



REPORT TO THE LIBRARY BOARD
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Subject:	Events of Interest to Library Board Members
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Recommendation

It is recommended that this report be received by the Library Board.

Update

Following is a list of unique Library events / activities that will occur at London Public Library during October and November that may be of interest to Board members. If dates change or relevant ones are added, we will alert Board Members.

Date/Location	Event
Ontario Public Library Week, October 17-25 2-4 pm, October 17 all locations except Masonville (Oct. 24)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrate your reading by checking out one of dozens of specially selected items! • Drop in for a chat at the checkout with local “celebrities” • Discover your Library at an Open House
7 pm, Oct. 21, 3rd Floor, Central	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrate local writers at the launch of the Contemporary London Authors’ Collection,
7 pm, Oct. 20, Central Library; 7:30 pm, Oct. 22, Masonville & Landon Branches	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend Library Shorts, original plays by London playwrights set in the library: Masonville: Plays written by Len Cuthbert, Marion Johnson and Lynda Martens; Landon: Plays written by Richard Nagel, Diane Vanden Hoven & Michael Wilmot. Central: all six plays are presented
October 23-25, Special Events Building, Western Fairgrounds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get in on the fantastic bargains at the Friends of the Library Book Sale
7 pm, Nov. 4, Wolf Performance Hall	Reel Bad Arabs: How Hollywood Vilifies A People - Film & Panel Discussion As part of Media Literacy Week . Discussion forum with speakers and participation from the audience follows film.
Noon, Nov. 12, Museum London, Lorraine Ivey Shuttleworth Community Gallery	London Reads Literary Lunch with London Reads authors William Neil Scott, author of this year's winner, <i>Wonderfull</i> , and Joan Barfoot and Joseph Kertes. Tickets are \$50 (lunch and a book selection from the 2009/10 London Reads shortlist.)