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TORONTO BOOK & MAGAZINE FESTIVAL

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Festival Guide

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11 am – 6 pm

Queen's Park Circle



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Visit our booth on TD KidStreet for a full day of activities, great deals and lots of fun!



OWL Magazine in the Children's Activity Tent

Alex & Charlie comic creator Brian McLachlan and OWL Magazine editor Kim Cooper talk about how to develop a new character for a story. Kids will also be invited to invent their own characters for a chance to be featured in a future issue of OWL Magazine!

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Activity Tent
attendees
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Festival Greetings

from The Word On The Street

Welcome to the 25th festival! Also celebrating a big anniversary of 35 years, our friends at *Chirp*, *chickaDEE*, and *OWL* magazines bring to you the TD KidStreet Festival Guide. We hope you enjoy the fun puzzles and games, along with information about this year's exciting TD KidStreet programming.

The **TD Children's Literature Tent** is back with your favourite authors and middle grade fiction! Children ages 2 to 12 can participate in the TD Grade One Book Giveaway, on stage with author **David Weale** and illustrator **Pierre Pratt**. This year we welcome bestselling Canadian authors: **Francis Itani**, **Kenneth Oppel**, **Helaine Becker**, and **Michael Redhill**. CBC will present the shortlist for the 2014 TD Canadian Children's Literature Award. Parents, remind your kids to get their books signed!

The **Children's Activity Tent** is back and full of interactive fun for all ages, including readings, learning how to draw with **Cary Fagan**, checking out activities for your pet with **Rachelle Delaney**, practicing your gymnastics with Olympian **Jessica Tudos**, and more!

At the corner of Bloor Street and Queen's Park, the fun continues on the **TVOKids Stage**. Stop by the TVOKids' **Reading Rangers Zone** to discover the joy of reading!

This year **Literacy Lane** is filled with fun and activities at the **Learning Tent**, programmed in partnership with six literacy organizations and the **Ontario Science Centre**! Learn about dyslexia; write poetry with the family; join a **SCRABBLE® SLAM**; or join in on one of many more activities. End your walk through Literacy Lane at the new **Children's Playzone**.

The **TD KidStreet Marketplace** is interactive and informative! As title sponsor of TD KidStreet, TD will be giving attendees a chance to have their picture taken for free inside a giant, **12-foot storybook**. We're sure you'll find some amazing books just waiting to be discovered!

The team at The Word On The Street would like to thank you for supporting TD KidStreet!

Christopher Johnson
President of the Board of Directors

Heather Kanabe
Festival Director

from Owlkids Publishing

My favourite thing about The Word On The Street is meeting our readers and hearing about how much they love our magazines and books. It's even more fun when their parents tell us how much they loved our magazines when they were kids. We're thinking about all the generations of Owlkids readers this year as we celebrate *chickaDEE Magazine's* 35th anniversary. Stop by the Owlkids booth and meet our editors, writers and illustrators, and sneak a peek at the brand-new look for *OWL Magazine*. It's a great day for readers!

Jennifer Canham
Group Publisher, Owlkids

Behind the Curtain

The Word On The Street: A National, Annual Celebration

The Word On The Street is a free public festival that celebrates the written word and champions literacy through an annual outdoor book and periodical fair. This festival provides an opportunity for communities across the country to interact with Canada's dynamic writers and publishers, with the goal to educate and inspire audiences. As Canada's largest 100% Canadian literary event, we are proud to celebrate the contributions of Canadian authors to the cultural history of our community and our country.

If you would like to support the work of The Word On The Street in Toronto, please visit CanadaHelps.org and look us up: The Word On The Street. Please select "Toronto" as your city. A tax receipt will automatically be sent to you in the amount of your donation.

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Literacy Comes Alive

The Word On The Street is dedicated to the support and promotion of literacy organizations. This year we've partnered with six groups to program the **Learning Tent**, a venue for family-oriented activities. For a detailed schedule, see page 32 in the Festival Program.



CODE

A Canadian NGO with 55 years of experience, CODE supports literacy and learning in Canada and around the world. CODE's international programs encourage development through education through support to libraries, professional development for teachers, as well as national and local book publishing in 20 languages.



Literacy:
Learning for Life.
L'alphabétisation,
Une leçon pour la vie.

Frontier College

Canada's original literacy organization, Frontier College recruits and trains volunteers to deliver literacy programs to children, youth and adults in communities across Canada. Founded in 1899, our programs have helped millions of Canadians improve their literacy skills and provide the confidence they need to reach their potential.



Literature for Life

At Literature for Life, we envision communities where young moms use the power of reading to achieve social change for themselves and the next generation. We help marginalized young moms develop a practice of reading in order to access opportunities and achieve economic stability.



ONBIDA

ONBIDA, the Ontario branch of the International Dyslexia Association, is a scientific and educational organization committed to the study and treatment of the specific learning disability dyslexia, as well as other language-based learning differences. ONBIDA provides essential information, scholarships and educational programs to families and professionals who seek help for children with reading difficulties.



Ontario Cultural Society of the Deaf

The Ontario Cultural Society of the Deaf (OCSD) works to promote Deaf culture and Deaf heritage in Ontario. OCSD supports and promotes Deaf people's contributions to the fields of art, drama and literature; strengthens family ties between parents and their Deaf child; and increases opportunities for the formal study of American Sign Language (ASL) and Deaf culture.



Silent Voice

Founded in 1975, Silent Voice serves Deaf adults, youth, children, and their families in ASL, providing sports, recreation, and leadership programming; ASL instruction to families with a Deaf child; Sign Language Summer Camp; 1:1 support; a housing centre; tax clinic; parenting program; and settlement services.



World Literacy Canada

World Literacy Canada is a registered charitable organization that uses literacy to fight poverty and advance the cause of social justice. We support and deliver a range of community-based programs in Canada and South Asia that emphasize literacy skills and education for women and children.

TD KidStreet Hosts

Children's Activity Tent



April Nicolle

April Nicolle is a multifaceted artist working in the diverse fields of storytelling, theatre stage management, fight choreography, production management, directing and outdoor education. She is also an executive member of Storytellers for Children. April can be found telling stories across the city in various schools including Equinox Alternative and Waldorf Academy, and in the Don Valley at Evergreen Brickworks.



Kari-Lynn Winters

Kari-Lynn Winters is a picture book author, poet, and performer. After finishing her doctoral program at UBC in literacy education, Kari-Lynn assumed her new job as Assistant Professor in the Department of Teacher Education at Brock University in St. Catharines, Ontario, where she teaches drama-in-education and language arts to teacher candidates. Kari-Lynn has over a dozen books published or in press, many of which have won reader's choice awards.

TD Children's Literature Tent



Patricia Storms

Patricia Storms is an award-winning editorial cartoonist and author/illustrator of children's books and humour books. Her cartoons have been published in numerous magazines and newspapers including *Reader's Digest*, *The Town Crier*, *The National Post*, *The London Times*, *The London Evening Standard*, *The Chronicle of Higher Education* and *Canadian Notes and Queries*. Her newest picture book, *NEVER LET YOU GO* (Scholastic Canada, 2013), has been described as "profound" with "exuberant illustrations" and has been published in numerous languages. She lives in Toronto, Ontario, with her husband and two fat cats in a cozy old house full to the brim with books.



Gillian O'Reilly

Gillian O'Reilly has been interested in words ever since she ate the dust jacket off the *Shorter Oxford English Dictionary* when she was 11 months old. She continues to be a voracious consumer of books—but now chooses reading as the way to enjoy them. She has worked for over 30 years in the book industry and, since 1996, has been the editor of *Canadian Children's Book News*, published by the Canadian Children's Book Centre. She is the author of two books for young readers: *Slangalicious: Where We Got That Crazy Lingo* (2004) and *The Great Number Rumble: A Story of Math in Surprising Places* (co-written with Cora Lee, 2007).

TD KidStreet Festival at a Glance

Children's Activity Tent

Learning Tent

11:00		
11:15		
11:30	<i>The Circus Dogs of Prague</i> Rachelle Delaney	Demystifying Dyslexia: Recognize the Warning Presented in partnership with the Ontario branch of the International Dyslexia Association
11:45		
12:00		
12:15		
12:30	<i>I Wish I Could Draw</i> Cary Fagan	Draw the Change, Be the Change! Presented in partnership with World Literacy Canada
12:45		
1:00		
1:15		
1:30	<i>Haunted Canada 4: More True Tales of Terror</i> Joel A. Sutherland	Literature for Life Poetry Race Presented in partnership with Literature for Life
1:45		
2:00		
2:15	<i>Who Needs a Desert? Who Needs a Prairie? and Who Needs a Reef? (The Ecosystem Series)</i> Karen Patkau	Rethink Every Thing! Presented in partnership with the Ontario Science Centre
2:30		
2:45		
3:00		
3:15	<i>OWL Magazine Presents How to Create a Character</i> Brian McLachlan and Kim Cooper	Discover Shoes That Fit, a storybook written and illustrated in Liberia by local talents Presented in partnership with CODE
3:30		
3:45		
4:00		
4:15	<i>Toronto ABC</i> Paul Covello	ASL Storytelling, Rhythms and Rhymes Presented in partnership with Silent Voice/Ontario Cultural Society of the Deaf
4:30		
4:45		
5:00		
5:15		
5:30	<i>Kika the Upside Down Girl</i> Jessica Tudos	Celebrate the Joy of Reading and Writing with Fun-filled Literacy Games including SCRABBLE® SLAM and Group Storytelling Presented in partnership with Frontier College
5:45		
6:00	Visit the Children's Playzone for active fun, including a rock-climbing wall, bouncy castles, and spinning gyroscopes (all activities ages 6+). See festival map on page 18.	



TD Children's Literature Tent



TVOKids Stage

	Jay's Family Jam The Samba Squad	11:00 11:15
(11:30 – 11:50) Good Morning, Canada Andrea Lynn Beck	Reading Rangers	11:30 11:45
(11:50 – 12:10) Best Friend Trouble Frances Itani	Annedroids Show & Tell	12:00 12:15
(12:10 – 12:30) Bunny the Brave War Horse Elizabeth MacLeod	Gisèle's Big Backyard	12:30 12:45
(12:30 – 12:50) Naked! Debbie Ridpath Ohi	Jay's Family Jam Arianna Gillis	1:00 1:15
(12:50 – 1:10) There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Puck —Stella Partheniou Grasso	Reading Rangers	1:30 1:45
(1:10 – 1:40) Celebrate the TD Grade One Book Giveaway! with author David Weale & illustrator Pierre Pratt	Ali Eisner & Friends	2:00 2:15
(1:40 – 2:40) CBC Presents the TD Canadian Children's Literature Award Introducing the 2014 Shortlist: <i>Branded by the Pink Triangle</i> <i>In the Tree House</i> <i>The Man with the Violin</i> <i>Once Upon a Northern Night</i> <i>The Unlikely Hero of Room 13B</i>	Gisèle's Big Backyard	2:30 2:45
(2:40 – 3:00) An Armadillo in Paris Julie Kraulis	Reading Rangers	3:00 3:15
(3:00 – 3:20) Fire Pie Trout Melanie Mosher	Jay's Family Jam	3:30 3:45
(3:20 – 3:50) Gottika and Dirk Daring – Secret Agent Helaine Becker	Ali Eisner & Friends	4:00 4:15
(3:50 – 4:10) Saving Houdini Michael Redhill	Jade's Hip Hop Academy Dancers	4:30 4:45
(4:10 – 4:30) Airborn Trilogy (Airborn, Skybreaker, and Starclimber) Kenneth Oppel	Polkaroo on Stage	5:00 5:15
(4:30 – 4:50) How to Curse in Hieroglyphics Lesley Livingston & Jonathan Llyr		5:30
(4:50 – 5:10) Viminy Crowe's Comic Book Richard Scrimger & Claudia Dávila		5:45
(5:10 – 5:30) From There to Here Laurel Croza & Matt James		6:00
(5:30 – 5:50) Sam's Pet Temper Sangeeta Bhadra		

Would You Rather?

Answer the hilarious questions below.
Then ask your friends and family, too!

- 1 Would you rather go to a water park with Harry Potter OR camp with Katniss Everdeen?
- 2 Would you rather have your life turned into a web series OR a book?
- 3 Would you rather be the star in *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* OR the sidekick to Percy Jackson?
- 4 Would you rather travel back in time OR ahead to the future?
- 5 Would you rather write a book OR illustrate one?
- 6 Would you rather solve mysteries OR fight crime?
- 7 Would you rather ride a bicycle built for two with a dragon OR a centaur?
- 8 Would you rather eat green eggs and ham OR live where the wild things are?
- 9 Would you rather sleep over in a magic tree house OR at a chocolate factory?
- 10 Would you rather be able to talk to animals OR speak every language?

Book Bug

Can you imagine what this bookworm is thinking?



Children's Activity Tent



11:15 AM – 12:00 PM

The Circus Dogs of Prague

Rachelle Delaney

Puffin Canada - \$12.99

Activity suitability: Ages 6+

Join award-winning children's author **Rachelle Delaney** for a reading of her latest book, *The Circus Dogs of Prague*, and an assortment of fun and silly pet-themed activities, including word searches, word jumbles and a wacky pets contest. Furry friends of all kinds are invited to attend!



12:15 PM – 1:00 PM

I Wish I Could Draw

Cary Fagan

Groundwood Books - \$12.95

Activity suitability: Ages 5+

Step into a world of silly possibilities and join author of *I Wish I Could Draw*, **Cary Fagan**, for a drawing activity that is sure to boost your confidence in art. No expertise required!



1:15 PM – 2:00 PM

Haunted Canada 4: More True Tales of Terror

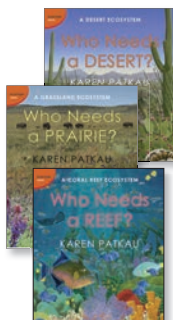
Joel A. Sutherland

Scholastic Canada - Paperback: \$8.99

Activity suitability: Ages 7+

Readers beware! Join librarian extraordinaire and author of *Haunted Canada 4: More True Tales of Terror*, **Joel Sutherland**, for a spooktacular ghosthunting lesson and an interactive campfire story. Learn how to spot your very own ghoul, and collaborate to create a ghost story that is sure to send shivers down your spine.





2:15 PM – 3:00 PM

The Ecosystem Series: *Who Needs a Desert?*, *Who Needs a Prairie?* and *Who Needs a Reef?*

Karen Patkau

Tundra Books - \$19.99 (each)

Activity suitability: Ages 7+

Join award-winning author and illustrator **Karen Patkau** as she takes readers on an amazing voyage of discovery to find out how an ecosystem works. Enter an imaginary ecosystem and become a herbivore, omnivore or carnivore, always searching for food and water. Whether you are a plant-eater or a meat-eater, you must struggle to stay alive in this treacherous environment that is your home.



3:15 PM – 4:00 PM

OWL Magazine Presents *How to Create a Character*

Brian McLachlan and Kim Cooper

Activity suitability: Ages 7+

Alex & Charlie comic creator **Brian McLachlan** and *OWL Magazine* editor **Kim Cooper** talk about how to develop a new character for a story using *Chip the robot*, the new addition to the *Alex & Charlie* cast, as a jumping-off point. Kids will also be invited to invent their own characters for a chance to be featured in a future issue of *OWL Magazine*!



4:15 PM – 5:00 PM

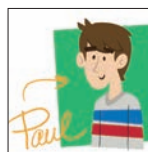
Toronto ABC

Paul Covello

HarperCollins Canada - \$12.99

Activity Suitability: Ages 4+

Calling all local tots and tiny tourists! Come meet **Paul Covello**, illustrator of *Toronto ABC*, as he teaches you how to draw some of the most familiar sites in our city (including squirrels!). Other activities include neighbourhood-themed crafts, colouring pages and collage art. Discover all the reasons why you love Toronto so much!



5:15 PM – 5:45 PM

Kika the Upside Down Girl

Jessica Tudos

Domnizelles Publications Inc. - \$14.00

Activity Suitability: Ages 5+

Get inspired to see the world in a whole new way! Leave the pressures of right-side-up living behind you and join Olympic gymnast turned experiential educator, motivational speaker and author of *Kika the Upside Down Girl* **Jessica Tudos** for a swinging session of warm-up exercises that will have you flipping for joy. It's not just bodies that'll be getting a workout, but also minds, as Jessica recounts her upside down escapades as an Olympian and teaches young readers how to gain confidence and embrace the gifts that make them truly unique.



Book Bogglers!

Tongue Twister Search

Cross out every **C**, **F**, and **M** in the grid. Then write the leftover letters in order in the blanks to find out the tongue twister!



B	F	M	O	M	C	O	K	F	S	F
C	F	A	B	C	M	O	U	T	B	M
E	C	E	F	S	K	M	E	E	F	C
M	P	B	F	C	O	B	C	B	M	F
Y	C	M	B	F	U	M	S	C	F	Y

ANSWER: Books about bees keep Bobby busy!

Super Scramble

Unscramble the words below!



1. **CMOCI**
2. **GAMIEAZN**
3. **IIFCTNO**
4. **PAEAPRBKC**
5. **TXETOBKO**
6. **RGAPICH ONVLE**



Sudoku Challenge

Complete the grid so that each row, column, and mini-grid contains the numbers 1 through 6.

3		2	6	5	
		6	3		
		3	2		
	2	1	5		6

6	3	5	4	1	2
4	2	1	5	3	6
1	4	3	2	6	5
2	5	6	3	4	1
3	1	2	6	5	4
5	6	4	1	2	3

ANSWER:

TD KIDSTREET EXHIBITORS

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BLOOR ST W



KidStreet Map

CHARLES ST W

KS1 - KS4

KS5 - KS8

KS9 - KS12

KS13 - KS16

KS17 - KS20

KS21 - KS24

KS25 - KS28

KS29 - KS32

KS33 - KS36

101 - 104
105 - 108
109 - 112
113 - 116
117 - 120

MAP KEY

- ATM
- Author Signing Tent
- Children's Playzone
- First Aid Tent
- Food Market
- HTO To Go Drinking Water
- Information Booths
- Rest Area
- Volunteer and Media Tent
- Washrooms

Event Tents

- A** TVOKids Stage
- B** Children's Activity Tent
- C** TD Children's Literature Tent
- O** Learning Tent

- 1** TD Interactive Storybook
- 2** The Hobbit: The Battle of Five Armies
- 4** CIUT 89.5 FM Live Author Interviews

HOSKIN AVE.

Bookmobile

LL1 - LL4

LL5 - LL8

LL9 - LL12

LL13 - LL16

LL17 - LL20

Literacy Lane

Rock Climbing Wall

Happy Face Bouncing

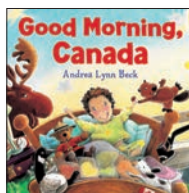
Gyroscope

Bouncer

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Hart House

TD Children's Literature Tent



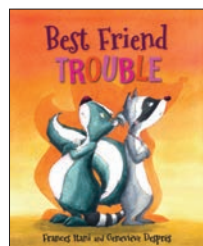
11:30 AM – 11:50 AM

Good Morning, Canada

Andrea Lynn Beck

Scholastic Canada - \$16.99

Greet the day the Canadian way, in this wonderful companion book to *Goodnight, Canada!* With images of quintessentially Canadian symbols and landscapes, this book shows our provinces and territories waking up to a brand new day, coaxed by simple, rhyming text.



11:50 AM – 12:10 PM

Best Friend Trouble

Frances Itani

Orca Book Publishers - \$19.95

Hanna is fed up with her best friend, Lizzy, who is always trying to be better than her. When Lizzy tells Hanna she can throw her ball farther and succeeds, it's the last straw. Hanna is tired of feeling second best, but what she doesn't realize is that sometimes she makes Lizzy feel that way too. Maybe there's a way they can still be best friends after all.



12:10 PM – 12:30 PM

Bunny the Brave War Horse

Elizabeth MacLeod

Kids Can Press - \$16.95

Bunny the Brave War Horse is based on the true story of a police horse named Bunny and his riders, brothers Bud and Thomas Dundas, sent to the European front as part of the 9th Battery Canadian Field Artillery. This quietly but powerfully told tale explores many of the actual on-the-ground hardships WWI soldiers endured.



12:30 PM – 12:50 PM

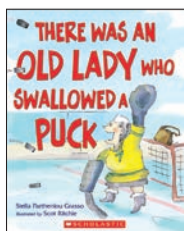
Naked!

Debbie Ridpath Ohi (illustrator)

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers - \$19.99

Comedian Michael Ian Black and illustrator Debbie Ridpath Ohi have paired up again to showcase the antics of an adorable little boy who just doesn't want to get dressed. After his bath, the little boy begins his hilarious dash around the house...in the buff! Being naked is great. Running around, sliding down the stairs, eating cookies. Nothing could be better. Unless he had a cape...





12:50 PM – 1:10 PM

There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Puck

Stella Partheniou Grasso

Scholastic Canada - Paperback: \$7.99

A Canadian take on the little old lady who keeps getting into digestive trouble! It starts with a puck, which of course gets... stuck! So down goes the goalie to save the puck, followed by a mask, two gloves, a stick, a net, and so on. Soon the little old lady's belly is swaying and shaking with the hockey game she's just swallowed!



1:10 PM – 1:40 PM

Celebrate the TD Grade One Book Giveaway!

Each year, the Canadian Children's Book Centre gives one book to *every* grade one student in Canada. This year they're giving away *Doors in the Air*, written by **David Weale** and illustrated by **Pierre Pratt**. Come get your free copy (while supplies last) and listen to the author and illustrator read the story and tell you about its creation!



David Weale is a folk historian and a popular storyteller and stage performer. He has written thirteen books, four of which are for children. David co-created and wrote *The True Meaning of Crumbfest*, an animated Christmas special for children, seen in more than 25 countries, as well as *Eckhart*, an animated TV series for children.

Pierre Pratt studied graphic design at Ahuntsic College in Montreal. Since 1990, he has illustrated (and also written) close to fifty books for children. He has won several prizes, including the Governor General's Literary Award three times, and in 2008, he represented Canada for the prestigious Hans Christian Andersen Award.

1:40 PM – 2:40 PM

CBC Presents the TD Canadian Children's Literature Award

Introducing the 2014 Shortlist for the TD Canadian Children's Literature Award:



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Written by **Ken Setterington**
Second Story Press



In the Tree House

Written by **Andrew Larsen**
Illustrated by **Dušan Petričić**
Kids Can Press



Once Upon a Northern Night

Written by **Jean E. Pendziwol**
Illustrated by **Isabelle Arsenault**
Groundwood Books



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TD Children's Literature Tent

Introducing the 2014 Shortlist for the TD Canadian Children's Literature Award:

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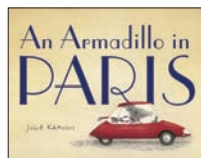
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The Unlikely Hero of Room 13B

Written by Teresa Toten
Doubleday Canada



2:40 PM – 3:00 PM

An Armadillo in Paris

Julie Kraulis

Tundra Books - \$19.99

When Arlo was born, his grandfather Augustin wrote travel journals for Arlo to use when he was old enough to go exploring on his own. When Arlo reads about Paris and the one the French call the Iron Lady, he decides it's time to strike out on his own. He travels to France and, guided by the journal, discovers the joys of Paris and meets the Iron Lady... But who is she?



3:00 PM – 3:20 PM

Fire Pie Trout

Melanie Mosher

Fifth House Publishers - \$19.95

Grace loves being with her gramps, but there are things she is not so sure of: the dark, scary movies; trying new things... So when Gramps takes her fishing on a dark, foggy morning, she has her doubts. How can she tell Gramps she's not as keen on adventure as he is without spoiling their time together?



3:20 PM – 3:50 PM

Gottika

Helaine Becker

Dancing Cat Books - \$12.95

For fifteen-year-old Dany, the shame that his once-vital mother now suffers mutely from "the staring sickness" and Count Pol, the corrupt ruler of Western Gottika, may be scouting the city for teenage girls to kidnap isn't the most dangerous secret. Could the worst secret be the mystery behind why all the kids in the Estat are only-children? Or that Dany's father knows how to bring clay to life, and transform it into an all-powerful Gol?



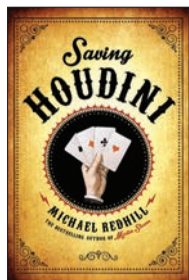


Dirk Daring — Secret Agent

Helaine Becker

Orca Book Publishers - \$9.95

When eleven-year-old Darren Dirkowitz's evil stepbrother gets hold of Darren's spy journal, he threatens to expose it to the entire student body. Unless, that is, Darren starts doing his dirty work. Now Darren's got to use the skills he's honed in his secret alternate life as Dirk Daring, Secret Agent, to spy on kids at school. As ugly truths are exposed, new alliances are forged and old friendships broken. Can Darren learn to be true to himself and build real friendships for the first time?



3:50 PM – 4:10 PM

Saving Houdini

Michael Redhill

HarperCollins Canada - \$19.99

Dashiell Woolf is ecstatic when famous magician Bloom the Beguiler brings him onstage during a special performance to mark the anniversary of Houdini's death. But the trick goes inexplicably wrong—sending Dash back to 1926. Wandering the historic streets of Toronto, he barely recognizes his city, but with the help of his new friend, Walt, he hatches a plan to invent the trick that will transport him home. In doing so, they might just be changing history forever.

**Middle
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Fiction**



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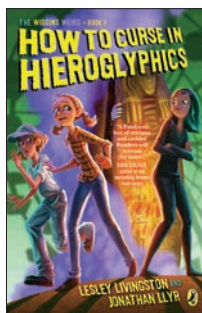
Airborn Trilogy (10th Anniversary Edition)

Kenneth Oppel

HarperCollins Canada - \$12.99

Winner of the Governor General's Award, a Michael L. Printz Honor Book, and recipient of many other national and international honours, *Airborn* fired the imaginations of readers around the world when it was first published in 2004 and its popularity has never waned. *Airborn* was followed by the acclaimed sequels *Skybreaker* and *Starclimber*. These stunning new editions with cover illustrations by Jim Tierney mark a new decade of soaring adventures for this trio of contemporary classics.

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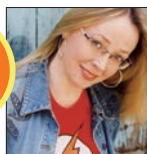
How to Curse in Hieroglyphics

Lesley Livingston and Jonathan Llyr

Puffin Canada - \$14.99

Meet Cheryl and Tweed, two 12-year-old girls who are identical twins (just not with each other!), cousins, and best pals. They are raised by their grandfather, the owner/operator of the tumbledown Starlight Paradise Drive-In movie theatre in the middle-of-nowhere town of Wiggins Cross. When Dudley's World O' Wonders, a threadbare travelling carnival, rolls into town, the citizens of Wiggins welcome the distraction. But even "Colonel" Winchester P.Q. Dudley, the carnival's shady owner, doesn't realize that among the fake and fabricated "wonders" of his travelling sham-show rests the authentic mummified remains of a young Egyptian princess...bearing a shockingly real curse!

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TD Children's Literature Tent



4:50 PM – 5:10 PM

Viminy Crowe's Comic Book

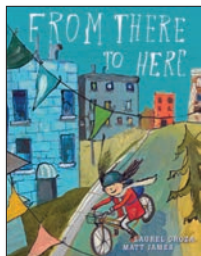
Richard Scrimger; illustrated by Claudia Dávila

Tundra Books – \$19.99

Middle Grade Fiction



When chubby, geeky Wylder Wallace spills lunch on cool and aloof Addy Crowe at Toronto's Comicon, she dashes to the bathroom, leaving behind the latest issue of her uncle's steampunk comic hit: *FLYNN GOSTER in GOLD RUSH TRAIN*. Wylder, a fan of the Flynn comics, opens this new one eagerly, astounded to see the girl who was just yelling at him inside the comic. Fascinated, he follows Addy into the bathroom, and the adventure begins... Is there a personality conflict? Oh, yes. Addy wants to go home; Wylder wants to stay and explore the world of Viminy Crowe's comic book. Do things go wrong? You bet they do...



5:10 PM – 5:30 PM

From There to Here

Laurel Croza; illustrated by Matt James

Groundwood Books - \$18.95



A little girl and her family have just moved across the country by train. Their new neighborhood in the city of Toronto is very different from their home in the Saskatchewan bush, and at first everything about "there" seems better than "here."



5:30 PM – 5:50 PM



Sam's Pet Temper

Sangeeta Bhadra



Kids Can Press - \$18.95



Sam is so frustrated waiting his turn at the playground that a Temper shows up. Within seconds, the beastly, wild thing clears the place, and Sam happily plays alone with his new pet. But his Temper follows him everywhere, causing more and more trouble, until Sam realizes he needs to put a stop to it. *How* is the question...



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11:30 AM

The Reading Rangers

Ranger Kara needs your help to welcome some new Reading Ranger recruits!



12:00 PM

Annedroids Show & Tell

Meet some of the stars and creators from TVOKids' new show *Annedroids*.

12:30 PM

Gisèle's Big Backyard

Join Gisèle and friends for some fun and games.

1:00 PM

Jay's Family Jam

Join Jay and Gisèle along with special musical guest Ariana Gillis.

1:30 PM

The Reading Rangers

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2:00 PM

Ali Eisner & Friends

Sing and dance along with award-winning puppeteer Ali Eisner and friends.

2:30 PM

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4:00 PM

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4:30 PM

Jade's Hip Hop Academy Dancers

Learn to move and groove with these young dancers.



5:00 PM

Polkaroo on Stage

Wrap up your day at The Word On The Street with a special appearance by Polkaroo!



Jokes!

Say this
10 times fast:
**WANDA WRITES
WORDS**

What hand is better to
write with?

Neither. You should use a pencil!

Why was the math
book sad?

It had too many
problems!

What
vegetables
do librarians
like?

Quiet peas.

What building has
the most stories?

The library!

What do you get
if you throw a
bunch of books in
the ocean?

A little wave!

What did the
pen say to
the pencil?

What's your point?

**Knock, knock.
Who's there?
Justa.**

**Justa who?
Justa minute,
I'm reading!**

What do you call a
girl with a dictionary
in her pocket?

A smarty pants!

What do librarians
take with them on
fishing trips?

Bookworms!

What do vampires learn
in kindergarten?

The alpha-bat!

What do race cars
do before bed?

Speed read!

Say this 10 times fast:
**TOM TURNS
PAGES**

Write On!

Decorate this label, and then cut it out and tape it inside your favourite book. Don't forget to write your name on it, too!

This Book Belongs to:

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