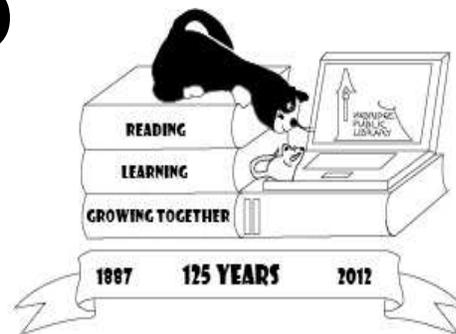


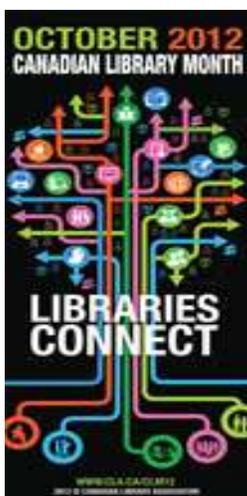
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Canadian Library Month provides an opportunity to celebrate libraries across Canada and the important contributions they make to Canadian life. This year's theme, *Libraries Connect* reminds us just how essential libraries are in the interconnected world in which we live. Libraries are the centre of many communities, providing a public space for people to meet, learn, connect and grow. Libraries help direct the flow of information and resources. They are places of endless opportunity and provide Canadian with equitable access to resources.

Let's all celebrate
Canadian Library Month in October-
because ...*Libraries Connect!*



"125th Anniversary Cookbook"

"Calling all Cooks and Bakers"

Uxbridge residents are invited to contribute a recipe for a special cookbook to be available before Christmas, to commemorate the 125th anniversary of the Uxbridge Library. If interested please submit your entry, in writing, at the library or online to ahartmann@uxlib.com, no later than Friday, November 9. Please **INCLUDE** your name, phone number and which of the following categories is applicable for your recipe: appetizer, main course, dessert, preserves. One entry per person only. For further details or questions contact Pamela Noble, 905-852-9747.

We will be
Open Sundays
1-5 pm
Beginning
October 14, 2012
Until May 2013



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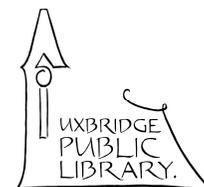
- **Friday October 5, 2012 for Staff Training**
- **Monday October 8, 2012 for Thanksgiving.**

Ontario Public Library Week * October 14—20, 2012

This annual fall event was first announced by the province in 1985. A strong library system is the cornerstone of a strong community. The province recognizes the important contribution libraries make to education, literacy and life-long learning in Ontario communities. With 1,085 service points in the Province, patrons make over 72 million visits to libraries annually.

In Uxbridge Township, 189,947 items circulated in 2011. We added 155 new patrons and 8945 items to our collection. We borrowed 1,983 Inter library loans from other libraries.

Visit your local library this month and enter your name into a free draw for a basket of books.
Draw to be made on October 22.



Children's Department

“New this Fall” Special days for children who attend Junior or Senior Kindergarten.

*Pre-registration necessary for these programs beginning on Monday October 1, in the Children's Department



Halloween Scavenger Hunt

Tuesday, October 30th
10:30am-11:30am
Cost: \$3.50

Wear the colours black and orange, and join us at the library for Halloween fun.



Stuffy Sleepover

Ever wonder what your stuffed animal might do if they spent the night at the library? Bring them in for the stuffy sleepover and find out!!

Thursday November 15th drop off your stuffed animal until 9:00pm.

Join us for a **Pyjama Party**
Saturday November 17th

and to pick up your stuffed animal.

10:30am-11:30am
Cost: \$3.50



Christmas Fun at the Library

Monday December 10th
10:30am-11:30am
Cost: \$3.50

Join us for stories, games and a Christmas craft to take home.



ALSO....

“New this Fall” Family and Friends Drop In Story time

10:30 am Mondays or Tuesdays
Ages 2 1/2 and up with adult
***no registration required**

Come join Cathy Reesor and let your imagination soar during our “new” story time. This program will include stories, songs, rhymes and will end with crafty fun. Stories will be geared for ages 2 1/2 and up, but all are welcome.

Mondays: October 1,15, 22 and
November 5, 19, and 26th

or

Tuesdays: October 2, 9, 16, 23 and
November 6, 20 and 27



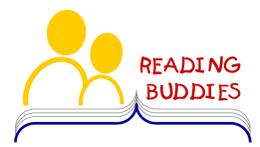
Musical Moments

with Kathy Reid-Naiman.



Lots of toe tapping and knee slapping along with musical instruments, finger-plays and songs old and new.

- Thursdays, October 4 to November 29
- 8 classes
- 10:15 to 10:45 am for 6 to 18 months.
- Cost: \$50.00 accompanied by parent /caregiver.
- Register now in the Children's Department..



We have had a terrific response to our new Reading Buddies program that we are offering this fall! Almost 30 Little Buddies from our community have been matched with Big Buddies. The kids will have lots of fun improving their literacy skills while some teens get an opportunity to earn some valuable community service hours!

If you missed our registration this fall, we will be offering this 8-week program again in January and February. Information and registration forms will be available at the end of November.

A big THANK YOU to the sponsor of our Reading Buddies program:

Sponsored by



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& Tonia N. Ferguson CB

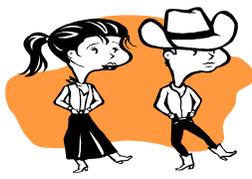
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Contact Robyn Miller at
905.852.9747
ext. 32 or robyn.miller@uxlib.com

UXBRIDGE TAKE TIME EVENT @ THE LIBRARY

**Saturday October 20
2 pm**



Wild Wild West Line Dancing

Everyone is invited to come on down to the wild wild west!

Costumes are optional!
We'll learn a simple line dance together and make a COWBOY snack!.



LUNCH
at the LEGION:
'Breaking the Silence'
with Ted Barris
Friday, October 26,
noon—2 pm

Everyone is welcome to join us for our fall luncheon featuring a guest writer. Uxbridge resident Ted Barris, well respected author, journalist, and broadcaster will speak about his research and humbling experience in completing his latest book, *'Breaking the Silence'*.

In Ted's words: "Despite all I've learned about life and death in the time and place of war—from those who survived it, I still don't claim to know all of what I am supposed to remember during two minutes of silence on November 11".

Please consider attending this event for the opportunity to further appreciate why indeed we must remain mindful, and understand more fully the revelations of the experiences of our veterans, from long ago to the present. As always the legion ladies will provide a bountiful and tasty meal!

Tickets, to be purchased in advance, and are available at the Library.

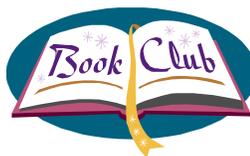
*Cost: \$12.00/ticket.
 (Vets & Legion. Members. \$10.00)*

**Service for
 shut-ins.**



If you are unable to physically access the library, and would like delivery of materials, please give Pam Noble a call at 905-852-9747, ext. 24.

We are also looking for volunteers to assist us with this program.



Zephyr Page Turners

Tuesday October 23, 2012

Book: Fawna
 by Alissa York

Tuesday November 27, 2012

Book: 419
 By Will Ferguson

For More Information Contact:
 Anne Godbehere, 852-9747 ext. 29

"AS WE SEE IT"

Due to renovations travelogues are on hold until 2013..
 Watch for details in the Old Town Clock.



**JOB SEARCHING
 WORKSHOP**

October 18, 2:00-4:00 pm

**Would you like to find a job but
 are not sure where to begin?**

Attending our employment workshop is a great place to start. You will learn the "ins" and "outs" of finding that job from A to Z. Danielle, an employment resource professional from Durham College Community Employment Resource Centre, will conduct an information session and answer those questions you may be afraid to ask!

Refreshments included & no need to pre-register—just drop by if interested.



**Uxbridge
 Genealogy
 Group**

Meetings take place on the third Thursday of the month, September to June, from 7—9 pm. at the Library.

Cost: please bring a \$2.00 donation to the group.

Date: October 18, 2012

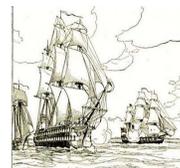
Time: 7 pm

Where: Library Meeting Room

Topic: "The War of 1812-14 & the York-Durham Connection"

Guest Speaker:

Ruth Burkholder,
 York Region
 Family Historian
 will be the guest speaker.



New members are always welcome. For more information please visit www.uxgen.net or call Eileen Wilson 852-6973

**A million questions.
 A single answer.**



Have questions? You could surf the world wide Web for answers. But, you might not find what you're looking for, and you might not be able to **trust** what you find.

When you need answers you can count on, start with your library - **available 24/7** online.

Our *online reference materials* include access to popular newspapers and magazines, plus the same authoritative resources that professional researchers rely on - and they are **easy** to use.

Access them for **FREE** with a library card, password and internet connection !

Visit www.uxlib.com and click on "eResources".



**Meetings
Coming Up
@ the Library**

*Friends of the Library
Lower Meeting Room
7—8:30 pm October 11
New members welcome.*

*Library Board Meeting
Lower Meeting Room
6:30 October 18
Open to the public*

**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:
16,233 e-Books and 7,201 Audio books.**



**SAVE
THE DATE!**

Friends of the Uxbridge Library
will be holding their

Good Used Book Sale

November 10—14, 2012

Watch November newsletter and
the website for more details.

Donations of good used books,
movies and audio books will be
accepted on Nov 8 & 9.

No textbooks or
magazines.



Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Library seek to achieve their aim of enhancing and supporting the services and resources of the library by raising funds, obtaining materials needed by the library, and by making available to the library the personal and professional services of the association's members or others.

*Regular meetings on the second
Tuesday of the month at the Library,
7 pm—8:30 pm.*

*New members are always
welcome.*

Check out our newly renovated
DVD's, Audio Books, paper back and
Non fiction shelving.

**Watch for more renovations coming
this fall to the library.**

Please have patience with us during
this renovation of our meeting room,
computer area, Adult circulation desk
and office spaces.

Thank You.

**LIBRARY
HOURS**



UXBRIDGE BRANCH

905-852-9747

Monday,

Wednesday,

Friday, Saturday

10 am - 5 pm

Tuesday, Thursday

10 am - 9 pm

Sundays

**after Thanksgiving until
the May long weekend.**

1 pm - 5 pm

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ZEPHYR BRANCH

905-473-2375

Tuesday, Thursday

3 pm—8 pm

Saturday

10 am—3 pm

**Individual
Computer
Training
Available**



One on 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

to sign up for
an appointment.