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Come ring in the New Year with the City of Cambridge with an evening packed with free activities for all ages on and off the ice. Festivities will include ice skating, a Turbo Max inflatable obstacle course, live entertainment with Team T J, games and more. The concession stand will be open with snacks for sale.Skate times: 3 to 3:50 pm, 4 to 4:50 pm, 5 to 5:50 pm and 6 to 6:50 pmTeam T J will be performing at 4:00 pm, 5:00 pm and 6:00 pm in the Beehive Hall.

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### *Fibre Arts Meet-Up*



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