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Games @ the Library Week, 2019
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During the week of October 20-26, 2019, APLA sponsored Games @ the Library week, also known as La Semaine des jeux @ la bibliothèque, in French! Anytime that week, libraries of all types in Atlantic Canada were encouraged to host a game themed event of their choice (board games, chess, trivia, scavenger hunts, video games, etc.). Events could be geared towards specific age groups or the whole community. APLA's goal is to show that libraries are places where people meet, learn, and have fun!

All participants during APLA's Games @ the Library week were eligible to enter their names in the grand prize draw that took place on November 15, 2019. There is one grand prize chosen for all of Atlantic Canada. The winner's name will be published in the next APLA Bulletin.

All participants were encouraged to share photos of their events with APLA social media and were invited to register their game event(s) with the American Library Association's International Games Week. These weeklong events have flexible dates in order to include libraries from around the world. Picture here are two photos of the NSCC Ivany Campus Games @ the Library mini golf event.

A great big thank you to everyone who participated in Games @ the Library week!