

Library Lowdown

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March 2010

Good children's literature appeals not only to the child in the adult, but to the adult in the child.

~ Anonymous ~

**Tuesday, March 16th
A Celtic Concert
featuring Leah Saloma
in the Library Auditorium
for children ages 4 and
up and their families.
Tickets are \$3.00 per
person
Concert starts at 2 p.m.**



Book Club

This month the book club will be talking about the Canada Reads 2010 selections.

Good to a Fault, by Marina Endicott

Generation X, by Douglas Coupland

The Jade Peony, by Wayson Choy

Fall on Your Knees, by Ann-Marie MacDonald

The book club will meet on March 23rd from 2 until 3:30 pm. Sign up at the adult front desk and place holds on the books at the same time!

The Library Needs Plastic Bags!

Winter is here, and so is the bad weather! The Library would be grateful for any donations of clean grocery-sized bags (*please*, no milk bags or vegetable bags) to help keep our materials clean and dry. Thank you!

Spring Book Sale!

The library will be holding its annual spring book sale very shortly. This year's event will begin on **Saturday May 8th**.

Looking For a Way To Support Your Library?

Donate Books & Materials

Your Library is pleased to receive your donations of gently used books, CDs, DVDs, and videos. Donated items may be added to our collection, or may be directed to the library booksale to raise funds to buy new books and other materials for your

Library. Below is a checklist of what we can use.

We can use:

- gently used, recently published books
- adult, young adult, and children's books
- paperbacks and hardcovers
- regular print and large print
- bestsellers and recently published fiction
- recently published nonfiction (edition date within the last 3 years)
- magazines
- CDs
- DVDs
- videos

Your Time

If you have a bit of time to spare on a bi-weekly or monthly basis, the library can **always** use volunteers to deliver books or talking books to patrons who can't make it in to the library. If you're interested, please talk to the front desk staff.

In Honour Donations

What better way to honour a special person or occasion (perhaps a birthday, wedding anniversary or holiday) than by helping others? An honour donation provides a significant way to bring recognition to a living friend or loved one by helping a cause that has a real and immediate impact in the community. Once the donation is made, North Bay Public Library will send a letter to the honouree acknowledging your contribution. You will also receive a letter confirming your donation.

In Memorium

Nothing can ever replace the loss of a friend or loved one, but we can commemorate their life with an everlasting tribute reminding us that they are not forgotten. Memorial donations are typically made in memory of a

deceased family member, friend or coworker. A memorial donation is a fitting way to remember a special person while at the same time helping others. North Bay Public Library responds to memorial donations by sending a letter to the deceased's family acknowledging the donation. We will send notification to the donor acknowledging the gift has been received and notification has been sent to the deceased's family.

*Please note that the
Library will be CLOSED
Friday April 2 (Good
Friday) and Monday
April 5 (Easter Monday)*