What's On

SEPTEMBER OCTOBER NOVEMBER 2014





Bookhest

Dufferin Clark Library, 1441 Clark Avenue West September 28, 1 – 4 pm

Fun for the whole family, it's a celebration of books for people who write them and people who read them! Join us for writing workshops, a children's corner, a book swap, an edible book display and much, much more!

Author visits from award-winning author Don Gillmor, bestselling children's author Helaine Becker and Thornhill native and teen author Deborah Kerbel.



Don Gillmor 1:30 pm



2:30 pm



Helaine Becker Deborah Kerbel 3:30 pm











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Holiday Closures

Sunday, August 31 Labour Day Sunday CLOSED Monday, September 1 Labour Day **CLOSED** Sunday, October 12 Thanksgiving Day Sunday CLOSED Monday, October 13 Thanksgiving Day **CLOSED**







What's New

Greetings from Michael McKenzie

Chair, Vaughan Public Library Board

Welcome to *What'sOn* at the Library. This year has been a busy one for Vaughan Public



Libraries (VPL) with new libraries being built and renovations to existing branches. On behalf of the Vaughan Public Library Board I am happy to report that Aquicon Construction Co. Ltd. has been selected to build VPL's third resource library which will be located at the Vaughan City Hall Campus. The Vaughan Public Library Board, Mayor and Members of Council participated in a groundbreaking ceremony for the new library to celebrate the start of the construction phase of the building project. Designed by ZAS Architects, it is anticipated to open in 2015.

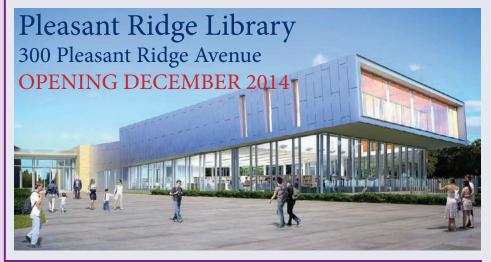
Construction is progressing on schedule for Pleasant Ridge Library, the new 8,500 square foot neighbourhood library being built as an addition to the North Thornhill Community Centre. It is expected to open by year-end. Until then VPL continues to offer a 30-minute Family Storytime program at the North Thornhill Community Centre, *see page 8*. Families are invited to take part in this excellent early literacy program.

On the renovation front, Kleinburg Library will be closed

CHECK OUT VIDEO GAMES



Video games have arrived at the libraries for you to check out! There are games for all ages for X-Box One, X-Box 360, Nintendo Wii and Wii-U and Sony PlayStation 3 and PlayStation 4. Games are available for a three-day loan period. Watch for even more games to arrive in the coming months!



until November 8 for significant renovations. So far this year, customer–pleasing renovations have been completed at Ansley Grove, Dufferin Clark and Woodbridge Libraries.

As always, keep up to date on all the building news at VPL's Building Projects blog at www.vaughanpl.info/building and see the progress on our new facilities that will **Enrich Inspire Transform.**



(L to R) VPL Board Trustees Steve Kerwin, Isabella Ferrara, Grace Locilento, Suri Rosen, Regional Councillor and VPL Board Trustee Michael Di Biase, Deputy Mayor, Regional Councillor and VPL Board Trustee Gino Rosati, President of Aquicon Construction Co. Ltd. Daniel Aquino, Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua, VPL Board Chair Michael McKenzie, VPL CEO Margie Singleton, Ward 1 Councillor and VPL Board Trustee Marilyn Iafrate, Regional Councillor Deb Schulte, Ward 4 Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco, Ward 3 Councillor and VPL Board Trustee Rosanna DeFrancesca, Dieter Janssen, ZAS Architects Inc. and VPL Board Trustee Lorraine de Boer at the groundbreaking ceremony.

What's New

VAUGHAN READS

VPL presents, Vaughan Reads each November to celebrate Vaughan's reading culture. Vaughan residents voted for Flee, Fly, Flown by Janet Hepburn as their choice to be the 2014 Vaughan Reads title—a book we can all read, discuss, and enjoy! Books are available Oct 20-Nov 19 at all branches. Read the book and come to the author visit for a chance to win an iPad mini!

Flee, Fly, Flown

C Lillian and Audrey escaped from the nursing home and began an adventure trip to the west. But their trip doesn't seem to go as smoothly as anticipated, until they meet up with the unsuspecting Rayne, a young man also heading west in hope of reconciling with his family. Humorous and thought-provoking.



Janet Hepburn November 19, 7 pm **Ansley Grove Library**

For the latest event news, check out VPL's Staff Picks For Your Leisure blog at www.vaughanpl.info/leisure.



Vaughan Newcomers'

September 17 or 18 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

Join the Vaughan Newcomer's Bus Tour & discover your **community.** Learn about services and opportunities in the City of Vaughan for you and your family.

Open to newcomers and new residents to the City of Vaughan.

For more information and to register, please contact Linda Cavaliere, 416.238.1019.

TRY VPL'S NEW **eBOOK** 3M CLOUD LIBRARY



Want to borrow ebooks on the go without the hassle of an Adobe ID? Try the brand new 3M Cloud Library and enjoy a great selection of new and popular ebook titles without having to use an Adobe ID. Download the app and start borrowing today! Visit Downloads & Digital at www.vaughanpl.info.

PHOTO EXHIBIT

Hidden In Plain Sight

LOFT Crosslinks presents a photographic exhibit of the circumstances of living homeless and at risk in York Region as depicted by people living on the edge.

LOFT Crosslinks staff will be discussing the exhibit from 10 am-3 pm Nov 15 at PBRL and Nov 22 at DC.

Pierre Berton Resource Library November 10-15

Dufferin Clark Library November 17-22

AN-Ansley Grove Library | BCRL-Bathurst Clark Resource Library | DC-Dufferin Clark Library KL-Kleinburg Library | MA-Maple Library | PBRL-Pierre Berton Resource Library | WO-Woodbridge Library



Preschool programs

Baby and Me Storytime

It is never too early to introduce your baby to books! Come and learn new songs, rhymes and read books with a Librarian and an Ontario Early Years Centre representative. For ages 0-18 months with a parent or caregiver.

AN Fridays 10:30 am

Born to Read

Join us for an interactive program to share stories, songs, rhymes and early literacy activities that you can continue to enjoy at home! For ages 0-18 months with a parent or caregiver.

BCRL	Wednesdays*	10:30 am
	Wednesdays*	11:30 am
MA	Tuesdays	1:30 pm
PBRL	Tuesdays	10:30 am
WO	Tuesdays	10:30 am

Family Storytime

Spend time together enjoying great stories, songs and rhymes. Fun for the whole family!

BCRL	Mondays	7 pm
DC	Thursdays	11:30 am
PBRL	Mondays	7 pm
	no program S	ept 1/Oct 13

LEGO DUPLO® Read! Build! Play!

Join us to read, build and play with Duplo® to help your child develop their early literacy skills. For ages 2-5.

PBRL Thursdays 10:30 am

Moms' Matinee

Join other new moms with babies aged 0-6 months for an afternoon movie! Contact the Service Desk for more information.

MA Sept 26, Oct 24, Nov 28 1 pm

Musical Babies

An hour-long program that incorporates musical learning with songs, rhymes, and more! Offered in partnership with the Ontario Early Years Centre. Space is limited. For ages 0-18 months.

PBRL Mondays 2 pm

Play, Laugh, Learn @ the Library

Indulge in the delights of unstructured play to promote early literacy. Enjoy a variety of activity stations including Duplo*, musical instruments, toys and more. For ages 5 and under.

AN Saturdays 10:30 am BCRL Fridays 11 am

Ready, Set, Kindergarten

Children enjoy an independent half-hour of stories, songs and activities while learning some of the social skills they will need in kindergarten. Caregivers must remain in the library. Please pre-register at the Service Desk. For ages 3-5.

AN Wednesdays 11:30 am

Ready to Read

Join us for a half-hour of stories, fingerplays and activities. Come share great ideas for developing early literacy skills and a love of reading. Space is limited. For ages 3-5 with a parent or caregiver.

BCRL	Tuesdays	10:30 am
MA	Thursdays	10:30 am
PBRL	Wednesdays	10:30 am
WO	Thursdays	10:30 am

Toddling to Read

This program features stories, songs, action rhymes and early literacy activities that you can continue to enjoy at home! Toddlers will enjoy lots of stimulation and activity. Space is limited. For ages 18 months-3 years with a parent or caregiver.

AN	Thursdays	10:15 am
BCRL	Thursdays*	10:30 am
	Thursdays*	11:30 am
MA	Tuesdays	10:30 am
PBRL	Fridays	10:30 am

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^{*} Tickets available at Service Desk 30 minutes before.



Children's programs

Chess Club

Starting Sept 8, come by the library to meet like-minded chess people. Play a game, talk strategy or battle it out!

MA **Tuesdays** 6:30 pm WO **Tuesdays** 6:45 pm

Fun with French

Practice your French language skills with an evening of French stories and activities led by French-speaking volunteers from our community. For ages 6 and up.

PBRL Tuesdays 7 pm Oct 7 - Nov 25

Homework Help

Teacher candidates from York University are available to help your children with their homework in Math, Science, English, and more! For ages 7-12. Please register at the Service Desk.

AN	Tuesdays	
	Sept 16-Nov 25	
DC	Wednesdays	
	Sept 17-Nov 26	
MA	Saturdays	
	Sept 20-Nov 29	
WO	Thursdays	
	Sept 18-Nov 27	

iCreate Children's Workshops

Create your own video game, ebook, animation or digital art. Work at your own pace and make a unique masterpiece to share with family and friends. For ages 9-13.

PBRL	Sept 13 & 27	2 pm
	Oct 25	2 pm
	Nov 8 & 22	2 pm

International Games Day

It's International Games Day. Come to the library to play games. Please contact the Service Desk for more information.

AN	Nov 15	10 am
BCRL	Nov 15	10 am
WO	Nov 15	10 am

LEGO® Mania

If you like playing with LEGO*, come to our special event where you can discover stories, design and build LEGO® structures and share building tips and tricks. For ages 6-12.

AN	Nov 14	2 pm
DC	Tuesdays	6:30 pm
PBRL	Sept 6 & 20	2 pm
	Oct 4 & 18	2 pm
	Nov 1, 15 & 29	2 pm

Library Kids' Club

Make new friends and explore the library together through a fun and interactive program of games, creative activities and new library technologies. For ages 6-10.

DC **Mondays** 4:30 pm no program Sept1/Oct 13

P.A. Days @ Your Library

School's out for the day! Drop by the library and pass the time with some fun activities. Contact the Service Desk for more information.

BCRL DC MA PBRL WO

Paws to Read

The library in partnership with Therapeutic Paws of Canada will match emerging readers with a four-legged friend they can read with. Applications may be submitted beginning Sept 2. For ages 7-9. Contact the Service Desk for more information.

MA **Tuesdays** 6:45 pm Sept 16-Nov 4

Reading Buddies Applications

Kids can build their reading confidence with volunteers at the library. Contact the Service Desk for more information and application details.

AN Thursdays & Saturdays **BCRL** Wednesdays

DC By appointment Tuesdays, Thursdays & **PBRL**

Saturdays WO **Saturdays**

MAKER KITS

ARE COMING TO A LIBRARY NEAR YOU...

WHAT WILL YOU CREATE?

This fall VPL is embracing the Maker Revolution with brand new kits, featuring music, 3D printing, robotics and circuitry. Stay tuned for more news, or ask at your local branch for more details.







Family programs

Birthday Party

Join PBRL's staff in celebrating the library's 10th birthday with fun activities, entertainment, book draws, cake and light refreshments.

PBRL Oct 18 2 pm

Diwali Celebration

Experience the festival of lights with family activities such as Rangoli art, Diya dance, henna, a storytime and more.

PBRL Oct 20 6 pm

Family Movie

Enjoy a movie with your family while you share time together. It's fun for kids and parents! Watch our family-oriented feature films on the big screen.

AN	Fridays	4 pm
DC	Saturdays	11 am
MA	Sept 8, Oct 6 &	
	Nov 3	6:30 pm
PBRL	Sept 28, Oct 26 &	
	Nov 23	2:30 pm
WO	Saturdays	2 pm

Fire Safety Storytime

Join Vaughan Fire & Rescue Service at a very special storytime promoting fire safety and fire prevention.

AN	Oct 1	11:30 am
BCRL	Sept 30	10:30 am
DC	Oct 16	11:30 am
MA	Oct 2	10:30 am
PBRL	Oct 8	10:30 am
WO	Oct 9	10:30 am

Grandparents' Storytime

Join us for this special storytime as we share songs, rhymes and stories to celebrate our grandparents.

BCRL Sept 16 10:30 am DC Sept 18 11:30 am

Halloween Spooktacular

Join us for some stories and activities as we get ourselves in the mood for Halloween!

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AN	Oct 25	10:30 am
BCRL	Oct 27	7 pm
DC	Oct 30	11:30 am
MA	Oct 30	7 pm
PBRL	Oct 31	4 pm
WO	Oct 30	10·30 am

Mid-Autumn Moon Festival

Celebrate Mid-Autumn Moon Festival at the library with stories, songs, and shadow puppets.

PBRL Sept 8 7 pm

Robin Hood & The Dragon

Experience a thrilling puppet show from Applefun Puppetry in celebration of Grandparents' Month. Tickets are \$2. Space is limited. For ages 3 and up. Tickets available August 26.

AN	Sept 18	10:15 am
BCRL	Sept 14	11 am
MA	Sept 13	11 am

Write Letters to Santa!

Visit the library from November 17-30 to write a letter to Santa. We will mail your letter for you and you will receive a reply.

AN BCRL DC MA PBRL WO



North Thornhill Community Centre 300 Pleasant Ridge Ave. Sept 11 - Dec 18

You don't have to wait until the new Pleasant Ridge Library is built to take part in VPL's early literacy programming at the North Thornhill Community Centre.

> Join us on Thursdays, Preschool Room A, 3:45–4:15 pm

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Teen programs

Amnesty International @ Your Library

Take action against human rights violations, meet with like-minded teens and write letters to help free prisoners of conscience. You can make a difference while earning your volunteer hours! MA PBRL

Fun with French Volunteers

Volunteer to help children practice French reading and language skills. Application forms are available at the Service Desk or online. Applications accepted on an ongoing basis. PBRL

How to ACE Research Assignments

A librarian will give you pointers on proper research, essay structure, grammar, editing and source citing! For high school, college, and university students. Contact the Service Desk for more information. PBRL

Meet the Author!

Celebrate Teen Read Week with author Erin Bow. This program is offered with support from the Canada Council for the Arts.

Oct 17 AN 1:30 pm

Movie Break

Grab your friends and come to the library for a new or classic movie screened just for teens. And did we mention it's free? No registration required.

PBRL Fridays 2:45 pm

Murder Mystery After Dark

Kick off Teen Read Week with our after-hours murder mystery. Will you be a victim or a killer? Get ready for an evening of games, murder and mayhem! This year's theme will feature superheroes! Costumes are encouraged.

PBRL Oct 24 6 pm

Reading Buddies Volunteers

Help children become better readers! Contact your local branch for more information and application deadlines.

AN Thursdays & Saturdays BCRL Wednesdays DC By appointment MA Mondays & Wednesdays PBRL Tuesdays, Thursdays &

Saturdays

WO **Saturdays**

Red Cross Babysitting Training

This all-day training will prepare you for your first babysitting job, teaching child care skills, safety and emergency tips. Please pre-register at the Service Desk. Admission is \$50.00. For ages 11-16.

DC Sept 20 10 am MA Oct 18 10 am

Tech Savvy Teens

Help us bridge the digital divide and volunteer your time by teaching adults to use a variety of computer applications. Application forms are available at the Service Desk or online at www.vaughanpl.info/volunteers. For ages 13 -18.

BCRL DC MA PBRL WO

Teen Book Reviews

Want volunteer hours? Enjoy sharing your opinion? Earn hours blogging, vlogging or podcasting about a book you've read on VPL's Teen Vortex. Apply at the Service Desk or online.

AN BCRL DC MA PBRL

Teen Library Volunteers

Do you need to earn community service hours? Join VPL's Teen Library Volunteers. Assist Librarians with a variety of tasks at the library and in the community. Contact the Service Desk for more information or download the application form online.

AN	Sept 23	3:30 pm
	Oct 7 & 21	3:30 pm
	Nov 4 & 18	3:30 pm
BCRL	Thursdays	7 pm
DC Sept 29, Oct 27 &		
	Nov 24	7 pm
PBRL	Thursdays	4 pm
WO	Mondays	4 pm

Visit www.vaughanpl.info for programming updates & information about What's On









Adult programs

Chinese Information Sessions for Seniors

The New Canadian Community Centre presents a series of weekend programs for newcomers in Mandarin which includes health seminars, exercise, dance, book talks and more.

BCRL Sundays 1 pm no program Oct 12

Creating Fall Gardens with Native Plants

Fall is the perfect time to start planning for beautiful native plant gardens. Come and get the inspiration and know-how to create a year-round natural garden oasis.

DC Oct 4 1 pm

Employment Services at the Library

Learn about the full range of free employment services and training programs funded by Employment Ontario.

BCRL Wednesdays 1 pm

ESL Class

Learn to communicate in English with confidence by practicing listening, speaking, reading and writing with a certified teacher. This program is co-sponsored by the York Region District School Board and funded by the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration. Proof of immigration status required.

BCRL Tuesdays &
Saturdays 1:30 pm
no class Oct 18

DC Mondays &
Tuesdays 10 am
class begins Sept 15,
no class Oct 13

MA Mondays-Fridays 9 am
WO Mondays-Thursdays 9 am

ESL Conversation Class

Practice your spoken English with an ESL instructor from the York Region Catholic District School Board and develop your pronunciation and conversation skills.

BCRL Mondays 10 am Fridays 12:30 pm

Healthy Living Now

This free 6-week workshop will help those with chronic conditions get the most out of life. Learn how to better manage your health, emotions, and daily activities. All participants will receive the book: Living a *Healthy Life with Chronic Conditions*. Sponsored by the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care. Please pre-register at the Service Desk.

PBRL Wednesdays 1:30 pm Sept 10-Oct 15

Let's Go to the Movies

More than just a great place to get books, the library is also a fun place to enjoy a film – for free! See you at the show.

BCRL Mondays 2 pm

Memory Retention

Use various apps and techniques to address and improve your memory and cognitive skills. Stay connected, discuss issues, and improve your mind fitness. Program led by an occupational therapist.

PBRL Mondays Sept 15-Nov 24 11:30 am No program Oct 13

Moms' Matinee

Join other new moms with babies aged 0-6 months for an afternoon movie! Contact the Service Desk for more information.

MA Sept 26, Oct 24, Nov 28 1 pm



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Orientation to Ontario for Everyone

This orientation workshop presented in Mandarin in partnership with CICS provides access to settlement information and community services available in Ontario. Participants will get information on topics they are interested in.

Oct 20 & 21 DC

10 am

Poetry Reading With Kamal

Join us for a poetry reading by Kamal Parmar. She will read from her new book In the Rising Mist. Please pre-register at the Service Desk.

PBRL Sept 27

2:30 pm

Preparing Your Teen for Success

Discover the secrets to motivating your teen to achieve success. This workshop provides tips and strategies to assist parents in communicating effectively with their teen. Pre-register at the Service Desk.

MA Sept 10 & 17 6:30 pm

Senior Social

Older adults are invited to this free program featuring book chats, activities, guest speakers and special information workshops. Refreshments provided. No registration required.

WO

Sept 18, Oct 16

Nov 20

2 pm

Vaughan Poets' Circle

Come participate in the Vaughan Poets' Circle, enjoy public readings and discussions. Everyone is welcome.

BCRL Sept 13, Oct 11

Nov 8

10:30 am

VPL Meets Terry Fallis

Join us for a visit with author Terry Fallis, our local political humourist. Fallis will read from his latest award-winner Up and Down, which chronicles a hilarious Toronto PR campaign.

PBRL Sept 10

7 pm

Holocaust Survivor's Testimony

Join us during Holocaust Education Week to hear a Holocaust survivor's story. For ages 12 and up.

Bathurst Clark Resource Library November 9, 11 am

Professor Carol Lipszyc will read her short story Elder of the Jews and discuss how the children of the Ghetto used drama to respond to the traumatic events enveloping them.

Ansley Grove Library November 4, 1:30 - 3 pm

Gershon Willinger was born in Amsterdam, Holland in 1942 to German-Jewish parents who were later murdered in Sobibor in July 1943. He was placed in hiding as a very young orphan. In 1944, as a two-year-old child, he was deported on a children's transport to Bergen-Belsen and later to Theresienstadt where he was liberated in 1945. He became a social worker and immigrated to Canada in 1977.

Dufferin Clark Library November 3, 1 - 3 pm

Manny Langer was born in Poland in 1929. He was forced into the Lodz Ghetto before being sent to concentration camps. After liberation he immigrated to Canada and now volunteers as a survivor speaker.

Maple Library November 7, 10 - 11 am

Renate Krakauer was born in Stanisławów, Poland, in 1941, during the Soviet occupation and just before the Nazis invaded. In late 1942, her mother fled the ghetto and gave Renate to a family in a nearby village. After the area was liberated, three-and-a-half-year-old Renate was reunited with her parents who also survived in hiding. They immigrated to Canada in 1948.







Computer & Technology Training



Beyond the Basics

Looking for beyond the basics computer training? Volunteers are available to teach you about hot topics such as blogging, social networking, instant messaging, photo and media sharing. Interested? Pick up an application form at the Service Desk or online. **DC MA PBRL WO**

Computer Basics

New to computers? Learn basic computer skills such as mousing, keyboarding and the Internet. Contact the Service Desk to determine which class is right for you.

PBRL Tuesdays 2:30 pm

Get Tech Help

Get help from our tech-savvy volunteers about any computer, device, or general technology question you have.

BCRL Mondays &

Tuesdays 4 pm

Wednesdays &

Thursdays 5 pm

Life & Technology

We'll show you how to get your fill of online and digital content such as databases, eBooks, magazines, movies, apps, software, education courses, and language instruction.

AN DC PBRL WO

One-on-One Computer

Training

Sign up for an individualized, hands-on lesson about computer basics.

DC WO

Please pre-register or book your appointment at the Service Desk.

Business programs

Business One-on-One

This one-on-one, 60 minute research consultation will provide an introduction to company and industry resources available at VPL and online. Learn how to find companies in your industry! Register online at www.vaughanpl.info/business.

Intro to Entrepreneurship

Join a consultant from the Vaughan Business Enterprise Centre (VBEC) for an introductory workshop on entrepreneurship. Learn how to prepare business plans and financial statements, and what permits are required.

BCRL Sept 23 6:30 pm

Self-Publish a Book for Your Business

Books can be the best business card!. Learn the steps to self-publishing a book for your business. Offered in partnership with VBEC.

PBRL Oct 23

1 pm

Tax Tips for Small Business

As you start your business you will have many questions. This seminar is an Accounting 101 for the new business owner. Offered in partnership with VBEC.

BCRL Nov 19 6:30 pm





Adult Book Club

Join the discussion group for adults who like to share their thoughts on books they have read. The library will provide a copy of the books.

	the books.	
AN	Sept 24	7 pm
	The Deception of Livvy Higgs	
	by Donna Morrissey	
	Oct 29	7 pm
	The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry	,
	by Rachel Joyce	
	Nov 26	7 pm
	The Rosie Project by Graeme Simsion	l
BCRL	Sept 30	7 pm
	Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie	-
	by Alan Bradley	
	Oct 28	7 pm
	The Cat by Edeet Reval	•
	Nov 25	7 pm
	Three Day Road by Joseph Boyden	•
MA	Sept 4	7 pm
	The No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency	-
	by Alexander McCall Smith	
	Oct 2	7 pm
	Outliers by Malcolm Gladwell	•
	Nov 6	7 pm
	The Inconvenient Indian by Thomas I	King
WO	Sept 29	7 pm
	The Tale-Teller by Susan Glickman	-
	Oct 27	7 pm
	The Silent Wife by A.S.A Harrison	-
	Nov 24	7 pm
	Certainty by Madeleine Thien	•
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Chinese Book Club

Join the discussion to share your thoughts on books and existential issues in Chinese. The book club is jointly presented by VPL and the York Region Senior Wellness Centre.

BCRL Sept 11, Oct 9 & Nov 12 12:30 pm

Book Clubs

Kids' Book Club

Get the book, read the book, and then come and tell us what you thought of it while enjoying activities and games based on the story! For ages 8-12. BCRL Sept 17

RCKT	Sept 17	6:30 pm		
	Melonhead by Katy Kelly			
	Oct 15	6:30 pm		
	Skeleton Creek by Patrick Carman			
	Nov 12	6:30 pm		
	Dragon Rider by Cornelia Funke			
MA	Nov 25	6:30 pm		
	Ask at the Service Desk for details.			
WO	Sept 8	6:30 pm		
	Dork Diaries: Tales From a Not-So-Fabulous Life			
	by Rachel Renée			
	Oct 6	6:30 pm		
	Charlotte's Web by E. B. White			
	Nov 3	6:30 pm		
	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's	Stone		
	by J.K. Rowling			



Teen Book Club

Nov 27

A place	to meet, talk, and enjoy great reads	s together.
AN	Oct 22	3:30 pm
	To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee	
	Nov 19	3:30 pm
	The Boy in the Striped Pajamas by	John Boyne
MA	Oct 15	4:30 pm
	Ask at the Service Desk for details.	
WO	Sept 25	4:30 pm
	Looking for Alaska by John Green	
	Oct 30	4:30 pm
	Sorrow's Knot by Erin Bow	

Thirteen Reasons Why by Jay Asher

Please pre-register and pick up your book at the Service Desk.

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4:30 pm

Using Your Library

Make the Most of Your Membership

Get a Library Card. It's free!

With a library card you have free access to books, movies, magazines, music, databases, programs, events, resources and more at all seven branches of Vaughan Public Libraries (VPL) and online at www.vaughanpl.info!

Don't have a library card? If you live, work, own property or are in attendance at an educational institution in the City of Vaughan, you can get a free library card. Join

VPL in person or online at www.vaughanpl.info—just show identification that has your address, registration or proof of employment in Vaughan on it at time of pickup.

Children can get their own library cards. If they are 13 years old or under, they just need their parent or guardian to sign for their library card.





Website: www.vaughanpl.info

Reference Inquiries:

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Online: Email Librarian at www.vaughanpl.info/email_librarian

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- Online: www.vaughanpl.info
- Text: text SIGNUP to 647.694.1289
- In person: in any library or at Self Check Out stations
- Phone: 905.653.READ (7323)

Borrowing Materials:

Books, AudioBooks, TV Series, eReaders, Non-Fiction DVDs/Blu-Rays, CDs: Loan period: 3 weeks*

Magazines, Fiction DVDs/Blu-Rays, iPads & Fast Track Books: Loan period: 7 days

Video Games & Fast Track DVDs:

Loan period: 3 days

eBooks & eAudioBooks:

Loan period options: 7, 14 or 21 days

*Loan periods for high demand items may be reduced

Returning Materials:

Library materials may be returned to any branch of Vaughan Public Libraries. Book drops are open 24/7.

Late Material Charges:

Video Games & DVDs: \$2 per day to a maximum of \$10 per item Electronic Devices: \$5 per day to a maximum of \$10 All other items: 25¢ per day to a maximum of \$10 per item

If you are a member of Aurora Public Library, Richmond Hill Public Library, Markham Public Library, Newmarket Public Library, Caledon Public Library, King Township Public Library, or Brampton Public Library, you may also apply for free membership with Vaughan Public Libraries.

If you don't qualify for **free** membership, you can still join. Please phone 905.653.READ (7323) for details.

Library Services - in person, online or on the phone

All branches have materials for reference and loan. The most comprehensive reference collections are held at Bathurst Clark Resource Library and Pierre Berton Resource Library.

Materials are available in over 16 different languages to meet the needs of our diverse community.

Friendly, helpful staff are always available to assist you in your search for information, to advise on leisure reading, or on materials appropriate to your child's reading abilities.

Telephone service is available during open hours. Qualified staff will answer your information and reference inquiries, check your account on your behalf and provide details about library services and programs.

Most library services are available online. You can join the library, browse the catalogue, check your account, place a hold on items, search databases, download an Audiobook, eBook, video and much more. You can even submit your reference inquiries by email and get an answer within a few hours, 24/7. See page 15 for a complete list of services available. Access library services on your mobile devices at m.vaughanpl.info or download VPL's mobile app from the Apple App Store and Google Play. Apple App





Stay in Touch Through Email or Text

Sign up for email or text notifications to enjoy enhanced library services. With your email address, you can reset your PIN online and receive email confirmation of successful renewals and requests through the online catalogue. You can also choose to receive hold pickup and overdue notices by email. Even better, you also get your due date and hold pickup reminders - you will never forget library materials again! Scan here to sign up!

Enjoy the same notices via text message – hold pickup, hold reminder, due date reminder, and overdue notices. Use your phone to renew via text message. Text SIGNUP to 647.694.1289 to get started!

Don't miss a thing!

Sign up for VPL's eNewsletter, the Buzz at www.vaughanpl.info/ newsletters and check out VPL's blogs at www.vaughanpl.info/ blogs for all the latest on programs, events, services, library buildings and branch renovations, topics of interest to teens, great reads and more!

Library Locations

LIBRARY	HOURS	SERVICES
ANSLEY GROVE LIBRARY 350 Ansley Grove Road, Woodbridge	Mon. Closed Tues Thurs. 10 am - 9 pm Fri. 10 am - 6 pm Sat. 10 am - 5 pm Sun.* 1 - 5 pm	
B BATHURST CLARK RESOURCE LIBRARY 900 Clark Avenue West, Thornhill	Mon Thurs	
DUFFERIN CLARK LIBRARY 1441 Clark Avenue West, Thornhill	Mon Thurs 10 am - 9 pm Fri Closed Sat 10 am - 5 pm Sun.* 1 - 5 pm	
KLEINBURG LIBRARY 10341 Islington Avenue North, Kleinburg	Mon., Wed. & Thurs	
MAPLE LIBRARY 10190 Keele Street, Maple	Mon Thurs. 10 am - 9 pm Fri. 10 am - 6 pm Sat. 10 am - 5 pm Sun.* 1 - 5 pm	
PIERRE BERTON RESOURCE LIBRARY 4921 Rutherford Road, Woodbridge	Mon Thurs	
G WOODBRIDGE LIBRARY 150 Woodbridge Avenue, Woodbridge	Mon Thurs. 10 am - 9 pm Fri. Closed Sat. 10 am - 5 pm Sun.* 1 - 5 pm	

^{*} Select Libraries are closed on Sundays, July – Labour Day.

For your convenience, materials can be returned to any of the above locations. Bookdrops are open 24/7.



 $For more information \ on \ all \ services \ phone \ or \ visit \ www.vaughanpl.info/library_services.$



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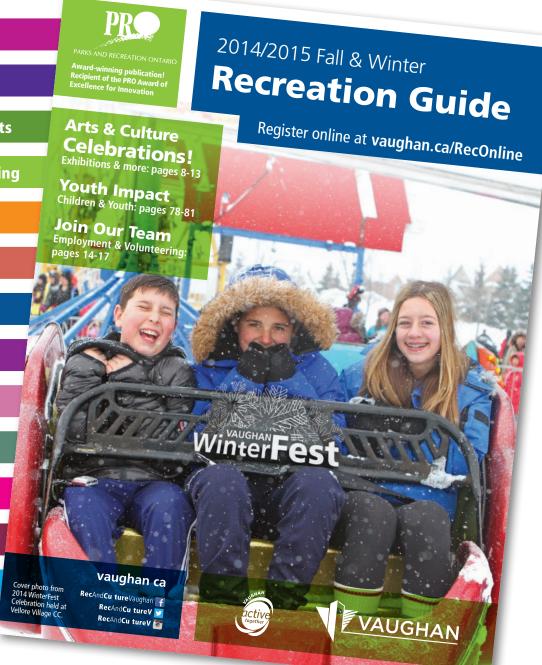
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