

# October 2011

## Canadian Library Month!

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<p>CANADIAN LIBRARY MONTH OCTOBER 2011 YOUR LIBRARY: A PLACE UNBOUND</p> <p>WWW.CLA.CA/CLM11 2011 © CANADIAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION ASSOCIATION CANADIENNE DES BIBLIOTHÈQUES</p>						1 <i>Daddy &amp; Me</i> 10:30/11:30 Author Visit 2pm-3pm
	3	4 <i>Storytime</i> 11am-12pm	5 <i>Art Exhibit Arrives</i>	6 <i>Storytime</i> 2pm-3pm	7 <i>Kid's Craft Club</i> 10:30 & 1 <i>Booksale</i> Noon-7	8 <i>Booksale</i> 10am-5pm
	10 <i>Library Closed</i>	11 <i>Food for Fines Begins</i> <i>Storytime</i> 11am-12pm	12	13 <i>Storytime</i> 2pm-3pm	14	15
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	31 <i>Food for Fines Ends</i>	<p>Sign up to receive our newsletter by email!</p> <p>Send an email to <a href="mailto:carmenl@marigold.ab.ca">carmenl@marigold.ab.ca</a> and say "Sign me up!"</p>				

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## Booker's Buzz

### LIBRARY SNAPSHOT DAY—OCTOBER 7



Join us Friday, October 7 for Library Snapshot Day 2011. We're creating a "snapshot" of the library by collecting information to capture the impact that libraries have on their communities on a typical day. To celebrate library snapshot day the library will have refreshments available and will be holding regular draws throughout the day. Come celebrate your love of libraries and get in the picture!

### BOOKSALE—OCTOBER 7 & 8

As part of Library Snapshot Day, the library will be hosting a book sale from Noon-7pm on Friday, October 7 and 10am-5pm on Saturday, October 8.

### FOOD FOR FINES DRIVE

This October, we celebrate *Canadian Library Month*. As a part of this celebration, the library will be holding a Food for Fines drive from Tuesday, October 11—Monday, October 31, 2011. For every non perishable food item you bring into the library, we will waive \$2.00 of fines! The library will also collect any additional non-perishable food items that you wish to donate. All food will be donated to the Wheatland County Food Bank at the end of the month.



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#### COOL WAYS TO USE YOUR LIBRARY CARD:

- Scare yourself with Stephen King!
- Find a fetching haircut in a magazine!
- Amuse yourself with Dave Barry!
- Watch *Bend it Like Beckham* with your soccer team!
- Read a large print book without using your glasses!
- Get new ideas for redecorating your house!

## Did you Know?

The library repairs its own materials.

Lately we have found that books have been returned with taped pages.

Although we appreciate our patrons dedication to our materials, often what they don't realize is that their small repair causes more damage to the item.

The library uses special materials to repair all our items; therefore, if you find an item in need of repair, please



report it to the staff and we will take care of it.

The same works for our CD/DVD collections. If you borrow these items and find that they are scratched, please report the damage to the staff and we will repair the item for the next



## E-RESOURCE FEATURE OF THE MONTH

### AUTO REPAIR REFERENCE CENTER



Auto Repair Reference Center (ARRC) contains repair and maintenance information on most major manufacturers of domestic and imported vehicles. New repair procedures, TSBs and updates are added to the product on a regular basis.

All of the content in ARRC has been created by ASE certified technicians and covers more than 37,000 vehicles from 1945 to present. With millions of drawings and step-by-step photographs, ARRC will help you with any repair job required. ARRC has repair and maintenance information provided for:

- ◆ Transmissions
- ◆ Ignition Systems
- ◆ Diesel Engines
- ◆ Heating and Cooling
- ◆ Bodywork
- ◆ Brakes
- ◆ Exhaust Systems
- ◆ Electrical Systems
- ◆ Wheels and Tires
- ◆ And Much Much More!

Look for this handy tool on [www.tracpac.ab.ca](http://www.tracpac.ab.ca), under the E-Resources link. Then select the "Do It Yourself" category. Click on Auto Repair Reference Center to begin your journey through the most comprehensive collection of automobile repair information available today!

### OVERDRIVE NEWS!



The library is excited to report that we now have public domain EPUB eBooks available for download on Overdrive! As part of the Project Gutenberg collection, you can now access over 23,000 titles! All titles are considered ALWAYS AVAILABLE and allow for unlimited

simultaneous download and they will not expire! To access the Project Gutenberg titles, go the Overdrive page on [www.tracpac.ab.ca](http://www.tracpac.ab.ca). Click on the icon on the sidebar on the left side of the screen. Enjoy!



## AUTHOR VISIT—OCTOBER 1

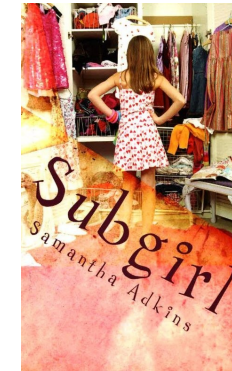
### SAMANTHA ATKINS

Join us Saturday, October 1 at 2pm as we welcome local author, Samantha Atkins.

Samantha Adkins is a writer, teacher, and mother living in Strathmore, AB. She has done a lot of substitute teaching in her career and has met lots of great kids in her work. She has published two other books, *Expectations: A Continuation of Pride and Prejudice* and *What's it Like to Grow Up in Banff?*

Samantha's new book, *Subgirl*, is about a girl named Jordana Simkins. Jordana is twelve years old and has already finished university. What's next for this young girl? She's decided to become a substitute teacher. Luckily, she is unusually tall for her age, has awesome parents and a best friend named Emily to help her prepare for her first day as a subgirl.

Check out September's issue of the Newsy Neighbour, in which Samantha's book is featured. Logon at [www.thenewsyneighbour.ca](http://www.thenewsyneighbour.ca).



## ART EXHIBIT—OCTOBER 5—NOVEMBER 1

This month the library will feature another visually inspiring collection from the Alberta Foundation of the Arts Travelling Exhibition Program (Trex).

As the Trex Program enters its 25th year, we celebrate this achievement with 25, an exhibition of art works representing some of the four hundred and more Trex exhibitions produced for the Alberta Foundation for the Arts Travelling Exhibition Program since 1986. The



exhibition features twenty artworks chosen from the collection of the Alberta Foundation for the Arts. Each selection reflects the collection's high quality, a treasure of more than 7,500 works of art that present the talents of more than 1,700 Alberta artists, many of whom are historically important individuals in the growth of the visual arts in Alberta.

"I find television very educating. Every time somebody turns on the set, I go into the other room and read a book."

Groucho Marx

