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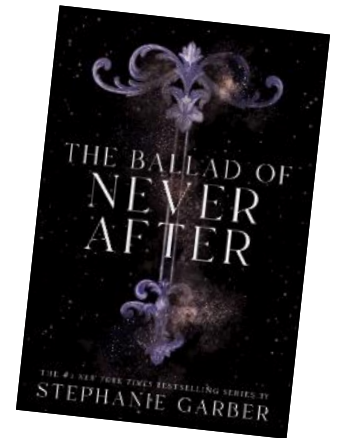
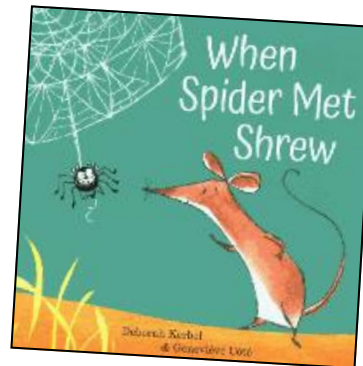
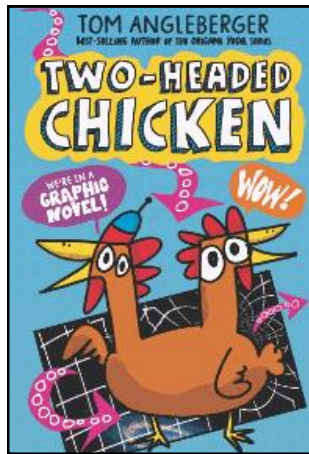
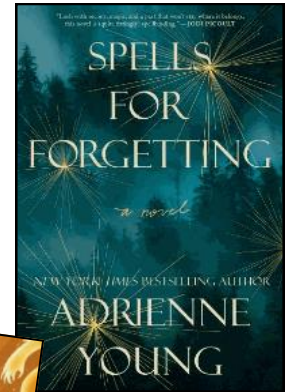


October 2022

G GAYNOR FAMILY
REGIONAL LIBRARY



New for Halloween



LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:30am - 9pm

Friday: 9:30am - 7:00pm

Saturday - Sunday: 11:00am - 5pm

CLOSED: MONDAY

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Library News

At the end of September, over 40 Library Directors met in Selkirk to discuss how Public Libraries in Manitoba can partner and cooperate more as we face common challenges for funding, censorship, staffing and meeting the public need.

Over the years Manitoba has never developed a true regional model of library services, unfortunately, it would be far too costly to try to develop one now. Without this level of infrastructure, the Public Libraries vary significantly from community to community.

In Selkirk, we are the envy of other rural and northern libraries as our facility is world class and can match library branches in Winnipeg and the world. Financially, Gaynor has less than half per capita funding as compared to the Winnipeg Public Library system, yet we do our best to provide a level of service that equals/surpasses that of Winnipeg.

The Public Libraries in Manitoba share our collection through Inter-Library Loan and through the **Libby App** for eBooks. As a patron, you can borrow over a million print books without charge and over 20,000 eBooks. The libraries also share ideas on programming successes, presenters and ways of providing better services.

Through working together Manitoba Public Libraries are doing our best to provide barrier free access to materials for life-long learning, recreation, creativity and self-development. Please feel free to talk with our wonderful staff and see how we can help meet your personal goals.

Coming Soon

**Tuesday Night
speaker series on
Home Energy Efficiencies!**



BabyTime

**As the days get colder, why not come for
some fun with your little one!**

(Ages birth - 5 years)

Sundays - 1pm &
Thursdays 9:45 or 10:45 am

For Your Calendar



Thursday Nights @theLibrary

Thursday Evenings in the Theatre at 7:00pm

Join us for a fun evening of discussions and visit with some really interesting people. Visit our website (www.gfrl.org) to read the bio's of these amazing folks.

October 6th — Jeannie White Bird, Indigenous Leader & Storyteller

October 13th — Zilla Jones, Lawyer, Human Rights Advocate & Author

October 20th — Wab Kinew, Author and Politician

October 27th — Bev Hart, Artist & Fun Painting Techniques

Circle of Friends

Join our **Circle of Friends** programming every Friday in the Theatre from 1-3pm. Visit our website (www.gfrl.org) to read the bio's of these wonderful speakers.

October 7th — Kansas City John & Mark Bowman, Musicians

October 14th — Dr. Anozie, Viruses and Self-Care

October 21st — Mary Lou Driedger, Author & photographer

October 28th — Laurie Gyde, Improv Performer