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LEGO® Building Competition at the Library

Owen Sound, Ontario – Friday, November 13, 2026 – Children and families are invited to take part in a LEGO® Building Competition at the Owen Sound & North Grey Union Public Library. Students in grades JK-8 and team groups can submit an original build for a chance to win LEGO® sets and competition trophies.

The competition's judges include the owner of The Rocking Horse, the Director of Planning and Development for Grey County, a building inspector with the City of Owen Sound's Community Services Department, and the founding architect of G.M. Diemert Architect Inc.

The 2026 LEGO® Building Competition includes events over November 23-25:

Building Bee: Monday, November 23 from 4:00-5:30pm
Use the Library's bricks to create entries for the competition. Registration required.

Creation Drop Off: Monday, November 23 from 5:30-7:30pm
Families building at home with their own LEGO® can bring their creations to the Library and submit them in the Auditorium.

Community Viewing and Voting: Tuesday, November 24 from 3:30 -7:30pm
and Wednesday, November 25 from 3:30-6:00pm
Members of the community are invited to show their support for all the creative builders participating in the competition. Everyone will be encouraged to cast a vote for the People's Choice Award winner.

Awards Ceremony: Wednesday, November 25 from 7:00-7:30pm
All participants and members of the community are welcome to celebrate the winners of the different age categories as selected by the judges, and the winner of the People's Choice Award.

Information packages are available from the Youth Services Department at the Library or at https://www.osngupl.ca/lego-building-competition/. For more information, please contact Katie McLeish, Youth Services Specialist at 519-376-6623 ext. 5218 or kmcleish@library.osngupl.ca.

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