

# Library stocks shelves with summer reading

June can be a hectic time of year. So many things are winding up and so many other things are starting. The school year needs to be finished, soccer starts, vacations need to be planned, and after all that, a good book can be a welcome break. Today, I took a look at the new-book shelves and here is a selection of some of the Library's latest titles:

If you are in the mood for something silly, *Gods Behaving Badly* by Marie Phillips could be for you. In this book, the gods and goddesses of Ancient Greece have downsized their digs from Mount Olympus to something much more humble in London, England. Unfortunately the whole omniscient-omnipotent thing does not go down too well with the locals and chaos quickly ensues (again).

Jeffrey Archer's newest novel, *A Prisoner of Birth*, is, true to form, a shockingly exciting page-turner. Danny Cartwright is falsely accused of murder and sentenced to 22 years in prison. Yet being behind bars does not deter him from seeking revenge. To say the ending is a surprise is a huge understatement.

*The Girl with No Shadow* is the long-awaited sequel to Joanne Harris' *Chocolat*. It continues the story of Vivianne Rocher, who is blown by a restless wind to Paris and sets up another chocolaterie in Montmartre under an assumed name. But the peace



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and quiet does not last long, and Vivianne soon discovers that she is not the only one who has taken on a new identity to get what she wants.

In bestselling author Elizabeth George's hugely anticipated new novel, *Careless in Red*, Inspector Lynley, paralyzed by his grief for his wife, is again involved in a murder investigation. This time, his role is not that of a detective, but instead he is a witness and might even be a suspect.

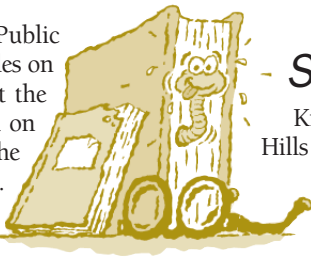
These and many other new titles are waiting for you to borrow from either the Acton or the Georgetown branches of the Halton Hills Public Library. For more information, please stop by, call, or visit the "What's New" section of our website at [www.library.hhpl.on.ca](http://www.library.hhpl.on.ca).

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## Book sales

The Friends of the Halton Hills Public Library is running the Library book sales on Saturday, June 7, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Acton Branch, 17 River St. Acton and on Saturday, June 21, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Georgetown Branch, 9 Church St. Georgetown.

There will be lots of bargains



for all ages and interests. Info: 905-873-2450.

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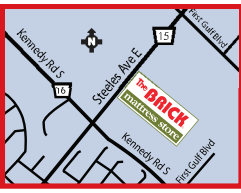


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