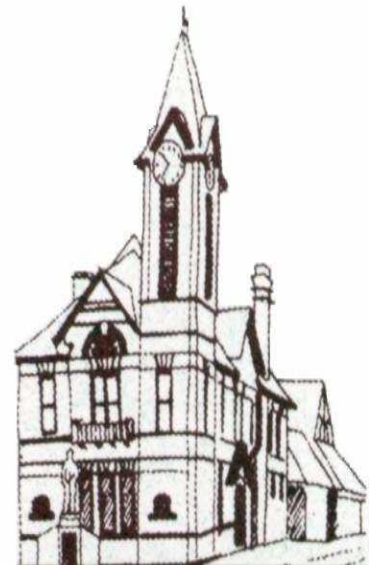


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*The Friends Group will host their
Good Used Book Sale*

*June 13 and 14—9:30 am to 5 pm.
Lower Meeting Room*

We will accept books and DVDs on the lower level of the library for the sale. Please do not bring magazines, text books, outdated computer books, encyclopedias and self help books as they do not sell. A good place to pick up some summer reading material.

The Friends of the Uxbridge Libraries group is always looking for **New Members**. Ask for more information on the benefits of becoming a member of the group in the Adult Department.

Attention: High School Students, do you still need to complete some community service hours?

We are looking for high school students to help at the book sale who need community service hours. Ask for Alexandra Hartmann at the library if you are interested in assisting. We would really appreciate your help.



**Summer Programs
@ the Library....**

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Pre-registration starts on
Thursday June 11, 9:30 am in the
Children's Department.

*Sign up early.....so you won't
be disappointed.*

**Note:
The Library will be closed**

On Tuesday June 16
For Staff Training
And
On Wednesday July 1,
Canada Day

**Free Draws @ the
Uxbridge and Zephyr
Libraries in June.**

Teens who come to the library in June can receive a free chance to win a

**Teen Summer
Survival Kit.**

Teens can enter a ballot into a draw for a teen basket with some fun freebies and reading material.

All are useful items for your summer vacation.

Draws will be made Friday June 26, 2009. Winners will be notified by phone. Thanks to Shopper's Drug Mart Uxbridge for their additions to these baskets.



**Stacks of
Summer
Reading**

For every visit to the library in June, patrons will get a free ballot for a chance to win a free "stack" of books. Just what you need for a stress free summer—free reading with no due dates to worry about.

Draws will be made on Friday June 26 and winners will be notified by phone.

One ballot for every visit in the Adult or Children's Departments.

Summer Registration begins on Thursday June 11, 9:30 am
in the Children's Department.

Fees must be paid at the time of registration, by cash or cheque.

For inquiries regarding the
summer line-up of programs contact
Pamela Noble at 905-852-9747 or
email: pnoble@uxlib.com



Uxbridge Public Library Summer Programs

July 2009

Grade as entering in September 2009

All programs include nifty crafts!



Monday Grades 1 – 2 2:00 – 3:30 PM \$4.00/class	Tuesday Grades 3 – 6 2:00 – 4:00 PM \$4.50/class	Wednesday JK – SK 2:00 – 3:00 PM \$3.50/class	Thursday Reading Club & Show Days	Friday Grades 7 – 10 10:00 – Noon \$4.50/class
²⁹ Big Brown Bears Forget the lions and tigers, today is all about the bears!	³⁰ Blast Off! Kick-off summer with a bang! Join in for some fun space themed activities including a model rocket!	¹ Canada Day Library Closed	² Summer Reading Club Kick-Off 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Grades 2 – 7 Kick-off day for our summer reading club. Free posters and booklets!	³
⁶ Gingerbread Man Run, run, as fast as you can! Let's see if we can catch the gingerbread man!	⁷ Super Structures Join us for this worldwide tour of amazing structures! Design your own bridge!	⁸ Busy Little Bees The library is buzzing with activity! Complete the day with a "pesky" craft.	⁹ Detective School pt. 1 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Grades 2 – 7 Attention Reading Detectives! There will be a top secret briefing today at the library.	¹⁰ Cake Decorating Showdown You can decorate your cake and eat it too! Win cool prizes for best design!
¹³ Toys, Toys, Toys Let's investigate simple machines by playing with toys! Learn all about levers, pulleys, wheels and more!	¹⁴ Behind the Mask (1) Create your own mysterious mask! On day one, we will begin masks with paper mache. *This is a two day craft*	¹⁵ Count on Me 1, 2, 3, 4 Grab your shoes and head out the door, 5, 6, 7, 8 Come to the library, and don't be late!	¹⁶ Bach to Beatles 1:30 – 2:30 PM \$4.00/child Grades K – 6 Go on an entertaining and educational voyage through musical history!	¹⁷ DIY Spa Stuff Escape the summer heat and indulge with products to primp and pamper yourself that you can concoct yourself from everyday ingredients.
²⁰ It's a Birthday Party! We're celebrating everyone's birthday today at the library! There will be games, cupcakes and, of course, presents!	²¹ Behind the Mask (2) On day two, we will paint and decorate our masks. *Best to attend pt. 1, but not necessary.*	²² Teddy Bear Tea Bring your favourite teddy bear for a very special tea party and picnic!	²³ Detective School pt. 2 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Grades 2 – 7 Attention Reading Club Detectives! Today's briefing is on finding prints to capture the culprit!	²⁴
²⁷ Camping In Lights out! Gather around the campfire for songs, stories, and woody crafts!	²⁸ DIY Science Do you have an inquisitive mind? Then you'll love this day filled do-it-yourself science experiments!	²⁹ Just Ducky Quack, quack! Waddle on down to the library for a fun-filled, feathery adventure!	³⁰ Detective School pt. 3 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Grades 2 – 7 Attention Reading Club Detectives! Today you will be briefed on sending and decoding secret messages!	³¹

All children wishing to participate in the summer programs must register in the Children's Department prior to the day of the program.



TD Summer Reading Club

Members of the *TD Summer Reading Club* are invited to join us for detective themed programs all summer long at the library. Come to all the programs or pick and choose the days which work best for you!
Reading club and programs are FREE!



Summer Reading Club 2009

"Agent 009"

This year a mystery theme has been chosen. Some of the books included and our club meetings will 'revolve' around solving the crime! Kick off day is Thursday July 2, 2—3 pm for students entering grades 2—7.

Everyone signing up receives a poster and a mystery workbook. If unable to attend on sign-up day, registrations will remain open until July 16.

Students select books to read at their own interest and reading level with the emphasis on reading for pleasure and not for pressure. New this year will be special '009' club programs on Thursdays. Attend if you can! Free.

FUN IN FRENCH SUMMER CAMP

(Grade 1—4, as of Sept. '09)

This program is being offered as an introduction to the French language and culture and could also serve as an enjoyable way to improve on prior knowledge of speaking and understanding French. A series of games, songs, stories, crafts, foods and mini-adventures will be included every morning from **9:45 am—12:45 pm** for four weeks, July 20—Aug 14.

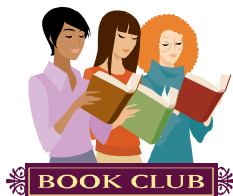
Cost is by the day \$12.
or by the week \$50..

Classes to be conducted by Laura Nash, a qualified teacher.

Sign-up for this program will open on Thurs. June 11 in the Children's Library. Payment due at time of registration.

Pre-registration necessary for this program to run.

Adult Department



Page Turners Reading Clubs

We have spots for new members when the group resumes in the fall. For inquiries call Pam at 852-9747 ext. 24.

Uxbridge:

Monday June 8
7:15 pm—8:30 pm

in the Lower Meeting Room
The Thirteenth Tale
By Diane Setterfield

Zephyr:

Tuesday June 23
2:15—3:30 pm

Five Ring Circus
By Christopher A. Shaw

Everyone welcome.
Refreshments provided.

Reminder about Parking

Dear Patrons, please be advised that the parking lot behind Sears and the Plaza across from the library is private property. Please use the municipal lots behind the Library or on Church Street.
Thank you.

PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

for ages 1-4 will resume in the fall.

Watch for details in the August Old Town Clock or online at www.uxlib.com



"As We See It"

Daytime adult program on various topics to include, on occasion, special guest speakers and travelogues.

When: Fourth Wednesday of the month to resume again in the Fall.
Watch for information in the August Newsletter

Cost: "Toonie for Treats"

Drop-in: Pre-registration is not necessary.



Genealogy Club Meeting

Thursday June 18, 7—9 pm
Lower Meeting Room



Topic
"Genealogical Brickwalls"

Need Help?....A Genealogy Club volunteer will be in the Genealogy Room @ the Library on Wednesday mornings from 9:30 am—noon.

Drop in.

Meetings Coming Up @ the Library

Writer's Circle—Lower Meeting Room June 2, 16 and 30
@ 7-9 pm Call Dorothea Helms
at 905-852-0551 for more info.

Friends of the Library—Lower Meeting Room
June 13 & 14 Book sale

Library Board Meeting
@ Zephyr Library
June 25 @ 6:30 pm

Now is the time to Adopt - a-Magazine @ the Library



For individuals or companies wishing to contribute to the library's collection, consider our "Adopt-a-Magazine" Program. Adopt-a-Magazine in our collection and have your contribution to the library marked with a word of appreciation on the shelf with the magazine.

Tax receipts and gift cards are available. Come soon to choose your magazine for the 2009 season. Some are already adopted.

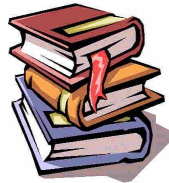
Information is available at the library or call 905-852-9747.

Individual Computer Training Available

One on One Courses are available for:

- ◆ Windows XP
- ◆ Around the World
- ◆ On-line Shopping
- ◆ Intro to the Internet
- ◆ Advanced Searching
- ◆ HTML

Contact
Deanna at 905-852-9747, ext 25
to sign up for an appointment.
\$5.00 per session



Renew & Reserve Online

You can search the catalogue, renew borrowed items once, and reserve titles online. All you need is a password. Visit or phone the Library to obtain your own password.

Sign onto the library website at
www.uxlib.com.

1. Click the Online Catalogue tab.
2. Click on the Sign-In button at the top right.
3. Enter your library card number as your username and your password.

Renew

1. Click the My Account tab at the top.
2. Click the Current Transactions tab just below. (This will bring up a list of titles you have signed out.)
3. Click renew beside the title to renew your loan of the titles.

NOTE: The title must be renewed before the closing of the Library that day to avoid an overdue fine.

Reserve

1. Search the catalogue and find the title you are looking for.
2. If the box next to the title is red then the title is currently out. If you reserve the title, you will be called when it is available.
3. If the box next to the title is green, the title will be available for you later that day at the circulation desk.
4. For both scenarios, click on the title for more details.
5. Click the Reserve tab in the top right corner.
6. You have now reserved your title.

LIBRARY HOURS

**UXBRIDGE
BRANCH
905-852-9747**

**Monday
Wednesday,
Friday, Saturday
9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

**Tuesday, Thursday
9:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.**

**Sundays between
Mid October and
Mid May
1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

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**ZEPHYR
BRANCH
905-473-2375**

**Tuesday, Thursday
1:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

**Saturday
10 a.m.-1 p.m.**

