



**Spring has Sprung at the Deseronto Public Library**  
**Library implements new operating hours and special events for April.**

**Deseronto, ON – April 4, 2023**

Spring of 2023 brings many new and exciting programs to the Deseronto Public Library, as well as some welcome and refreshing changes. Today we are thrilled to announce that through community consultation over the last several months, the Deseronto Public Library will be implementing new hours of operation to better serve community needs. The as of April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023, the Deseronto Public Library will be open six days a week with the following schedule:

Mondays: 10:00am – 6:00pm

Tuesdays: 10:00am – 8:00pm

Wednesdays: 10:00am – 6:00pm

Thursdays: 10:00am – 6:00pm

Fridays: 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturdays: 10:00am – 2:00pm

Adding an additional evening enables those who work during the day to have an extra opportunity to use the library resources and participate in scheduled programming, instead of being limited to the single evening on Tuesdays.

April also holds two very exciting national days of celebration; National Canadian Film Day on April 19<sup>th</sup>, and Earth Day on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. On April 19<sup>th</sup>, the Library will be hosting a screening of the film “Beans”, directed by Tracey Deer, an Indigenous woman of the Mohawk Peoples, who’s film premiered at the Toronto International Film Festival and won the 2021 Canadian Screen Award for Best Picture. The show starts at 4:00pm and all are welcome to attend. On April 22<sup>nd</sup>, in celebration of Earth Day, the Library will be hosting a Plant Swap and Propagation Station event from 12:00pm until 2:00pm. All are welcome and encouraged to bring a plant cutting from home and a container or flower pot to plant any cuttings you take home. All needed soil will be provided.

April holds many exciting opportunities and we hope to have as many members of the community joining us as possible.

**About the Deseronto Public Library:**

The Deseronto Public Library has been serving the community of Deseronto as a public library since May 1<sup>st</sup>, 1896. Providing safe, inclusive, and inspiring opportunities and resources to the community and surrounding area is what drives the organization to fulfill its mission to be the doorway to life-long-learning for every citizen. You can learn more by visiting their website at [deserontopubliclibrary.ca](http://deserontopubliclibrary.ca) or by contacting Julie Lane, CEO/Librarian, at [ceo@deserontopubliclibrary.ca](mailto:ceo@deserontopubliclibrary.ca) or by phone at 613-396-2744.