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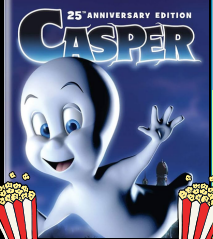
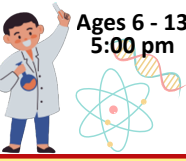
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Library Card Sign up Month Sign up for a library card or renew your membership and be entered into a draw for one of four \$50 CO-OP gift cards! October 1-31 				1  KIDS CRAFT NIGHT 'Spooky Glowing Eyes' Ages 3 - 9 5:00 - 5:30 pm	2 	3 Wiggles & Giggles 10:30-11:00 am Stay & Play 11:00 am - 12:00 pm Fire Fighters Visit! All Ages 1:00pm 
4 	5 1 Year Round Reading Challenge 2026 Adult 18 & up 	6 Canada CRA - Canada Revenue Agency Support Clinic 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Age 18 & up Story Time 10:15 - 11:00 AM	7 Adult Craft Night 'Halloween Ghost Pillows' Ages 18 & up 6:00 pm 	8 Movie Night! 5:00-6:40 pm All Ages 	10 LEGO CLUB with Numeracy Connect! Ages 5 - 12 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Knit & Needle 15 & up 12:00 - 1:00 pm 	
11 	12 Happy Thanksgiving 	13 Housing & ID Outreach 1:00-3:00pm HOMESCHOOLERS UNITE! with Numeracy Connect! 1:00 - 2:00 pm 	14 Story Time 10:15 - 11:00 am 	15 Tween Craft Night 'Origami 3-D Pumpkins' Ages 10-16 5:00 - 6:00 pm 	17 Wiggles & Giggles 10:30-11:00 am Stay & Play 11:00 am - 12:00 pm 	
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18 The Great Read-Along on October 22nd Read along with us! More information in the descriptions. The Great Read-Along 	19 	20 	21 Story Time 10:15 - 11:00 am KIDS CRAFT NIGHT Ages 3-9 6:00 - 6:30 pm	22 STEAM EXPLORERS Ages 6 - 13 5:00 pm 	23 	24 Trick or Treat Tour 12:00-3:00 pm 
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Adult Reading Challenge! January – December All Year

Join our year-round challenge for adults. Pick up your challenge sheet today!

Radon Screeners available October 1st. Reserve yours today!

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Poppy Project Kits October 13 to November 6 Up to 2 kits per person

Kids Craft Night: Spooky Glowing Eyes *Join us for one of two time slots*

Thursday, October 1, 5:00 - 5:30 pm or Wednesday, October 21, 6:00 - 6:30 pm Ages 3 to 9

Create a spooky Halloween decoration using cardboard tubes and thick glow sticks.

Participants will transform simple materials into creepy glowing eyes that can be displayed in dark spaces for an eerie effect.

Wiggles and Giggles Saturday, October 3 & 17 10:30 - 11:00 am Children 5 and under

Stay & Play Saturday, October 3 & 17 11:00 am - 12:00 pm Children 5 & under

Fire Fighters Visit Saturday, October 3 1:00 - 2:00 pm All Ages

In recognition of Fire Prevention Week, join us at the library and meet local Portage la Prairie fire fighters, have a chance to explore a real fire truck and discover key fire safety tips!

CRA Information Sessions Wednesday, October 7 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Ages 18 & up

Registration is not required. Sessions are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Story Time Wednesdays 10:15 am - 11:00 am For parents and young children

Come and join us for a fun time at the library with engaging crafts, stories and activities!

October 7 – Scarecrows / October 14 – Pumpkins / October 21 – Scary Stories / October 28 – Halloween

Adult Craft Night: 'Halloween Ghost Pillows' Thursday, October 8 6:00 pm Ages 18 & up

Movie Night: 'Casper' Friday, October 9, 5:00 - 6:40 pm All Ages

Rated: PG Running time: 1 hour 40 minutes

The Friendly Ghost attempts to befriend the 12-year-old daughter of a paranormal expert, but his nasty ghost uncles wreak havoc.

Lego Club Saturday, October 10 & 31 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Ages 5 - 12

LEGO Club is a casual program that encourages kids to be creative, build, and connect with other children.

This program also includes a new section, **Numeracy Connect**, a fun, hands-on activity that builds confidence with everyday math skills through games, challenges, and real-life problem-solving.

Knit & Needle Saturday, October 10 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Ages 15 and up

Bring your knitting, crochet, or embroidery projects and craft with fellow enthusiasts. Please note, this is not a 'learn to craft' workshop.

Housing & ID Outreach Tuesday, October 13 & 27 1:00 - 3:00 pm All Ages

PCRC will be joining us at the library to provide support with Housing & ID Outreach. They will be available to assist individuals who are experiencing homelessness or need help accessing identification and related services.

Homeschoolers Unite!: Numeracy Connect Tuesday, October 13 1:00 - 2:00 pm Ages 3 -13

Join us for **Numeracy Connect**, a fun, hands-on activity that builds confidence with everyday math skills through games, challenges, and real-life problem-solving.

Tween Craft Night: Origami 3-D Pumpkins *Join us for one of two time slots*

Thursday, October 15, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm or Wednesday, October 28 6:00-7:00 pm Ages 10 - 16

Get creative and celebrate the spooky season by making your own 3-D origami pumpkins! Tweens will learn simple folding techniques to turn paper into fun, festive pumpkin decorations.

Read Between the Frames: 'Hamnet' Friday, October 16, 2:00 - 4:10 pm Ages 18 & up

Rated: PG-13 Running Time: 2 hour 5 minutes

In the 16th-century rural England. William Shakespeare and his wife Agnes are confronted with the death of their only son.

Steam Explorers: 'Pepper's Ghost' Wednesday, October 22 5:00 pm Ages 6 - 13

Discover the spooky science behind Pepper's Ghost, a classic illusion that makes objects and images appear to mysteriously float or come to life! Participants will explore how light, reflection, and clever positioning can create a ghostly effect. A fun, hands-on program combining science, creativity, and a little Halloween magic!

The Great Read Along Thursday, October 22 All day All Ages

Join the Portage la Prairie Regional Library online for The Great Read-Along! The Great Read-Along is an event created to support those among us who learn differently than others. Share how much you've read by commenting on our Facebook post or emailing programming@portagelibrary.com. We'll share your reading minutes and add it to the Great Read-Along website. For more information, go to www.thegreatreadalong.ca

Trick or Treat Tour: Saturday, October 24 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm All Ages

We have partnered with community organizations and local businesses to set up trick or treat tables throughout the library!

This is a come and go event. Registration is not required. Thank you to Homestead Co-op for supporting us!

Book Club: 'Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver' Thursday, October 29 1:15 pm - 3:15 pm Ages 18 & up

Join us for a discussion of Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver, a brilliant and timely novel that connects twenty-first-century economic anxiety with nineteenth-century struggles over scientific truth.

Table Top Games: 'Dungeons & Dragons Haunted House Special Edition' Saturday, October 31, 2:00 - 3:30 pm Ages 12 & up

Come join us as we learn to play Dungeons & Dragons, the popular Tabletop Roleplaying Game by Wizards of the Coast. Dice and character sheets will be provided, please call ahead to register (space is limited).

