your calendars: Oct 1 – Nov 30.

Who: Students 8–12, 13-18, & Adults 19+

Cost: FREE with a library membership!

Prizes:

1st Place – AirPods

2nd Place – JBL Speaker

3rd Place – Mechanical Keyboard

Adult (19+) - \$150 Amazon gift card

Not a library member yet? Signup here: <https://www.kenora.ca/liv.../library/services/library-cards/>

Haunted House Contest starts

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 1 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Create a haunted house diorama that will be displayed in the Library. *Ages: 0-12 yrs*

The Kenora Public Library is holding its annual Haunted House Contest for kids! Here's what you need to know.

Rules and Guidelines:

For ages 0-12 years old

Create a haunted house diorama

Contestants provide all their own materials

No food items allowed!

Houses can be no larger than 2.5' W x 2' H x 1.5' D

The Library reserves the right to refuse any work considered unsuitable

Important Dates:

Contest opens October 1st

All houses must be submitted to the library no later than October 24th at 5:00 pm

Voting will be in-person and online, taking place from October 27th to 30th

The winner will be announced Halloween day!

Houses may be picked up no earlier than November 1st and no later than November 8th

Saturday, October 4, 2025

STEM Saturday

Date and Time: Saturday, October 4 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

A self-directed STEM activity will be available.

Ages: 5-12 yrs

Learn to Play Mah Jongg

Date and Time: Saturday, October 4 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 24 Main Street South

This is the second session of our Learn to Play Mah Jongg event.

Saturday, October 11, 2025

STEM Saturday

Date and Time: Saturday, October 11 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

A self-directed STEM activity will be available.

Ages: 5-12 yrs

Learn to Play Mah Jongg

Date and Time: Saturday, October 11 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 24 Main Street South

This is the third session of our Learn to Play Mah Jongg event.

Monday, October 13, 2025

Closed

Date and Time: Monday, October 13 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

The Kenora Public Library will be closed all day on Thanksgiving Monday.

Tuesday, October 14, 2025

Memento Making

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 14 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Make a special themed handprint craft with your child.

Ages: 0-5 yrs

Memento Making

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 14 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Make a themed handprint craft with your child.

Ages: 0-5 yrs

Saturday, October 18, 2025

STEM Saturday

Date and Time: Saturday, October 18 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

A self-directed STEM activity will be available.

Ages: 5-12 yrs

Monday, October 20, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Monday, October 20 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

It's Ontario Public Library Week and we are having a book sale!!

Grab as many books as you can for a donation to the Library.

PD Day Games

Date and Time: Monday, October 20 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

There will be a selection of games set out.

Ages: 0-12 yrs

Tuesday, October 21, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 9:30 am - 7:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

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Open House

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Please join us for our Ontario Public Library Week Open House!

You'll have an opportunity to meet board members and staff, and learn about the different services we offer!

Refreshments will be provided!

Ghost Stories of the Kenora Public Library

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Join us at the Kenora Public Library and hear the stories and findings of Kenora Phantom Fandom. See what has been uncovered about the library's past—its eerie history, hidden tales, and chilling discoveries waiting to be shared.

The paranormal team has expressed interest in returning for a deeper investigation and possibly uncovering more about the library's "haunted" legacy.

This event is open to all ages.

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 22 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

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Grab as many books as you can for a donation to the Library.

Fiero Code Drop-In

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 22 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Celebrate Ontario Public Library Week by joining us this afternoon to explore one of our amazing resources, Fiero Code! Bring your own device with a keyboard, and our staff will help you create an account with Fiero Code so that you may enter their contest! Once logged on, participants will explore on their own as an introduction to Fiero Code - then you can play further at home!

This is a come-and-go event, so don't stress if you can't make it here for 3:00 with the after-school rush!

Thursday, October 23, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Thursday, October 23 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

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Friday, October 24, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Friday, October 24 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

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Grab as many books as you can for a donation to the Library.

Haunted House Submissions Due

Date and Time: Friday, October 24 5:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

All Haunted House Submissions are due in today, October 24th, by 5:00 PM.

Saturday, October 25, 2025

Book Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, October 25 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

It's Ontario Public Library Week and we are having a book sale!!

Grab as many books as you can for a donation to the Library.

Puzzle Swap

Date and Time: Saturday, October 25 9:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: 24 Main Street South

Guidelines:

- ✿ Please ensure that each puzzle is complete with no missing pieces and placed inside a Ziplock bag in the box.
- ✿ Puzzles to be a minimum of 300 pieces and gently used.
- ✿ Bring your puzzles anytime between October 10th and October 24th to receive your ticket in exchange. Your ticket becomes your currency!

You may also bring puzzles on the day of the event. If you are unable to make it to the swap, but would like to donate puzzles, they can be dropped off at the Kenora Library until Friday, October 24th.

Any items remaining at the end of the event will be held for our next puzzle swap or donated to charity.

Please share with your friends and we'll see you there!! 😊

Halloween Party with EarlyON

Date and Time: Saturday, October 25 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: 24 Main Street South

Come and go stations will be available. Come dressed in your costume for some holiday fun!

Ages: 0-12 yrs

<https://calendar.kenora.ca>