

WINTER 2025

Recreation & Events



Resident Registration: Monday, December 2 at 8:30 AM
Non-Resident Registration: Monday, December 9 at 8:30 AM



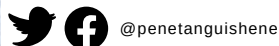
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TOWN OF PENETANGUISHENE ONLINE REGISTRATION 4 STEP PROCESS

Note: Staff are able to assist over the phone and email or in person at Town Hall, Monday to Friday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM.

- STEP 1. VISIT
TOP.RECDESK.COM
- STEP 2. CREATE
ACCOUNT
OR SIGN IN
- STEP 3. SELECT PROGRAMS
- STEP 4. CLICK "REGISTER
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Swimming Programs

Resident Registration: Monday, December 2 at 8:30 AM

Non-Resident Registration: Monday, December 9 at 8:30 AM

Registration can be done online, or in person at Town Hall. Full program descriptions and age/skill requirements are outlined online at top.recdesk.ca. **First come first served, online or in person.**

Program Location: Waypoint

Waypoint Centre for Mental Health Care
500 Church St, Penetanguishene, ON L9M 1G3

View full details here



Parking

Parents and Guardians are reminded that parking passes are required to park at Waypoint. **Parking passes are available, free of charge at Town Hall. Waypoint does not provide passes.** Prior to the program start date, please ensure that you have one pass per vehicle. The Town of Penetanguishene will not be responsible for any parking tickets received.

Swimming Levels

Swimming levels are based on age and skill. If you are unsure of where your child stands, please visit www.penetanguishene.ca to view the online PDF Lifesaving Society Chart. The instructor will make recommendations for level changes after the first lesson if it is clear your child's skill level does not match the level they are enrolled in. **Please note that levels are not meant to be passed by participants in one session**, some may take 2 – 3 times to repeat the same level in order to qualify to be moved up to the next level.

Open Swim

Register on RecDesk to view the open swim schedule and to receive updates. Payment for open swim is made on the pool deck before swimming

Winter 2025 Open Swim Fees

Children (14 and under) \$2.00

Adult (15+) \$3.00 HST incl.

Family Swim (immediate Family) \$9.00 HST incl.

Swimming Program Fees Winter 2025* +HST over 15 years

Parent & Tot to Swimmer 2 \$50.00

Swimmer 3 to Swimmer 6 & Endurance Swim \$58.00

Endurance Swim & Adult lessons \$65.00

Private lessons \$130

Semi-Private Lessons \$195

Rookie, Ranger, Star \$65

Bronze Star & Bronze Cross \$95

Bronze Medallion \$145

*Fees subject to change



SWIMMING PROGRAMS



Registration Dates:

Residents- Monday, December 2 at 8:30 AM

Non-Residents - Monday, December 9 at 8:30 AM

Start Date Saturday - January 11 - March 1

Start Date Sunday - January 12 - March 2

Start Date Tuesday - January 14 - March 4

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PARENT & TOT 1	Time	Date
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Option 1	4:00 - 4:30 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	5:00 - 5:30 PM	Tuesday
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PARENT & TOT 2	Time	Date
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Option 1	4:30 - 5:00 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:00 - 10:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Tuesday
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PARENT & TOT 3	Time	Date
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Option 1	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:30 - 11:00 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Tuesday
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PRESCHOOL 1	Time	Date
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Option 1	4:30 - 5:00 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:00 - 10:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	10:30 - 11:00 AM	Sunday
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Option 4	1:30 - 2:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 5	5:00 - 5:30 PM	Tuesday
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Option 6	6:30 - 7:00 PM	Tuesday
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PRESCHOOL 2	Time	Date
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Option 1	5:00 - 5:30 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:30 - 11:00 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	12:30 - 1:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 4	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Tuesday
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PRESCHOOL 3	Time	Date
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Option 1	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	11:30 - 12:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 3	1:00 - 1:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 4	2:00 - 2:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 5	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Tuesday
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PRESCHOOL 4	Time	Date
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Option 1	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	12:30 - 1:00 PM	Sunday
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SWIMMER 1	Time	Date
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Option 1	9:30 - 10:00 AM	Sunday
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Option 2	11:30 - 12:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 3	1:00 - 1:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 4	1:30 - 2:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 5	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Tuesday
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SWIMMER 2	Time	Date
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Option 1	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:30 - 11:00 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	11:00 - 11:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 4	1:00 - 1:30 PM	Sunday
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SWIMMER 3	Time	Date
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Option 1	4:00 - 4:45 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:00 - 10:45 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	1:45 - 2:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 4 Swimmer 3/4	6:45 - 7:30 PM	Tuesday
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SWIMMER 4	Time	Date
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Option 1	4:00 - 4:45 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:45 - 11:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	1:45 - 2:30 PM	Sunday
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SWIMMER 5	Time	Date
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Option 1	5:00 - 5:45 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	12:15 - 1:00 PM	Sunday
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SWIMMER 6	Time	Date
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Option 1	5:00 - 5:45 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	12:15 - 1:00 PM	Sunday
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Private Lessons	Time	Date
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Option 1	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Saturday
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Option 2	10:00 - 10:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 3	11:00 - 11:30 AM	Sunday
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Option 4	11:30 - 12:00 PM	Sunday
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Option 5	12:00 - 12:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 6	2:00 - 2:30 PM	Sunday
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Option 7	5:30 - 6:00 PM	Tuesday
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Option 8	6:00 - 6:30 PM	Tuesday
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Option 9	6:30 - 7:00 PM	Tuesday
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Option 10	7:00 - 7:30 PM	Tuesday
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Rookie/Ranger/Star Patrol	9:00 - 10:00 AM	Sunday
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Endurance Swim (9-14 yrs)	4:30 - 5:15 PM	Sunday
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Bronze Star/medallion/cross	3:30 - 5:30 PM	Sunday
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Open Swim* Sunday	2:30 - 3:30 PM	Sunday
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Adult lessons	3:30 - 4:30 PM	Sunday
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Open Swim* Saturday	3:00 - 4:00 PM	Saturday
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Drop-In Program Option * Registration Required

Programs with the drop-in symbol have a drop-in option. Please note, the program drop-in will be listed as a separate program on RecDesk .

Celtic Dance with Wild Life Academy

Day: Fridays

Time: 6:25 pm - 7:10 pm

Cost: \$32 per session

Ages: 7 - 12

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 10 - January 31

Session #2: February 21 - March 21

Cheer Pom with Wild Life Academy

Day: Fridays

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:15 pm

Cost: \$32 per session

Ages: 4 - 8

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 10 - January 31

Session #2: February 21 - March 21

Kick Boxing with Wild Life Academy

Day: Fridays

Time: 7:20 pm - 8:05 pm

Cost: \$32 per session

Ages: 6 - 12

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 10 - January 31

Session #2: February 21 - March 21

Friday Parent & Tot Movement and Music with Wild Life Academy (2-4 yr)

Time: 4:50 pm - 5:20 pm

Cost: \$26 per session

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 10 - January 31

Session #2: February 21 - March 21

Monday Parent & Tot Movement and Music with Wild Life Academy (2-4yr)

Time: 9:45 am - 10:30 am

Cost: \$34 per session

Location: Lounge - Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 6 - January 27

Session #2: February 10 - March 17

Monday Pre-School & Me Mess Makers with Wild Life Academy (2-4 yrs)

Time: 10:40 am - 11:25 am

Cost: \$34 per session

Location: Lounge - Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 6 - January 27

Session #2: February 10 - March 17

Capo-Kids with Pepino

Dates: Mon, January 6 - March 17

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Cost: \$67.50

Ages: 8 - 14

Location: Ecole St. Louis

Art Headquarters Saturday (8- 14yrs)

Time: 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Cost: \$45 per session

Location: Lounge, Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 4 - February 1

Session #2: February 22 - March 22

Art Headquarters Sunday (8- 14yrs)

Time: 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM

Cost: \$42 per session

Location: Lounge, Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 5 - February 2

Session #2: February 23 - March 23

Mini Art Headquarters (3 - 7 yrs)

Day: Sunday

Time: 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Cost: \$36 per session

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 5 - February 2

Session #2: February 23 - March 23

Babysitting & Home Alone Courses

Dates: TBD

Check RecDesk for details

Note - Youth aged 15 years+ can participate in a selection of adult programs!



Looking for March Break Camp Information?



BGC North Simcoe operates March Break Camp out of the Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

To express interest and sign up for updates on registration email: club@bgcnorthsimcoe.com

Pickleball + HST

Resident Registration: December 2 at 8:30 AM
 Non-Resident Registration: December 9 at 8:30 AM

Beginner Indoor Pickleball Session #1

Dates: Thurs, January 9 – February 13
 Time: 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm
 Cost: \$13.00
 Location: Canadian Martyrs

Indoor Pickleball Wednesdays

Dates: Wed, January 8 – March 26
 Time: 6:45 pm – 9:15 pm
 Cost: \$20.00
 Location: James Keating

Beginner Indoor Pickleball Session #2

Dates: Thurs, February 20 – April 3
 Time: 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm
 Cost: \$13.00
 Location: Canadian Martyrs

Indoor Pickleball Thursdays

Dates: Thurs, January 9 – March 27
 Time: 6:45 pm – 9:15 pm
 Cost: \$20.00
 Location: James Keating

Public Skating

October – Mid March

Public Skating By donation – donation box can be found by ticket booth

NEW Adult Open Skate: Fridays, 11:00 AM – 11:50 AM	By Donation
All Ages Open Skate: Fridays, 6:00 PM – 6:50 PM	By Donation
All Ages Public Skate: Sundays, 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	By Donation
Parent & Tot Skate: Tuesdays, 10:00 AM – 10:50 AM	By Donation
Parent & Tot Skate: Thursdays, 1:00 PM – 1:50 PM	By Donation
Senior Skate: Mondays & Thursdays, 2:00 PM – 2:50 PM	By Donation

Public Skating \$3 Fee – Please pay staff on duty at arena

Shinny: Mondays to Fridays, 12:00 PM – 12:50 PM	\$3
Senior Skate & Shoot: Mondays & Wednesdays, 9 AM – 9:50 AM	\$3





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Boot Camp Kettlebell w Nicole Mace

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan 8 - Mar 26

Time: 5:10 pm - 6:10 pm

Ages: 15+

Cost: \$75

Location: Ecole St Louis



Kettlebell Sweat Fest w Janis Foley

Dates: Mon, January 6 - March 3

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Ages: 15+

Cost: \$58

Location: Canadian Martyrs



Capoeira (15+) with Pepino

Dates: Mon, Jan 6 - March 17

Time: 6:45 pm - 7:45 pm

Cost: \$67.50

Location: Ecole St. Louis



Zumba with Samantha (15+)

Dates: Thursday Jan 9 - March 20

Time: 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Cost: \$74

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)



Circuit Force with Jillian (15+)

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Cost: \$39 per session

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 7 - February 4

Session #2: February 18 - March 25

Country Movers- Line Dancing (18+)

Dates: Mon, January 13 - February 24

Time: 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Cost: \$30

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Art Headquarters (15+) w Aaron White

Day: Saturdays

Time: 11:00 - 12:30 PM

Cost: \$45 per session

Location: Lounge - Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: Saturday, Jan 4 - Feb 1

Session #2: Saturday, Feb 22 - Mar 22

Gentle Yoga w Sherri McNamara (18+)

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Cost: \$40 per session

Session #1: January 7 - February 4

Session #2: February 18 - March 25

Gentle Yoga w Sherri McNamara (18+)

Day: Thursdays

Time: 5:45 pm - 6:45 pm

Cost: \$40.00 per session

Location: Ecole St. Louis

Session #1: January 9 - February 6

Session #2: February 20 - March 27

Step Aerobics with Holly Pilon (15+)

Days: Thursdays

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:20 pm

Program cost: \$42.00 per session

Equipment fee: \$4.42 per session

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Session #1: January 9 - February 6

Session #2: February 13 - March 13

*NEW: Adult Open Skate

Day: Fridays

Time: 11:00 - 11:50 AM

Cost: By donation

Dates: January 10 - March

*end date is subject to change



By the Bay Rug Hookers

Date: Wednesdays, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Cost: \$8.85 +HST

Dates: January – end of March

Note: No instructor but the group is happy to help beginners!

Shuffleboard

Date: Mondays & Wednesdays, 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Cost: \$13.26 +HST

Dates: Mondays and Wednesdays, January to mid-May

Indoor Walking Tuesdays & Thursdays

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays, November – March

Time: 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Cost: \$8.85 +HST

VON SMART

A gentle exercise program focusing on balance, strength, flexibility, and mobility. This is a free program. Interested participants **must call VON to register: 705-355-2200**. Please arrive about 15 minutes early to complete the registration forms.

Digital Device Coaching for Seniors

Led by: Gateway Centre for Learning

Dates: 4th Thursday of each month (excluding December)

Location: Penetanguishene Memorial Community Centre (Arena)

Description: 30 minutes, one on one session with an instructor to learn how to use your digital device.

What to bring: Your own device (cell phone, tablet, laptop, computer), your power cord and a list of things you want to learn

How to Book a session: Contact Jennifer Ellis (705) 209-5699

Email: ed@gatewaycentreforlearning.ca





Penetanguishene Centennial Museum & Archives Winter Programs and Events

Did you know?

- The museum is located at 13 Burke Street, Penetanguishene.
- The museum is open Monday to Friday, 9:00 am to 4:30 pm in the winter season.
- The museum has its own social media and website. See www.pencenmuseum.com for more information.



Winter Break Activities at the Museum

Wizard's Winter Wonderland

It's a magical snow land in the museum! Test out your potion making skills and make a wintery wonderland art to take home!
Date: Thursday, January 2nd
Time: Drop-in between 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Cost: Admission by donation (\$)

Registered Programs

Museum Tots- 4-week session

Parents and Tots come on adventure with us as we experience our senses through play, crafts, and activities!
Ages: 2-4 years old.
Time: 10:30 am to 11:20 am
Cost: \$40.00 per child.



Session #1

Dates: January 15th to February 5th

Session #2

Dates: February 12th to March 5th

March Break Activities

Crafts and Scavenger Hunts

Come to the museum to make two different crafts and explore through a fun scavenger hunt! Each day has different theme and registration.

Dates: March 10th to 14th
Time: Timeslots from 9:30 am to 11:30 am
Cost: \$5.00 per child

Bug-Inspired Slime Making Workshop

Join Tiny Fun Parties for an exciting Bug-Inspired Slime Making Workshop! In this hands-on workshop, participants will dive into the world of slime!

Date: Thursday, March 13th
Time: 1:30 pm
Cost: \$15.00 per child, adult supervision required.

Mystery in the Snow

A snowman snuck inside the museum and left a mystery to be solved! Solve the mystery to win your snowy craft and prize!
Date: Friday, January 3rd
Time: Drop-in between 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Cost: Admission by donation (\$)

Social Hour with Lego Flowers

Join us for a social hour making Lego flowers, drinking tea and enjoying a treat! All supplies will be supplied.
Ages: 18 years plus
Date: Friday, March 21st
Time: 2:00 pm
Cost: \$25.00 per person



DON'T FORGET

Registration is required for our programs.

HELLO SPRING

March Break Magic Show

Join us at the museum for a magic show!
Date: Wednesday, March 12th
Time: 1:00 pm
Cost: \$5.00 per person



Festival of Lights, Friday December 6



Town Dock 5:00 - 5:30 PM
Penetanguishene Museum 5:30 - 7:30 PM
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Winterama, February 15 & 16



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Program Locations

Waypoint Centre for Mental Health Care
500 Church St, Penetanguishene

James Keating Elementary School
20 Lorne Ave, Penetanguishene, L9M 1B2

**Penetanguishene Centennial
Museum & Archives**
13 Burke Street, Penetanguishene

**Penetanguishene Memorial
Community Centre (Arena)** 61 Maria St,
Penetanguishene, L9M 2G2

Saint-Louis Catholic Elementary School
54 Dufferin St, Penetanguishene, L9M 1H4

Canadian Martyrs Catholic School
7 Bellisle Rd, Penetanguishene, L9M 1N6

Contact Information

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For museum Inquires: museum@penetanguishene.ca

