

# The Reader



*Spring is Coming!*

*...some day*



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*April 2026*

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REGIONAL LIBRARY

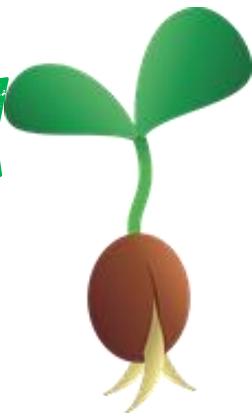
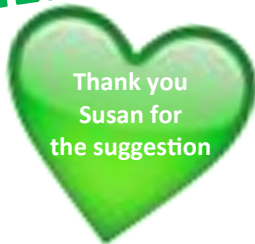
# Library Programming

## Children's Programming PAUSED - Starting April -

As we wrap up our winter children's programming,  
we will be pausing our spring session  
**(StoryTime, Kids Unplugged and Stay & Play)**  
to prepare for the upcoming library construction.

Watch for announcements, as the NEW areas become available!

# SEED LIBRARY



Do you have some seeds to share?  
Would you like to try different varieties for  
your garden?

WHY NOT TRY THE SEED LIBRARY!  
Share some of your harvested seeds and  
then take some new ones home to grow.

## Library Closed



Good Friday - April 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Easter Sunday - April 5<sup>th</sup>

Open Saturday regular  
hours 11am to 5pm

**Room Booking PAUSED**—While we focus on construction moves  
we will be pausing our room bookings.  
As soon as we can, we will open the booking portal—stay tuned!



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## Book Launch



**Saturday, April, 11<sup>th</sup>  
3:00 pm, Harvey Theatre**

***Portals: A Sable Booknight Anthology***

Join us as we visit with 6 of the authors from this fantastic anthology:  
Denise Fenez, Eric McKinnon, Greg Shedden, Lasalina Tess, Rebecca Hunnie,  
Scarlett Kol, Sianyn Leigh, T. M. Heinrichs, Tania Stephanson, Trynda Adair, and Whitney R. Holp

Hidden within the shadows are portals waiting to be discovered. Some take us to new worlds, while others, another place in time. From alternate dimensions to magical worlds, the Portals anthology will take you on exciting journeys with unique characters and new places to explore. The writers of Sable BookNight come together from Canada and the United States, to share their creativity with special readers like you.

**Hold onto your hats, always keep your hands on the book, and enjoy the ride.**

## Job Fair

**April 24<sup>th</sup> 10am-4pm**

**Looking for employment?  
Want to try a different work environment?**

Join us at our Job Fair and meet with local business leaders.  
Bring your resume and have a conversation with  
various organizations about possible employment.

**Library Theatre - 806 Manitoba Ave., Selkirk MB**

If you are an employer looking to participate, please contact Huddle at [\(204\) 482-9813](tel:2044829813)



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# Construction Update

## UPDATE:

The end of March saw numerous sub-contractors visit the library to review the construction plans for the children's library expansion and discuss next steps.

Measurement for the new blinds along the south and east walls were completed and discussions for some key wood features in the children's library have started.

April and May will be a whirlwind of activity. With that in mind we have paused various programs and access to various meeting rooms. The goal is to not close the library, however, that means some collections will be inaccessible and moved to unconventional locations. If you are not sure where your favourite collection(s) is located, please ask us at the Circulation desk and we can help you.

**We're excited to advise that we are now down to \$5,943 left to raise in the Library Expansion fundraising campaign!**

If you would like to make a donation, please see us at the desk or visit us online:  
(<https://gfri.org/continue-our-story>)

Ken Kuryliw, Director of Library Services



### LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:30am - 9pm

Friday: 9:30am - 7:00pm

Saturday - Sunday: 11:00am - 5pm

CLOSED: MONDAY

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