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The Afternoon

#151 Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. OLA INFORMATION POLICY FORUM Speakers: Members of the OLA Information Policy Task Force.

The Ontario Public Library Strategic Plan's Recommendation 1.1 calls for the Ontario Library Association to develop a proposal to be presented to the government of Ontario, asking for a commission to be established that would create an information policy for the province. The OLA Task Force will be presenting an outline of the proposal and inviting feedback and reaction from the library community on its work. (See *InsideOLA*, no. 17, p. A1, 11 for membership of the Task Force and a summary of its activities.)

#152

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. EARLY, MIDDLE AND LATER READING – THE READERS' ADVISORY INTERVIEW FOR ALL AGES

Speakers: *Terri Lyons*, Etobicoke Public Library; *Laura Dick*, Etobicoke Public Library; *Astrid Grinvalds*, Hamilton Public Library.

Children, teens and adults use recreational reading for different purposes. Learn skills and techniques for conducting successful interviews with the different age groups and for arriving at the results you want..

#153

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. *INNOVATIVE BOOK PROGRAMS* FOR SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN Speakers: Mary Karpinchick, Port Colborne Public Library; Daria Sharanewych, Oakville Public Library.

Learn from Oakville Public Library's awardwinning "Battle of the Books" activity and from Port Colborne Public Library's Canadian Children's Author Day held annually since 1974. Build your skills through an understanding of why these programs are so effective.

#154

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. **PROFESSIONAL STRESS? YES! Speaker:** Maureen Ott, Regional Niagara Health Services, St. Catharines.

If you experience professional stress, Ott has many original and fresh ideas for you.

#155

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. CONDUCTING A NEEDS ASSESSMENT IN A SCHOOL BOARD PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY

Speaker: Catherine Wilkins, Marsha Hunt, Peel Board of Education.

Through an analysis of the study conducted by Peel Board of Education of the J.A. Turner Professional Library, you will see how renewal within the context of an organization is a powerful tool for change and improving services.

#156

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. THE CONCEPT AND PRACTICE OF EMPLOYMENT EQUITY Speakers: Roberta Rivers, Ontario Women's Directorate.

Understand the issues surrounding employment equity. Gain working knowledge of various methodologies and processes that a library can use to help implement employment equity. Share ideas and views on practice as it now exists

#157

Thursday, Nov. 14 2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. THE DEMANDS OF THE DEVELOPING MOSAIC

Speakers: Lucya Spencer, Ontario Immigrant and Visible Minority Women's Organization; Nuzhath Leedham, Riverdale Immigrant Women's Centre; Alejandro Morales, COSTI Counselling Education Centre.

As the ethnic composition of your service area changes, so must your programs. Learn how to create successful community outreach programs that specifically support immigrants and refugees as they adjust to their new life in Canada.

OCULA and OPLA ANNUAL MEETINGS at 4:30 p.m.

EX LIBRIS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 14, 1991 Hamilton Convention Centre

Registration 9:00 a.m. ~ 10:00 a.m.

Speakers include: Dr. J.J. Talman, formerly chief librarian University of Western Ontario, Provincial archivist and historian. Judith St. John, formerly head of Osborne Collection Boys' and Girls' House, Toronto Public Library and author.

Cost: \$20.00 including luncheon
Notice for Members in September Non-Members Welcome

To register, send \$20.00 to the Ontario Library Association with name and address. Make cheques payable to Ex Libris

The Ex Libris Association welcomes retired librarians and those about to retire.