

## Saturday, February 3, 2024

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### Ignite the Night

Date and Time: Saturday, February 3 05:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Terra Cotta Conservation Area, 14452 Winston Churchill Blvd Halton Hills, ON L7G 0N9 Canada

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## Monday, February 5, 2024

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### BHM - Miyakah Emon: Explorations of Diasporic Experience Through the Liminal (Ongoing)

Date and Time: Monday, February 5 01:00 pm

Address: 9 Church Street, Georgetown, ON, L7G 2A3

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Photo: Miyakah Emon, Salmon Run, oil on canvas

## Tuesday, February 6, 2024

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### BHM - A Story of Black History Told Through Art with Francesca Durham

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 6 07:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Virtual Through Zoom

In 2023 the Helson Gallery hosted the sixth annual Emancipation Art Exhibit, to explore and celebrate freedom

though the perspectives of Black artists. Join us to learn more about this successful exhibition from Francesca Durham of the Halton Black History Awareness Society, as she relates how the exhibit served as a profound expression of the multifaceted Black experience, and the struggles, triumphs, and aspirations of a diverse community that has been both marginalized and celebrated.

You must register to attend this online program. Zoom link will be sent out to all participants the afternoon prior to the program date. Registration closes on February 6th at 3:00 pm.

## Friday, February 9, 2024

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### BHM - Short Story Dispenser (Ongoing)

Date and Time: Friday, February 9 09:00 am

Address: Both Acton & Georgetown Library Branches

Enjoy a variety of short stories by Black authors each time you press the “Worldwide” button on the Short Story Dispenser at the Georgetown Branch. Read these portable and convenient stories in the library or take them with you to read on-the-go, anytime and anywhere! Visit our website at [www.hhpl.ca/computers](http://www.hhpl.ca/computers) to learn more about the Short Story Dispenser.

## Saturday, February 10, 2024

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### BHM - Clef Notes to Canvas

Date and Time: Saturday, February 10 01:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Studio, 9 Church Street, Georgetown

Clef Notes to Canvas is an interactive art session where creativity, music and awareness meet.

Join the Canadian Caribbean Association of Halton and local artist Omar Hopkinson for a creative afternoon of music and visual art in the Studio at 9 Church Street, Halton Hills. The first part of the program focuses on "The Struggle" whereby participants allow the mood of the background music to evoke feelings that are translated onto the canvas. The second part focuses on the "Freedom" of creativity whereby participants allow music to influence exploration and expand upon the initial artwork created. All supplies provided; no experience necessary.

Advance booking is required for this program, [reserve your space on Eventbrite](#).

For more, watch this short video: <https://vimeo.com/501976811/02d908865a>

Ages 16+

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## **Monday, February 12, 2024**

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### **BHM - Reading Blackout videos on social media. Ongoing**

Date and Time: Monday, February 12 09:00 am

Address: Virtual

Reading Blackout videos on social media. HHPL is challenging you to be part of the #ReadingBlackout campaign where HHPL staff share information on social media about books by Black authors throughout the month. The idea for this movement came from Youtuber Denise D. Cooper who challenges herself to only read books by Black authors in February. On social media, you will see books that we love but these are just the beginning! Join us in this reading challenge and tell us about some of your must-reads in the comments on our social channels.

### **BHM - Miyakah Emon: Explorations of Diasporic Experience Through the Liminal (Ongoing)**

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## **Saturday, February 17, 2024**

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### **BHM - Storytelling Experience for Children: Melanin in Me**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 17 11:00 am

Address: Georgetown Library Branch, 9 Church Street, Georgetown

School-aged children and their caregivers are invited to join the Canadian Caribbean Association of Halton and Strengthen Hands for a community building and storytelling experience with featured author, Cameile Henry. In this family-friendly event, children come together to foster connections and celebrate diversity through engaging activities and captivating stories. The featured book will be “Melanin in Me,” which explores the concept of melanin and how it affects skin colour, encouraging children to appreciate their own and others’ unique characteristics. Please register on our [online catalogue](#) to attend.

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Date and Time: Saturday, February 17 05:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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## Monday, February 19, 2024

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### Family Day Art Activity in the Helson Gallery (Free!)

Date and Time: Monday, February 19 01:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Helson Gallery, 9 Church Street, Georgetown, ON, L7G 2A3

Family Day Art Activity in the Helson Gallery

After exploring the artwork in the exhibition, Transatlantic Paper Trail participants can create their own whimsical colour-wash cityscape inspired by the extraordinary work of Rudolf Stussi. All materials are provided. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Free Event.

## Friday, February 23, 2024

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### TIFF OnScreen at the JET Mr. Dressup: The Magic of Make-Believe

Date and Time: Friday, February 23 07:30 pm

Address: JET - Library & Cultural Centre, Georgetown 9 Church St, ON L7G 2A3

Join us on Friday February 23rd, at the John Elliott Theatre for the upcoming [#TIFFOnScreenattheJET](#) screening of Mr. Dressup: The Magic of Make-Believe documentary. The winner of the 2023 TIFF People's Choice Documentary Award. Watch the story behind the legacy of Ernie Coombs, the childrens entertainer who created and starred in one of the longest running Canadian television series. Presented in partnership with TIFF Film Circuit, its sponsors and supporters, Create Halton Hills and the Halton Hills Public Library. Tickets are \$12 per person and are available for purchase at the JET box office in-person or online at [John Elliott Theatre - Halton Hills](#).

## Saturday, February 24, 2024

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### Coldest Night of the Year CNOY 2024 Halton Hills

Date and Time: Saturday, February 24 04:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Norval United Church Georgetown - 14015 Danby Road (walkathon start/end)

## It's cold out there.

**But on the Coldest Night of the Year, Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>, Georgetown Bread Basket & Links2Care (and hopefully YOU!) are Stepping Up once again as event co-hosts to warm spirits, hearts and tummies in Halton Hills.**

**CNOY is a winterrific walkathon (happening in 180+ cities across Canada!!) supporting organizations like ours to continue our 2+ decades helping neighbours struggling with hunger, housing, and health issues.**

**GOAL: RAISE \$50,000** to feed, house and support our community's most vulnerable.

### **WE NEED YOUR HELP:**

- **TEAM CAPTAINS** (inspirational leaders willing to cajole friends, family, and colleagues into joining them out in the cold for a great cause)
- **WALKERS** (compassionate people, who laugh at the cold if promised hot beverages and snacks)
- **DONORS** generous souls with a hankering to build amazing communities
- **SPONSORS** local businesses offering funds, food and prizes in return for a sledload of corporate social responsibility
- **VOLUNTEERS** benevolent folks who give time and skills to benefit others

**WHERE:** You can choose to walk a 2 or 5 km route in Georgetown starting and ending at Norval United Church (14015 Danby Rd.) or in Acton (generously led by the Acton Rotary) starting and ending at Links2Care Acton Hub (69 Acton Blvd.). Both walks are from 5-7pm. The Georgetown site will have opening ceremonies beginning at 4pm

**HOW:** Walk, Sponsor, Donate, Volunteer! What better New Year's Resolution than fun, exercise and some more warm-hearted community building? For info and to sign up visit [www.cnoy.org/haltonhills](http://www.cnoy.org/haltonhills) or contact us at [info@links2care.ca](mailto:info@links2care.ca) or 905-873-6502.

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## Wednesday, February 28, 2024

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### Halton Garden Week - Virtual Event

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 28 06:00 pm - 8:30 pm

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Halton Garden Week 2024 will be a hybrid event. Virtual presentations will run in the evenings on February 28th and 29th, starting at 6pm. We are excited to have Sean James with his presentation about 'An Appetite for Gardening: Incorporating Edible into a Traditional Landscape,' as well as Jocelyn Molyneux from WasteNot Farms teaching us about soil microbiology (in a fun and accessible way!). More presentations to be announced...

The week will conclude with an in-person Seedy Saturday event on March 2nd from 10:00am to 3:00pm at the Milton Sports Centre at [605 Santa Maria Blvd., Milton](#). The in-person event will include presentations, workshops, seed vendors, local environmental and garden organizations, hands-on activities for kids and a seed exchange table.

## Thursday, February 29, 2024

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<https://calendar.visithaltonhills.ca>