## **Community Events**



# Monday, December 2, 2024

## **Holidays with HOPE**

Date and Time: Monday, December 2 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Woolwich Memorial Centre, Front Lobby, 24 Snyder Ave. S., Elmira, ON N3B 1Z1

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# Tuesday, December 3, 2024

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## Eco Book Club

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 3 6:45 pm - 7:45 pm

Address: 65 Arthur St., S, Elmira ON

A monthly book club featuring non-fiction environmental books with a focus on Climate Crisis provided by the library and co-hosted with TWEEC members.

Designed for Adults (18+).

Questions will be provided and respectful discussion encouraged! Books will be available for pick up through t he library.

Book selections are as follows:

April 2: The Book of Hope by Jane Goodall

May 7: Regenesis by George Monbiot

June 4: The Overstory by Richard Powers

July 2: The Future is Now by Bob McDonald

August 6: How to be a Climate Optimist by Chris Turner

Sept 3: <u>How to Avoid Climate Disaster by Bill Gates</u>

Oct 1: The Sixth Extinction by Elizabeth Kolbert

Nov 5: Braiding Sweetgrass by Robin Wall Kimmerer

Dec.3: The Climate Book by Thunberg

TWEEC is a partnership between the Township of Woolwich and Woolwich Healthy Communities to improve t he quality of the environment in Woolwich through tree planting, removing invasive species, supporting Climat e Action initiatives, and hosting educational events.

Register: https://rwlibrary.libnet.info/event/10231025

## Wednesday, December 4, 2024

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# Friday, December 6, 2024

## Christmas in Breslau

Date and Time: Friday, December 6 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 100 Andover Drive, Breslau

Come and celebrate the holiday season with us at the Breslau Community Centre on Friday December 6th.

Get ready for an unforgettable evening that kicks off at 5pm! Dive into a world of excitement with a lineup that'll have you on the edge of your seat – think cookie decorating, hands-on crafts, a rendezvous with the big man h imself, Santa, an outdoor vendor market to shop 'til you drop, marshmallow roasting, and the grand finale – a d azzling tree lighting ceremony that'll light up the night! This isn't just an event; it's a festive extravaganza waitin g to unfold!

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# Thursday, December 19, 2024

## **Knights of Columbus #8192 General Meeting**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 19 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 19 Flamingo Dr, Elmira, ON N3B 1V3

General meetings are open to any Knights of Columbus member upon presentation of a current membership car d as well as to their guests who are **18 years of age or older and are practicing Catholics** that also have an in terest in joining the order and becoming a Knight. We are looking for men that want to help those in need, serve the parish and community and grow in the faith.

Guests of members are invited to come meet your friends or neighbours beginning at 6:30 PM to learn more ab out the Knights! It is a time for fellowship and includes a small meal, snacks and refreshments; followed by the general meeting at 7:30 PM.

If interested, prospective members are asked to fill in and print out the attached membership document. Comple ted forms can be brought with you to a meeting when accompanied by a current member, or dropped off at the p arish office.

A 12 month, free, online membership is immediately available at: kofc.org/join (Enter Council 8192 as 'Prefe

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