

# Brockville Public Library Newsletter

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## ***New Materials***

### **Adult Fiction**

*Sorrow's anthem* by Michael Koryta  
*Beautiful lies* by Lisa Unger  
*Divided kingdom* by Rupert Thomson  
*Nicotine kiss* by Loren D. Estleman  
*Vanished* by Karen Robards  
*Flight of the nighthawks* by Raymond E. Feist  
*The bookwoman's last fling* by John Dunning  
*The last cato* by Matilde Asensi  
*Dirty blonde* by Lisa Scottoline  
*Madame Mirabou's school of love* by Barbara Samuel  
*The surrogate* by Judith Henry Wall  
*The silver rose* by Susan Carroll  
*The librarians of Alexandria: a tale of two sisters* by  
Alessandra Lavagnino  
*Immediate family* by Eileen Goudge  
*Dark harbor* by Stuart Woods  
*Summer of the midnight sun* by Tracie Peterson  
*Last stop Sunnyside* by Pat Capponi  
☀️ *Cease to blush* by Billie Livingston  
*Once upon a day* by Lisa Tucker  
*Poppy Shakespeare* by Clare Allan  
*Suite Francaise* by Irene Nemirovsky  
*Goodnight nobody* by Jennifer Weiner  
*Seven days to the sea: an epic novel of the Exodus* by  
Rebecca Kohn  
*Certainty* by Madeleine Thien  
*Company* by Max Berry  
*The successor* by Ismail Kadare  
☀️ *Anomaly* by Anne Fleming  
*The night journal* by Elizabeth Crook  
☀️ *The Orkney scroll* by Lyn Hamilton  
*The kindness of strangers* by Katrina Kittle  
*Beach road* by James Patterson  
*Shiver* by Lisa Jackson  
*Piece of my heart* by Peter Robinson  
*Susannah's garden* by Debbie Macomber  
*Promise me* by Harlan Coben  
*An act of courage* by Allan Mallinson

### ***Displays in June***

**Adult Walls**

**“PAINTINGS”**

by Maureen Wharton

**“QUILTS”** by Dinah Merckx

**Display Case**

**MINERALS OF LEEDS COUNTY  
UNDERFOOT EXPLORATIONS**

A collection of geological finds by Al Steinburg

**Young Adult Walls**

**“FLOWERS”**

A display created by the Grade 12 Athens District High  
School Students of Mary Louise Olajos

**Please phone us at 342-3936 to ask about our  
free exhibit space.**

### **Fiction cont'd**

☀️ *Scotch River* by Linda Little  
*Blue shoes and happiness* by Alexander McCall Smith  
*Carved in bone* by Jefferson Bass  
*Second honeymoon* by Joanna Trollope  
*The highlander's stolen bride* by Melanie George  
*Titan* by Ben Bova  
*The tooth of time* by Sue Henry  
*Black swan green* by David Mitchell  
*The maid of Lorne* by Terri Brisbin  
*Dark truth* by Mariah Stewart  
*Our lady of pain* by Marion Chesney  
*A most uncommon degree of popularity* by Kathleen  
Gilles Seidel  
☀️ *Blood sports* by Eden Robinson  
*We are all welcome here* by Elizabeth Berg

### **CD's**

*Romance of the violin* by Joshua Bell  
*All jacked up* by Gretchen Wilson  
*Rock of ages: hymns & faith* by Amy Grant  
*Beauty has grace* by Jaci Velasquez  
*Extraordinary machine* by Fiona Apple  
*Lost and found* by Mudvayne  
*Twelve year silence* by Dark New Day  
*Get lifted* by John Legend  
*When I fall in love* by Chris Botti

### **Large Print**

*Gone* by Jonathan Kellerman

## Brockville Public Library

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Interlibrary Loan Email: [interlibrary@storm.ca](mailto:interlibrary@storm.ca)

Website: [www.superaje.com/~bpl/](http://www.superaje.com/~bpl/)


Children's Site:


[www.superaje.com/~bpl/kidszone.html](http://www.superaje.com/~bpl/kidszone.html)


## Reference

*Furniture* by Judith Miller

*WW2 Victory in Europe experience: from D-day to the destruction of the Third Reich* by Julian Thompson

 *Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley water distribution system: operating authority City of Brockville Source, City of Brockville Drinking water system: 2005 annual summary report for council* prepared by Melodie J. Hobbs

 *Canadian Medical Association: complete home medical guide*

 *Government of Canada Telephone directory: Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario, Western Region, British Columbia and the Yukon*

## Young Adult


*Charmed thirds* by Megan McCafferty

*Ella Mental and the good sense guide* by Amber Deckers

 *Skater stuntboys* by Pam Withers

*Golden* by Cameron Dokey

*Candy* by Kevin Brooks

 *Surf zone* by Pam Withers

*Respect: a girl's guide to getting respect and dealing when your line is crossed* by Courtney Macavinta

*Best resumes for college students and new grads* by Louise M. Kursmark

*Art geeks and prom queens* by Alyson Noel

*Introducing Vivien Leigh Reid: daughter of the diva* by Yvonne Collins

*The highest tide* by Jim Lynch

*Shut the door* by Amanda Marquit

*Upstate* by Kalisha Buckhanon

*Faking 19* by Alyson Noel

*Prep* by Curtis Sittenfeld

*The Rough Guide to Hip-hop: the definitive guide to hip-hop, from Grandmaster Flash to OutKast and beyond* by Peter Shapiro

*How to win friends and influence people for teen girls* by Donna Dale Carnegie

*The Rough Guide to Heavy metal* by Essi Berelian

## Calendar of Events for June

### Chess Club

Ages 6-12 years | May 13 1 - 2:30 pm

Ages 13 + | May 13 2:30 - 4 pm

### Friends of the Library White Elephant Sale

Saturday June 17 9am to 12pm

In the meeting room at the Brockville Public Library

#### **\*\*Featured Items\*\***

Jewelry - Kitchen Supplies - Glassware

Games - Tools, and much more

**\*\*We are also looking for donations for this sale\*\***

We are accepting donations on:

Wednesday June 14<sup>th</sup> - 10 am to 9 pm

Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup> - 10 am to 9 pm

Friday June 16<sup>th</sup> - 10 am to 5 pm

**NO CLOTHING PLEASE!!**

### Friends of the Library Annual General Meeting

Thursday June 21<sup>st</sup>

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

**Guest Speaker, Bonnie Burke, from the Brockville Museum, will give a talk with a slide presentation from her adventures in Thailand!!**

### Celebrate Seniors in June

This year, the theme for Seniors Month is

*"Active Living"*

Register at the Circulation Desk.

Everyone welcome! FREE of charge.

Tuesday June 13, 2-3 pm

*Belly Dancing*

Thursday June 15, 2-3 pm

*Qigong for Maximum Health*

Friday June 23, 10:30-11:30 am

*Smart Nutrients: Strategies for healthy brains*

Saturday June 24, 10:30-11:30 am

*Gentle Yoga for Seniors*

**For more details go to:**

[www.superaje.com/~bpl/celebrateseniors.pdf](http://www.superaje.com/~bpl/celebrateseniors.pdf)

### Registration for Children's Programs

Begins Thursday, June 22, 2006 at 10 AM.

Please pre-register for all programs.

Registration takes place at the Children's Reference Desk in the Children's Department.

## New Materials, cont'd

### Adult Videos

(VHS)

*Into thin air*  
*Passion & valor*  
*Bird on a wire*  
*Freddy vs. Jason*  
*Call of the wild*  
*Terminator 2*  
*MASK*  
*8MM*  
*The lady & the highway*  
*Glenn Miller*  
*Any which way you can*

(DVD)

*Elizabethtown*  
*Jarhead*  
*Brokeback Mountain*  
*Captain Kidd*  
*C.R.A.Z.Y.*  
*A history of violence*  
*Pride & prejudice*  
*North country*  
*Into the blue*  
*Enron*  
*Empire Falls*  
*Paradise now*  
*Six feet under – Fourth season*

FAMILY VHS

*Peter Pan*  
*Short circuit*

FAMILY DVD

*Chicken Little*  
*Howl's moving castle*  
*Herbie fully loaded*  
*The chronicles of Narnia*  
*The Baby-sitters Club : Kristy & the great campaign*  
*The Rag Tag Champs*  
*Hills of home*  
*The Jungle Book*

FAMILY DVD

*Dreamer*

### Children's Videos

(VHS)

*Kissyfur*  
*The brace little toaster to the rescue*  
*The secret of NIMH 2*  
*The last unicorn*  
*Peter and the magic egg*

(DVD)

*The Berenstain Bears go to the doctor*  
*Dora the explorer: save the day!*  
*Stuart Little 3*

## New & Improved Services

### Youth Advisory Group

The first meeting of our youth advisory group was held last month. The youth advisory group role is to work as a liaison between the library and the teen community in order to help us better serve this user group.

### Children's Early Literacy Station

We have recently added a Literacy Station in the Children's Department. This station is an educational solution targeted for pre-schoolers through third graders. It includes 26 educational games/programs across seven curricular areas, all top rated by Children's Software Review. Some of the programs include:

*Krazy Art Room \* Millie's Math House*  
*Stellaluna \* Peep Floats \* Reader Rabbit Toddler*  
*Spongebob Typing & Encarta Kids 2006*

### **The dual heat sets enable parents to listen alongside their children.**

Please sign up for this at the Circulation Desk.

### Children's Listening Centre

One to six people can listen to our talking books, or CD's as a group. Please sign up for this at the Circulation Desk.

### **Adult Chess Club**

We now offer a chess club for patrons 13 and older. Please go to [www.superaje.com/~bpl](http://www.superaje.com/~bpl) for details.

### **Adopt-a-book program**

Adopt a book from our pre-selected list and be the first to read it. A book plate will also be put in the book acknowledging your contribution. Ask at the Circulation Desk for more details.

## New Materials, cont'd

### Adult Fiction cont'd

*Why I'm still married: women write their hearts out on love, loss, sex and who does the dishes*

🔴 *Curse of the narrows* by Laura M. Mac Donald  
*Opus Dei: an objective look behind the myths and reality of the most controversial force in the Catholic Church* by John L. Allen

*The Jesus papers: exposing the greatest cover-up in history* by Michael Baigent

*Marley & me: life and love with the world's worst dog* by John Grogan

🔴 *Buying and selling a home for Canadians for dummies* by Tony Ioannou

*The world according to Narnia: Christian meaning in C.S. Lewis's beloved chronicles* by Jonathan Rogers

*Deep sky objects: the best and brightest from four decades of comet chasing* by David H. Levy

🔴 *Facing death, embracing life: understanding what dying people want* by David Kuhl

🔴 *Personal finance for Canadians for dummies* by Eric Tyson

*A year in the life of William Shakespeare: 1599* by James Shapiro

🔴 *The new city: how the crisis in Canada's urban centres is reshaping the nation* by John Lorinc

*The unofficial guide to Mexico's best beach resorts* by Maribeth Mellin

🔴 *Between friends: a year of letters* by Oonagh Berry  
*The reluctant parting: how the New Testament's Jewish writers created a Christian book* by Julie Galambush

🔴 *Being caribou: five months on foot with an Arctic herd* by Karsten Heuer

🔴 *Democratic deficit*

*The prophet of Dry Hill: lessons from a life in nature* by David Gessner

*The Oasis guide to Asperger syndrome: advice, support, insight, and inspiration* by Patricia Romanowski Bashe

*The woman in the shaman's body: reclaiming the feminine in religion and medicine* by Barbara Tedlock

*Christopher Marlowe: poet & spy* by Park Honan  
*Upon the altar of the nation: a moral history of the American Civil War* by Harry S. Stout

*The great transformation: the beginning of our religious traditions* by Karen Armstrong

*Barbra: the way she is* by Christopher Andersen

*Sex and the seasoned woman: pursuing the passionate life* by Gail Sheehy

## New Materials, cont'd

*A teenager's journey: surviving adolescence* by Richard B. Pelzer

*The fat resistance diet: unlock the secret of the hormone leptin to eliminate cravings, supercharge your metabolism, lose weight, and reprogram your body to stay thin - forever* by Leo Galland

🔴 *The hanging of Angelique: the untold story of Canadian slavery and the burning of old Montreal* by Afua Cooper

*Laundry: the home comforts book of caring for clothes and linens* by Cheryl Mendelson

*Team of rivals: the political genius of Abraham Lincoln* by Doris Kearns Goodwin

*Return to wild America: a yearlong search for the continent's natural soul* by Scott Weidensaul

*The Rough Guide to the Yucatan* by Zora O'Neill

*The unofficial guide to England* by Stephen Brewer

*The lost executioner: a journey to the heart of the killing fields* by Nic Dunlop

*Gardening with tulips* by Michael King

*The earth: an intimate history* by Richard Fortey

*Healthy aging: a lifelong guide to your physical and spiritual well-being* by Andrew Weil

*The Greek for love* by James Chatto

🔴 *97 tips for Canadian real estate investors* by Don R. Campbell

*Off the wall: exercises for climbers* by Lisa M. Wolfe

🔴 *The retirement time bomb: how to achieve financial independence in a changing world* by Gordon Pape

*Dead man in paradise* by J.B. MacKinnon

*The unofficial guide to Walt Disney World* by Bob Sehlinger

*Seducing the demon: writing for my life* by Erica Jong

*Kursk: the vital 24 hours* by Will Fowler

*Michaels book of wedding crafts*

*The discoveries: great breakthroughs in twentieth-century science* by Alan Lightman

*Devil's game: how the United States helped unleash fundamentalist Islam* by Robert Dreyfuss

*Good debt, bad debt: knowing the difference can save your financial life* by Jon Hanson

*Moving on: creating your house of belonging with simple abundance* by Sarah Ban Breathnach

*Frogs: a chorus of colors* by John L. Behler

*No such thing as over-exposure: inside the life and celebrity of Donald Trump* by Robert Slater

*Defining the world: the extraordinary story of Dr. Johnson's dictionary* by Henry Hitchings

*Prayer: a history* by Philp Zaleski