One Book One Halton Hills title announced for summer ready

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Halton Hills residents, it's time to start your summer reading.

Halton Hills Public Library has officially announced the One Book One Halton Hills title for 2018: A Stranger in the House.

The 2017 suspense thriller, by Shari Lapena, tells the story of Karen who mysteriously leaves home (without any belongings or notifying her husband Tom) and gets into a serious car accident, leading to a head injury and memory loss. Upon returning home after being hospitalized, Karen realizes that something is not quite right, though she cannot remember why she'd left home in the first place.

The title was announced on June 20 at the Wines & Spines event in Acton.

"We are thrilled to announce Shari Lapena's novel as the selected title for One Book, One Halton Hills," said Beverley King, Manager of Community and Adult Services. "Mystery novels never go out of style, and our community will be turning these exciting pages all summer long."

In honour of this twisted selection, HHPL will be offering a series of mystery-inspired events and activities over the next few weeks, including a virtual reality suspense game (Richie's Plank Experience), a Stranger in the Library escape room event, a murder mystery costume event and a mystery and suspense board game night.

The One Book One Halton Hills annual initiative gives the town an incentive to read the same book and open up discussion.

To participate, reserve a copy of the novel at the Georgetown or Acton branch of Halton Hills Public Library.



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Above, Shari Lapena is the author of A Stranger in the House; the suspense novel selected for One Book One Halton Hills 2018.







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