


Port Colborne

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 EarlyON Child and Family Centre, Port Colborne

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December 2018

Hours

Monday to Wednesday	9am to 4:30pm
Thursday	9am to 7pm
Friday	9am to 4pm

Outreach Programs



Village Friends 11am to 1pm
Every Thursday at the Port Cares Reach Out Food Centre, 61 Nickel St. A place to play, meet friends, experience art materials and engage in fun activities

Workshops



Reindeer Food: Friday Dec 21
We provide the activities and materials allowing you and your child to engage in exploration and inquiry

Nutrition Questions – First Foods
Monday Dec 10 at 2:00pm
A Dietician from Bridges Community Health Centre will be available



Infant Programs

Infant Interactives at 1:30pm
Babies and Books: Dec 4
Interactive Play and Dietician: Dec 10
Holiday Art: Dec 17



Port Cares EarlyON Port Colborne has a Facebook page!
Please LIKE our page to keep up to date with our programs!!

French Fun



Wednesdays & Thursdays come and play with our French Facilitator and explore bilingual fun

Toddler & Preschool Activities



Cooking Fun Wednesday Dec 5 at 10am
Come help make and eat yummy pancakes (bilingual fun)

Little Counters® Friday Dec 7
Join us for a numeracy activity to support cognitive development with your toddler or preschooler



Toddler Creative Tuesday Dec 11
Join us for a creative experience!

Therapy Tails Thursday Dec 13 at 3:30pm
Come enjoy the company of a 4 legged friend as we read and sing together!



Art Activity Friday Dec 14
Create a holiday card in our art studio

Toddler Music Tuesday Dec 18
Let's sing and dance together!



Science Fun Wednesday Dec 19
Come investigate and be curious with science materials (bilingual fun)

Just Dad & I

Saturday Dec 15 9am to noon
Calling all Dads, Grandpas, other significant males to come play, explore and be curious in the centre with your child(ren)!

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Drop In and Play

At a Drop In and Play session you and your child can:

- Meet other mothers, fathers and caregivers
- Socialize with other children
- Participate in circle time activities
- Have fun in the many play areas
- Find information regarding other community resources
- Discuss parenting with experienced staff and other parents
- Learn about the programs and services we offer

Community Partner Services

****Brighter Futures (Strive Niagara)**

****New Day & Time**

Mondays at 10am. This free program builds upon the strengths of individuals and supports families to overcome barriers

Healthy from the Start (Strive Niagara)

Wednesdays at 1:30pm. Receive pregnancy support, grocery gift cards and prenatal vitamins. No appointment necessary.

Early Childhood Resource Consultant

A resource consultant visits on a regular basis to support child development and answer questions. Please see staff for date and time

Interested in **childcare** or **resource supports** for your child? A **Subsidy Case Manager** from the Niagara Region will be here to answer questions. Appointments are recommended



Port Cares EarlyON Port Colborne will be closed on December 24. We reopen on Monday January 7! Merry Christmas & Happy New Year from the Port Cares EarlyON staff!

Holiday Planter

December 4-7, come help us put a Holiday Planter together. If you have anything at home or find something outside on a walk, feel free to bring in to add to the planter



Holiday Celebration



Wednesday December 12

9:30 to 11:30am

Join us at the Portal Village Retirement Home on Elgin Street to celebrate Christmas and have a visit with Santa!!

Please register for this celebration

Have you heard?

Port Cares Reach Out Food Centre is hosting a Children's Christmas Party!

Wednesday December 12 from 4pm to 6pm

Adult accompaniment is required

Register by calling 905-835-1914

by Wednesday December 5



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Interactive Play Hours

Monday 9 - 4:30
Tuesday 9 - 4:30
Wednesday 9 - 4:30
Thursday 9 - 7
Friday 9 - 4

Village Friends at ROFC

61 Nickel Street
Thursday 11-2

Pre-Registered Program

Monday - Infant 1:30-3:30

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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3   Babies & Books	4 Holiday Planter 	5  French Fun  Baking Fun	6  French Fun  Village Friends	7  Little Counters	8
10   Interactive Play Q & A with a Dietician 	11 Toddler Creative 	12  French Fun  Portal Village Holiday Visit	13  French Fun Therapy Tails Village Friends	14  Holiday Card Making	15 Just Dad and I 9am-12pm 
17   Babies Holiday Art	18 Toddler Music 	19  French Fun  Science Fun	20  French Fun  Village Friends	21  Make N Take Reindeer Food	22
24  	25  Christmas Closed	26  Boxing Day Closed	27  	28  	29
31  	<div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Circle (Group) time experiences available at 10:30 am as children are interested</p>  </div>				