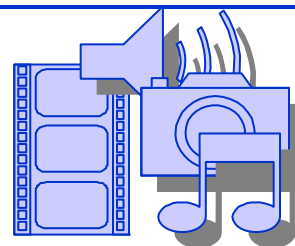




# Under the SPL Umbrella COMING EVENTS February 2010



## Hockey Day in Canada 2010!

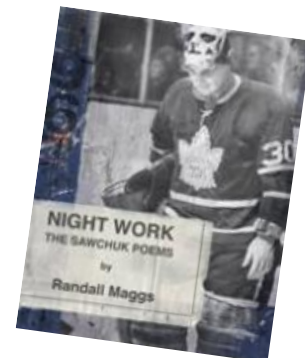
SPL celebrates hockey with authors, poetry, a salute to hockey moms (and dads) and music!  
**This is your invitation to join us!**

**Night Work : The Sawchuk Poems** Meet author Randall Maggs at a free presentation, reading, book signing and reception. This award-winning biography of NHL's Terry Sawchuk was launched at the Hockey Hall of Fame. Thanks to Brick Books and The Frank Cowan Foundation for their support.

Details: Thursday January 28 at 2 pm in the Library Auditorium.

**PROUD TO BE A HOCKEY MOM!** CBC's Scott Morrison (Satellite Hotstove ) hosts a panel of hockey moms as they share stories from the rink - from the minor leagues to the NHL!

Details: Saturday, January 30 from 10:30 - 12 at the Tom Patterson stage (beside the Allman Arena). Refreshments provided. Thanks to The Frank Cowan Foundation for supporting this literacy event.



FREE DRAW for one adult & one child's hockey-themed book daily January 24-30 - just by using your library card at SPL!

Check the SPL website or the city's official Hockey Day in Canada web page. [www.city.stratford.on.ca/cbc/scheduleevents.asp](http://www.city.stratford.on.ca/cbc/scheduleevents.asp)

### Library Hours

Sunday	2pm-5pm
Monday	1pm-9pm
Tuesday	10am-9pm
Wednesday	10am-9pm
Thursday	10am-9pm
Friday	10am-6pm
Saturday	10am-5pm

### Library Closed

Family Day - Monday, February 15

Good Friday April 2  
Easter Sunday April 4  
Easter Monday April 5

**Happy Family Day!**

## Waterloo Lectures

at Stratford Public Library continue.

Tuesday February 9 Christine Purdon : **Obsessive-compulsive disorder: is it all in your head?**

FREE in the Library Auditorium @ 7 pm. All are welcome.

## eBooks are here! New for 2010!

**Did You Know?... eBooks** - the type you read on an electronic reader - are available now! Information about compatible eBook equipment (such as Sony® Readers) is also available. Thanks to our sponsors!

eBooks are free to download with your library card.

Check out [www.downloadLibrary.ca](http://www.downloadLibrary.ca) or [www.stratford.library.on.ca](http://www.stratford.library.on.ca).





## For Families & Children @ your library

**Story Time** Registration has started for the next 8 weeks of stories, songs and bounces. Space is limited. Register by phone please. FREE Thanks to the Friends of SPL.

📖 Baby time (8-18 mo.) Wednesday 10:30 - 11am 📖 Tales for Two's (19-35 mo.) Thursday  
📖 Story Garden (3-5 yr) Thursday 10:30 - 11:15am



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### Olympic Fun on the SPL Kids web page:

Follow the link from the SPL Kids web page to Vancouver 2010 for lots of facts, fun and games.

**Whale of a Tale** A drop-in story time and craft for preschoolers and their families. Monday evenings 6:30 -7:15 pm in the auditorium. Pj's and snuggly toys welcome. FREE

**Family Literacy Day** Wednesday January 27. FamilyLiteracyDay.ca

**Literacy Day Sing-A-Long** at Festival Marketplace Shopping Centre on Wednesday, January 27th, 2010 from 6:30 - 7:30pm with PLOW and the Stratford Early Years Centre. FREE for families.



**PLOW** Current locations can be found online or by phoning the Library.  
[www.pcin.on.ca/Plow/locations.html](http://www.pcin.on.ca/Plow/locations.html)

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**Good Book Group** - read the book, join the discussion at 7 pm in the SPL Auditorium on the 4th Tuesday monthly. Contact John Patterson 519.273.3523

January 26, 2010 - *A Tangled Web* by L.M. Montgomery.

February 23 *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* by M.A. Shaffer & A. Barrows.

**Thursday Theatre**- feature length movies begin at 1:30 pm in the lower Optimist Hall, 72 Water Street. Snack included with \$2.00 admission. With Community Living Stratford & Area..

**Computer Courses** - watch for the flyer. Classes start in March. [www.stratford.library.on.ca](http://www.stratford.library.on.ca)

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