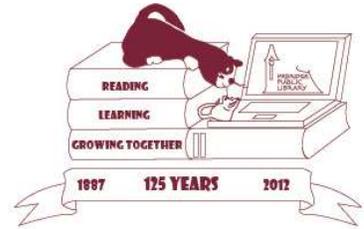


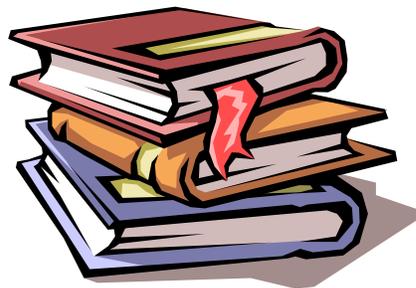
THE OLD TOWN CLOCK



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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE
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The Friends of the Uxbridge Library will host a

Good Used Book Sale

Sat. May 12, 10 am—5 pm

Sun. May 13, 1—5 pm

Mon. May 14, 10 am—5 pm

Tues. May 15, 10 am—9 pm

In the Lower Meeting Room

*A great place to pick
up some summer
reading material.*



Donations of books, movies and audio books are welcome on the Lower Level of the Library. Text books must be less than ten years old. All funds raised go towards the purchase of new materials for the Library.

Thank You.

Details on...

Movies @ the Library,

Knitting lessons,

Teen & Adult Programs,

Children's Summer

Activities & Reading Club,

Library Camp

plus much more on

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Newsletter.



The Library will be closed
Sunday, May 20 &
Monday, May 21
for the Victoria Day Weekend
And
May 25 for Staff Training

Note:

The Library will be closed on Sundays
beginning May 20, 2012 through
to Sunday October 14, 2012

Free Spring Best Seller List

now available @ the Library.

Pre-order your new reads.

**Summer
FUN
@ The Library**
Sign up begins
Monday June 11, 2012



**2012 Reading
Club theme:**

Imagine!

As its name suggests, this theme will familiarize young readers with literature of the fantastic. Readers will be charmed by fantasy stories and novels and they will be enthralled by tales of wonder. They will discover the Gothic and steam-punk worlds where unusual creatures and strange machines can be found in mysterious locales.

Imagine a summer of books, games and activities that will give free rein to young people's imaginations. Be sure not to miss the TD Summer Reading Club. It will be wonderful, fantastical, and phantasmagorical!



Grades 2-7
Kick-off July 4, 2:00—3:30 pm



**TEEN
SUMMER
READING CLUB**

...will be back this summer with eight great new books! Keep checking our website for details as the summer approaches.
www.uxlib.com/teenreading

**MYTHES & MAKE BELIEVE
CAMP** Ages 6-9 years



Session # 1 July 9-13
or
Session # 2 July 16-20

8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Cost: \$147.00/week

Come join us at the first ever week long summer camps at the Library.

This camp helps children develop problem solving, reasoning, self expression and team work skills through a series of creative, interactive activities and crafts both indoors and outside. Lots of time to explore the library, including laptop time/training. Students bring along their own lunches and snacks.

Early drop-off (8 am) add \$5.00 or late pick-up (5 pm) add \$5.00.

**MOVIES
@ THE LIBRARY**

Movies
in the Lower Meeting Room @ the Library
Cost: \$2.00 /person

- Friday May 4: Teen Movie Chronicle 7:00—8:30 pm
- Sunday May 27: Family Movie A Monster in Paris, 2:30—4:00 pm
- Saturday June 23: Teen Movie Hunger Games, 7:00 —9:30 pm
- Thursday July 5: Family Movie Mirror Mirror, 6:30—8:20 pm
- Friday July 13: Teen Movie Wrath of the Titans, 7—8:45 pm

Popcorn and water will be sold for \$1.00 each.



Sign up and pay ahead in the Children's Department or show up early and pay at the door. Bring a pillow or cushion if you wish to sit on the floor.



**SPECTACULAR
SUMMER....**

**@ the Library.
Something for ALL
School Age Kids!**

Programs will be offered for grades JK—7 during July and August. All sessions will include various games, crafts and intriguing activities! Choose the classes to fit your schedule for the summer, on the day of the week, according to the grade entered in September 2012.

Pre-registration opens on Monday June 11, in person, with payment in cash or by cheque.

Full description of the programs planned for each day will be available when sign-ups open on June 11.

Mondays	Grades 3—6
2:00—3:30 pm	\$4.00 per class
Tuesdays	Grades JK—SK
2:00—3:00 pm	\$3.50 per class
Wednesdays	Grades 2—7
Reading Club	Kick off July 4
2:00 pm—3:30 pm	Free
Thursdays	Grades 1-2
2:00—3:30 pm	\$4.00/class
Fridays	Daycare visits
2:00—3:00 pm	& other activities

*Family Rate: \$9.00/week for maximum of three children.



Olive Oil Tasting and Information Session

**Library Lower Meeting Room
Tuesday May 29
7:30 pm —9:00 pm**

Angelo Tramonti of Sarafino Foods will give a tasting demo and talk on the wonders of artisanal olive oil. Grown on the family estates in Calabria, Italy, these oils will tempt your taste buds, and are good for you too. Learn about the different kinds of olives that make up his oils, taste the difference between virgin and extra-virgin oil and find out how to successfully use these different oils in all sorts of salads and for cooking. Guests Adrian Stocking (local organic farmer) & Nicki Pagidas (Owner of Urban Pantry) will also be there.

This program is free but donations to the Friends of the Library will be gratefully accepted.

Uxbridge Genealogy Group Meeting

Meetings take place on the third Thursday of the month at the Uxbridge Library.
Cost: \$2.00
Time: 7 pm
Library Lower Meeting Room

May 17, 2012

Topic: The Quaker Connection in Uxbridge

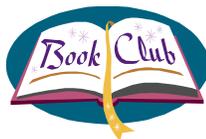
Speaker: Jane Zavitz-Bond

New members are always welcome. For more information please visit www.uxgen.net
Or Email: info@uxgen.net

ADULT PROGRAM

Coming in June 19, 7 pm **Derek Foster**, a self-made millionaire in his 30's! Learn some little known tips for securing your retirement from his newest book: "The Worried Boomer". Ask any questions you want!

Sign up in the Adult Department.



April Reading

Uxbridge Page Turners:
The Art of Racing in the Rain
By Garth Stein

Zephyr Page Turners:
Cutting for Stone
By Abraham Verghese

Books'n'Bites:
"Canadian History"

Presently all book clubs are full. If this type of activity is of interest to you please contact Pamela Noble, Program Director, and should numbers be sufficient, consideration will be given to starting another reading club. 905-852-9747 ext. 24

Learn To Knit And.....More.



*A class will run on Wednesdays
May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20 & 27
Six classes*

Carol McGavin from "Never Enough Wool" in Port Perry, will be teaching a class for all levels of knitting from beginners to intermediate and advanced.
All are welcome to come.

**7:00 pm to 8:30 pm
In the Lower Meeting Room
The fee is \$15/person
Prorated if you join late.**

No Registration necessary.
Payment is due at the first class.



"As We See It"

See the world as an 'arm chair' traveler. Make new friends, learn something new, re-visit places you may have been already or garner information for your next journey! Relax with refreshments, share stories and ask questions, following the visual presentation. A great opportunity to reach out and bring along a neighbour or acquaintance in need of transportation for an affordable and entertaining 'afternoon out'.

**When: Wed. May 23, 2012
1 pm — 2:30 pm
Where: Library Lower Meeting Room.
Cost: Toonie for Treats**



FALKLAND ISLANDS & SOUTH GEORGIA

Our guest presenter will be Geoff Carpentier, avid author and photographer who has travelled the world since his retirement from the Ministry of the Environment. Putting his life studies to work, Geoff became an expedition and interpretive guide and has visited over 65 countries. He will take us on a photo journey of the rugged Falklands, including a look at South Georgia. Also Geoff will speak briefly about his latest book, "Antarctica-First Journey", a pictorial selection full of helpful tips and suggestions for a trip to the land of the penguins!





Meetings Coming Up @ the Library

Friends of the Library
Lower Meeting Room.
7:00 pm May 10, 2012
New members welcome.

Library Board Meeting
Tower room
6:30 – 8:30 pm May 17, 2012
Open to the public

Writers Circle
Lower Meeting Room
7:00 - 8:30 pm May 8 & 22

E-BOOKS @ THE LIBRARY

To access and download
E-Books and Audio books,
follow these steps:

1. Go to our website, uxlib.com
2. Click on “e-Books and Audio Books” (at the right)
3. Click on Login (at the top) and follow the instructions to login. Use the number on your library card and the password you set up at the library.
4. At the left, click on whatever genre of e-Book or Audio book you want to download.
5. If the book you want is available, the words “add to cart” will appear. Click this and then “proceed to checkout” to download your digital book.

FYI ... Overdrive now provides access for our patrons to: almost 18,000 e-Books and 7,000 Audio books.



Adopt-a-Magazine

For individuals or companies wishing to contribute to the library's collection, consider our “Adopt-a-Magazine” Program.

Choose a magazine in our Adult or Children’s Department and have your contribution to the library marked with a word of appreciation on the shelf with the magazine.

Come in and choose your magazine for the 2012 year. Tax Receipts will be given for all donations.

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



NOTE
*The library will be closed
on June 7 and 8, 2012
for Inventory.*

RESERVES ON “ON ORDER” ITEMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE.

Just reserve as you would any other item that is already in stock, and we will call you when it arrives.



Room for Rent

The Library Lower Meeting room is available to rent for your family gathering or child’s birthday party. Call Peggy @ 905-852-9747 ext. 21 for more details.

LIBRARY HOURS



*New hours effective
Feb. 1, 2012*

UXBRIDGE BRANCH
905-852-9747
Monday,
Wednesday,
Friday, Saturday
10 am - 5 pm
Tuesday, Thursday
10 am - 9 pm

**OPEN Sundays until
May 13, 2012
1 pm - 5 pm
* * ***

ZEPHYR BRANCH
905-473-2375
Tuesday, Thursday
3 pm - 8 pm
Saturday
10 am - 3 pm

Individual Computer Training Available



One-to-one training is available for your computer needs, whether a beginner, intermediate, or advanced user. Bring your own laptop or use one of ours!

Contact
Deanna at
905-852-9747, Ext. 32 or
deanna_gregorio@uxlib.com
to sign up for
an appointment.