

# Do you tinker?

We do! BPL's Tinker Lab provides endless opportunities for kids to explore and experiment in a relaxed, unstructured way. It is as much a philosophy as a physical space—we believe the process is the product and encourage hands on discovery, creativity and innovative thinking.



# March 2019 Break



**Try things & make stuff!**

hack | build | create | play

**Brockville Public Library**  
engage | evolve | experience

## Monday, March 11

### **Sisters of the Drum storytelling** All ages—Drop-in—FREE

The Sisters of the Drum will be performing an Indigenous story of “how the turtle got his shell” using Indigenous puppets. They will also be bringing their drums and shakers to teach some songs and participants are invited to stay for a small craft.

**10:00—12:00**

## Tuesday, March 12

### **Tinker Lab: play** Ages 4-7—Drop-in—FREE

Tinker Lab focuses on hands on discovery through play—design, build, create and explore in a relaxed environment where the process is the product.

**10:00—11:30**

### **Unravelled** All ages—Drop-in—FREE

Come weave with us! Stop by and lend a hand with one of our collaborative weaving pieces and pick up ideas for fun, easy weaving projects that you can try at home.

**2:00—3:30**

*(Unravelled is held weekly on Tuesday afternoons from 3:30—5:00)*

## Wednesday, March 13

### **Movie: Ralph Breaks the Internet**

All ages—Drop-in—FREE

Bring your own snacks and enjoy this family film together on our big screen. (PG—1 h 51 min)

**10:00—12:00**

### **Youth Drop In** Ages 10+—Drop-in—FREE

Free snacks provided!

**3:00—6:00**

*(Youth Drop In a partnership with Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Leeds Grenville and is held weekly on Wednesday afternoons from 3:00—6:00)*

## Thursday, March 14

### **Tinker Lab: build** All ages—Drop-in—FREE

Design and build whatever you can imagine! Lego, creative building sets, marble run, boxes, blocks and other loose parts.

**10:00—11:30**

### **Tinker Lab: hack** Ages 8-12—Drop-in—FREE

Crazy about technology? This is the Tinker Lab for you! Build problem solving skills as you experiment with coding, circuits, game design, green screen photography and more.

**2:00—3:30**

## Friday, March 15

### **Tinker Lab: create** All ages—Drop-in—FREE

Explore your creative side! We supply the materials, you provide the inspiration.

**10:00—11:30**

### **Game On!** Ages 8-12—Drop-in—FREE

Drop in the library meeting room and play Wii, Nintendo Switch, and board games and meet some new friends!

**2:00—3:30**

## Saturday, March 16

### **St. Patrick's Day Family Celebration**

**Presented by the Brockville Irish Cultural Society**

All ages—Drop-in—FREE

Join us at the library for traditional Irish folklore, songs, and dancing.

**1:00—3:00**

All programs are free and operate on a drop-in basis—stop by for a few minutes or stay as long as you like!

For more information please contact:

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Winter programs are occasionally cancelled due to weather—please call the library to confirm before venturing out.