

# MAY

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## 26th ANNUAL BOOKSALE

Friday, May 3 from 10:00 am - 8:00 pm.  
Saturday May 4th from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm.  
in MARKET SQUARE

### WIN TICKETS! "Toopy & Binoo and the Marshmallow World"

Have fun with Toopy and Binoo books and activities! Fill out a ballot between April 29 & May 10 and you could win 4 tickets to see "Toopy and Binoo and the Marshmallow Moon" at the Imperial Theatre on Monday, May 20 (Victoria Day) at 3:30 pm.



**CHESS:** Every Saturday at 2pm. Kids & teens are invited to the Teen Zone to play chess. Learn tips & tricks. All levels welcome.



**TODDLER TIME:** Thursdays, May 9, 16, 23, 30, June 6 & 13 at 6:30 pm.

If you are between 18 and 36 months old, bring your favourite adult for 30 minutes of fingerplays, rhymes, songs, and stories. Pyjamas welcome. Please pre-register by calling 643-7239.

## MUSIC & MUNCHIES



**MUSICAL FANTASY** SAINT JOHN STRING QUARTET. Saturday, May 11 at 2pm.  
Let your imagination run free as you listen to some musical gems.



**CELEBRATE ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH:** Everyone is welcome to an Evening Family Storytime in Mandarin Chinese and English. Wednesday, May 15 at 6:30 pm. Learn Twinkle Twinkle, hear some stories, and make your own star.



**PRESCHOOL STORYTIME:** Wednesdays and Saturdays from 10:30 - 11:00 am.

Theme-based stories, songs, fingerplays, and lots of crayons too!  
Ages 3-5; younger children welcome with an adult.

**FAMILY DROP-IN:** Children and their parents/caregivers can enjoy books and activity sheets based on a theme that changes weekly. Available any time the library is open.



**The Library will be CLOSED on VICTORIA DAY  
Monday, May 20th**

\*If you attend a library program and park in Market Square, ask library staff for a voucher for 1 hour of free parking.