1 Friday 1:45 p.m.

COLLECTIONS, PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

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700 MTCC 206AB 1:45 pm-3:30 pm NOTE: SPECIAL START TIME

CRADLEBOARD TEACHING PROJECT Buffy Sainte-Marie

Science: Through Native American Eyes

Buffy Sainte-Marie (Ph.D.) will present the Cradleboard Teaching Project's first CD-ROM, "Science: Through Native American Eyes." The CD-ROM has garnered rave reviews by educators across North America. While designed and developed for core curriculum science in middle school classes, the CD-ROM is currently being used in a variety of classes right through to college level, as well as in libraries, resource centres, and in homes as "Edutainment." Ms. Sainte-Marie will also briefly touch on her Nihewan Foundation's other programs, which include Scholarships, Teacher Training, the Cradleboard Teaching Project, and the Youth Council on Race. Website: www.cradleboard.org

1 Friday 2:15 p.m.

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701 **CP ONTARIO** 2:15 pm-3:30 pm

GENREFLECTING: A GUIDE TO THE READING INTERESTS OF ADULTS Diana Tixier Herald

Author of the popular *Genreflecting* series.

Find the best read-alikes for adult patrons and build a fiction collection that appeals to the broad spectrum of readers that you serve. Herald, 'a former readers' advisory librarian, discusses the use of the books for which she has become so famous and how you can get the maximum result for them.

Convenor: Michal Calder,
Toronto Public Library

Photos from left to right:

Buffy Saint-Marie teaching in a Bronx school 700, Paul Kropp 702, Denise Bisson 704 702 **CP BALLROOM B** 2:15 pm-3:30 pm

THE CURRENT LITERACY CRISIS Paul Kropp

Author of How to Make Your Child A Reader for Life.

Kropp focuses his presentation on Ontario testing, its demands and what it reveals about the current literacy situation. Discussion will address "the boy problem" in reading, the distractions of computers and the internet, and the changing roles of schools, libraries and the families in literacy development.

Convenor: JoAnne LaForty, Toronto District School Board

703 **MTCC 206D** 2:15 pm-3:30 pm

HISTORICITY: TORONTO THEN AND NOW ON TPL'S VIRTUAL REFERENCE LIBRARY: THE SERVICE PERSPECTIVE

Barbara Myrvold, Service Specialist, Local History, Planning & Development; Lynda Moon, Librarian, Northern District Branch; Mary Rae Shantz, Librarian, Special Collections Centre; David Bain, General Librarian, Margaret English, Librarian, Toronto Public Library.

Learn about a new tool to locate information on Toronto, past and present, and gain ideas to develop similar projects in your library. *Historicity*

(a real word meaning 'authenticity based on historical fact") is Toronto Public Library's newest Internet gateway. Project team members will discuss the concept for Historicity and demonstrate its content and navigation. Historicity brings together many sources of information about Toronto and its neighbourhoods. Thousands of images - pictures and maps of early Toronto; historical information like on-line 19th century directories; two dozen full-text local history books; links to useful Internet sites about Toronto (indexed by neighbourhood and subject); plus expert advice on where to go for more information. Convenor: Catherine Mill, Toronto Public Library

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DEVELOPING INTERACTIVE WEB TUTORIALS

Rosalie Waller, Library Resource Centre, Seneca College, Toronto Denise Bisson, Learning Resource Centre, Algonquin College, Ottawa.

Learn the ingredients for a successful research skills tutorial.

Learn how to launch and implement a library research tutorial. Some tips and tricks to get you started in developing an on line tutorial.

Convenor: Brenda Livingston, Toronto Public Library





