



the Library

October 2009

Your monthly guide to what's happening at the North Vancouver District Public Library

FEATURED PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

SFU Philosopher's Café

With moderator Mark Battersby, PhD



Our first Philosopher's Café in September was a resounding success. With over 30 people engaging in lively discussion, the evening was full of insight and inquiry.

Join the fun on **October 21** when we ask:

Is morality all relative and subjective or are there moral truths? No formal philosophy training required; real life experience desired. Come early, stay late.

WHEN: Every third Wednesday of the month. 7:00pm.

WHERE: Lynn Valley Main Library, Program Room. Everyone welcome; registration not required. Admission \$5.

Digital Cameras: Introduction and Show and Tell

With a London Drugs Photo Specialist



Have you always been interested in digital cameras or photography, but don't know where to start? Then this workshop is for you! Different models will be demonstrated, from basic point and shoot through entry level SLRs. No need to bring your personal digital camera.

THREE DATES AND LOCATIONS:

Wednesday, October 14th, 7:00pm - 8:30 pm,
Lynn Valley Main Library, Program Room

Thursday, October 29th, 7:00pm - 8:30 pm,
Capilano Branch Library, Potlatch Meeting Room

Wednesday, November 25, 7:00pm - 8:30 pm,
Parkgate Branch Library

Free of charge; please register by calling 604-929-3727 (Parkgate) or 604-987-4471 (Capilano) or 604-984-0286 (Lynn Valley).

For more events at your library, please see inside.

Looking for Affordable Event Space?

We have a beautiful 1,000 sq. ft. meeting room at Lynn Valley Main Library. Seats 100 people theatre style and 50 at round tables. Perfect for parties, seminars and cultural events!

Call 604-987-PLAY (7529) for more information or to book the space.



EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

Lynn Valley Main Library

STORYTIMES FOR FALL

Lap Songs & Lullabies for the Littlest Ones and Tickles & Tunes for Toddlers are NOW FULL.

Tales for Terrific Two's! ages 24 - 36 months

Fridays, 10:30am

StoryTales ages 3 - 5 years

Tuesdays, 10:30am

EVENT: Meet Your MLA!

Join Jane Thornthwaite, MLA for North Vancouver–Seymour, in the fireplace area on **Saturday, October 17th** from 3:30pm to 4:30pm for informal conversation.

PHILOSOPHER'S CAFÉ SERIES

Presented by Simon Fraser University

Every third Wednesday of the month - 7:00pm, Program Room

See front page for details.

WORKSHOP: Digital Cameras: Introduction And Show & Tell

See front page for details.



BOOK SALE:

Friends of the Library Big Book Sale

October 23rd - 10:00am, October 24th - 10:00am, and October 25th - 12:00pm, Community Meeting Room
Great deals on Fiction, Non-Fiction, Children's books and DVD's. Something for everyone!

WORKSHOP: Movie Appreciation and Screenwriting Tips

Thursday October 22nd, 2009; 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Whether you're a beginning screenwriter or simply fascinated by movies - you'll enjoy this Wordsmythe.ca seminar on how screenplays work and how movies get made.

Free; registration required. Call 604-984-0286 (ext: 8144)



EVENT: Meet Your Mayor!

Drop into the fireplace area on **Tuesday, October 27** from 9:30 - 11:00am for one-on-one chats with North Vancouver District Mayor Richard Walton.

INTERNET BASICS: Introduction for the Novice

Tuesday, October 27th; 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Free; registration required. Call 604-984-0286 (ext: 8144)

Parkgate Branch Library

STORYTIMES FOR FALL:

Parkgate Branch Library will be undergoing renovations. Please call 604-929-3727 to confirm dates and times.

BabyTales for Babes from Birth to 24 Months

ages birth - 24 months (no registration required)

Tuesdays, 2:00pm

Tales for Terrific Two's! ages 24 - 36 months

Wednesdays, 10:30am

StoryTales ages 3 - 5 years

Thursdays, 10:30am

INTERNET BASICS: Using the Library Catalogue

Thursday, October 29th, 2:30pm - 3:30pm

Free; please call 604-929-3727 to register

WORKSHOP: Digital Cameras: Introduction And Show & Tell

See front page for details.

Capilano Branch Library

STORYTIMES FOR FALL:

Lap Songs & Lullabies for the Littlest Ones and Tickles & Tunes for Toddlers have a few spots still available please call 604-987-4471.

Tales for Terrific Two's! ages 24 - 36 months

Tuesdays, 10:30am

StoryTales ages 3 - 5 years

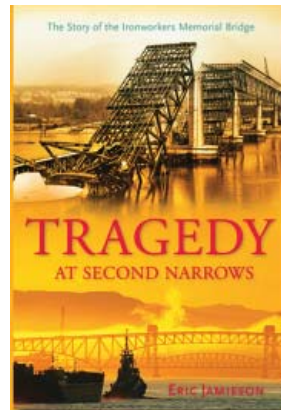
Thursdays, 2:00pm - 2:30pm

BOOK TALK: Six String Nation

Thursday, October 1st, 2009; 7:00pm - 8:15pm

Come hear Jowi Taylor talk about his book *Six String Nation* that chronicles the journey of one special guitar, from conception through construction to the road it still travels across our land.

Free; please call 604-987-4471 to register.



BOOK TALK: Tragedy at Second Narrows

Thursday, October 15th; 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Hear Eric Jamieson talk and show images from his new book *Tragedy at Second Narrows*, which documents the Second Narrows bridge collapse - an unforgettable event in Vancouver's history.

Free; please call 604-987-4471 to register.

INTERNET BASICS:

Introduction for the Novice

Tuesday, October 13th; 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Free; please call 604-987-4471 to register.

Introduction to Email

Friday, October 23rd; 2:00pm - 3:00pm

WORKSHOP: Digital Cameras: Introduction And Show & Tell

See front page for details.

Library Events at a Glance

October 2009

LV - Lynn Valley Main Library (1277 Lynn Valley Rd.)

PG - Parkgate Branch Library (3675 Banff Ct.)

CAP - Capilano Branch Library (3045 Highland Blvd.)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
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11	12 All locations closed Thanksgiving Day	13 StoryTales 10:30am - LV Tales for Terrific Two's! 10:30am - CAP BabyTales 2:00pm - PG Internet Basics 2:00pm - CAP	14 Tickles & Tunes 10:30am - LV Tales for Terrific Two's! 10:30am - PG Lap Songs & Lullabies 10:30am - CAP Lap Songs & Lullabies 2:00pm - LV Digital Cameras 7:00pm - LV	15 StoryTales 10:30am - PG StoryTales 2:00pm - CAP Tragedy at Second Narrows 7:00pm - CAP	16 Tales for Terrific Two's! 10:30am - LV Tickles & Tunes 10:30am - CAP	17 Meet Your MLA 3:30pm - LV	
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FRIENDS CORNER

The Friends of the North Vancouver District Public Library had a great summer and are looking forward to an exciting fall! Thanks to all the Friends who came out for wine and pizza on the first **Friday Evening Concert of the Summer** (back in July!) Thanks also to the volunteers who helped to advocate for NVDPL in August as budget cuts loomed.

As summer comes to a close so, too, does the extremely popular **Summer Reading Club**. The Friends were excited to participate in the **Summer Reading Club Wrap-up Party** on September 12th as the readers received their medals, danced to the music of Will Stroet, and enjoyed cakes and treats!

Stay tuned for future Fall Friends Events including our next **Big Book Sale** October 23rd, 24th, and 25th in the Community Meeting Room at Lynn Valley Library. Volunteers are always needed, so if you love books and want to get involved, let us know! Also, keep your eyes peeled for the **Trick is to Read Campaign**, a Friends-sponsored event providing scary books for all the literary trick-or-treaters on Halloween!

Please contact friendsnvdpl@gmail.com if you are looking for **volunteer opportunities** and are interested in joining the Friends to help support the library through future events. In 2010, we will be looking to fill the Executive role of Treasurer so think about getting involved! The Friends are always welcoming new members. Pick up a brochure at your local branch for more information or email us directly at the address above.

Libraries are not made;
they grow.
- Augustine Birrell

Highlight: Summer Reading Club Wrap-up Party and Medal Ceremony



Musician Will Stroet had them hopping, bopping and boogying at our annual Summer Reading Club Wrap Party and Medal Ceremony. Over 100 people attended our celebration to honour our young readers and literacy in our community. Kids and parents alike took pride when MLA Jane Thornthwaite and Mayor Walton bestowed our readers with their certificates and medals. Special thanks to everyone who participated and the Lynn Valley Merchants for all the delicious refreshments. Have a great year and see you for Summer Reading Club 2010!

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