

# The

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## WELCOME



REMEMBER TO CELEBRATE  
VALENTINE'S DAY AND FAMILY DAY  
WITH PEOPLE YOU LOVE

### Library Database & Magazine of the Month

All you need is love this month, and no matter who you love, this **Infotrac database** is sure to have some interesting articles for you.

[InfoTrac GLBT Life and Issues eCollection](#)

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**The Utne Reader** is a digest of independent ideas and alternative culture. Not right, not left, but forward thinking. They're most interested in creating a conversation about everything from the environment to the economy, politics to pop culture.

# Looking for romance?

## Find it at your library!

Check out our collection of romantic novels, movies and music to put you in the mood this Valentine's Day....

♥ Spend a cozy night in with such authors as **Nora Roberts, Danielle Steele, Sandra Brown, Nicholas Sparks** or **Johanna Lindsey**

♥ Cuddle up with a loved one to watch a **Love Story, Dirty Dancing, Casablanca** or **The Way We Were**



On a sadder note, the literary and musical communities lost a few of their greats recently . We are saddened by their deaths, but hope that their works will be remembered.

Robert B. Parker  
Paul Quarrington  
Erich Segal  
J.D. Sallinger  
Kate McGarrigle

**“To live in the hearts we  
leave behind is not to die.”**  
— Thomas Campbell

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<b>Closed</b>					<b>OLYMPICS BEGIN!</b>	
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<b>Valentine's Day v Closed</b>	<b>Family Day Closed</b>			<b>Wii</b>		
				<b>Game Night</b>		
<b>21/28</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Freedom to read week BEGINS!</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>	<b>Freedom to read week</b>

## February's New Additions

We've got the newest bestsellers, plus new DVDs and videogames, including :

Cloudy with a chance of meatballs (DVD) - District 9 (DVD) - The hurt locker (DVD)  
 Inglorious basterds (DVD) - Paranormal activity (DVD)  
 Rome : Complete series (DVD) - The Tudors : Seasons 1 & 2 (DVD)

Food Network's Cook or be Cooked! (Wii) - Avatar (XBOX360) - Area 51 (XBOX360)  
 CSI : Deadly Intent (XBOX360) - New Super Mario Brothers (Wii)



**FREEDOM TO  
READ WEEK**



**FEBRUARY  
21-27  
2010**

“Freedom to Read Week is an annual event that encourages Canadians to think about and reaffirm their commitment to intellectual freedom, which is guaranteed them under the Charter of Rights and Freedoms. Freedom to Read Week is organized by the Freedom of Expression Committee of the Book and Periodical Council. Freedom to read can never be taken for granted. Even in Canada, a free country by world standards, books and magazines are banned at the border. Books are removed from the shelves in Canadian libraries, schools and bookstores every day. Free speech on the Internet is under attack. Few of these stories make headlines, but they affect the right of Canadians to decide for themselves what they choose to read.

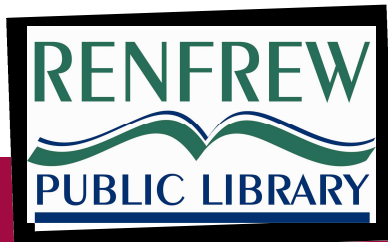
Below is a selective list of books that have been challenged in Canada in the last decade. Each challenge sought to limit public access to the books in schools, libraries, or bookstores. Some challenges were upheld; others were rejected. Because some challenges are dismissed, the books remain on library shelves or curriculum lists. We think it worthwhile to include such instances because the effect of a controversy over print material can spread, even though the would-be book-banners lose. A book with a controversial reputation tends to be quietly dropped from reading lists and curricula. This interference can be most insidious—quiet acquiescence to the kind of scare tactics that would-be censors know how to employ.”

- [Freedomtoread.ca](http://Freedomtoread.ca)

**The wars—Timothy Findley**  
**Catcher in the Rye—J.D. Salinger**  
**Alice series—Phyllis Reynolds Naylor**  
**His Dark Materials trilogy—Philip Pullman**  
**Harry Potter series—J.K. Rowling**  
**Women on top—Nancy Friday**  
**Huckleberry Finn—Mark Twain**  
**Goosebumps & Fear Street books—R.L. Stine**  
**Gossip girl series—Cecily von Ziegesar**  
**The color purple—Alice Walker**  
**I know why the caged bird sings—Maya Angelou**  
**1984—George Orwell**  
**Brave new world—Aldous Huxley**

**Lord of the flies—William Golding**  
**To kill a mockingbird—Harper Lee**  
**The Diviners—Margaret Laurence**  
**Catcher in the Rye—J.D. Salinger**  
**Of mice and men—John Steinbeck**  
**Dance me outside—W.P. Kinsella**  
**Foxfire—Joyce Carol Oates**  
**The Great Gatsby—F. Scott Fitzgerald**  
**The kite runner—Khaled Hosseini**  
**The chocolate war—Robert Cormier**  
**Ulysses—James Joyce**  
**Slaughterhouse-Five—Kurt Vonnegut**  
**Beloved—Toni Morrison**

\*All books are currently available at the Renfrew Public Library; see website for complete list



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**We're on the web!**  
[www.renfrew.library.on.ca](http://www.renfrew.library.on.ca)

## Highlights from the Web

**Freedom to Read Week**

<http://www.freedomtoread.ca/>

**Olympic Games**

<http://www.vancouver2010.com/>

**Romantic Reads**

<http://romanticreads.net/>

**Valentine's Day**

<http://www.mydearvalentine.com/>

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