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StoryWalks on City of Vaughan Trails Are Back!

VAUGHAN, ONTARIO – Vaughan Public Libraries (VPL) is excited to announce that we will be expanding StoryWalk offerings across the entire city in partnership with Public Works once again! StoryWalks provide a reading experience while enjoying a walk through a Vaughan trail. Families will discover pages along the path and read the entire book by the end of their walk. StoryWalks are fun and educational and allow families to experience the library in an untraditional way.

VPL has partnered with various publishers and the Toronto Regional Conservation Authority to offer seasonal StoryWalks® to Kortright Centre for Conservation visitors since 2018. A StoryWalk will be posted in each of the City's five Wards and the Kortright Centre of Conservation.

Ward 1 – Mackenzie Glen District Park

Book: [My City Speaks](#) by Darren Lebeuf (Kids Can Press)

Ward 2 – Nort Johnson District Park

Book: [Pride Puppy!](#) by Robin Stevenson (Orca Books)

Ward 3 – Lawford Park

Book: [Mii Maanda Ezhi-gkendmaanh \(This is How I Know\)](#) by Brittany Luby (Groundwood Books/House of Anansi Press)

Ward 4 – Sugarbush Heritage Park

Book: [I Hear You, Forest](#) by Kallie George (Greystone Kids)

Ward 5 – Marita Payne Park

Book: [I Love You More](#) by Emil Sher (North Winds Press)

Kortright Centre for Conservation

Book: [Blackflies](#) by Robert Munsch (North Winds Press)

"I am excited to announce that StoryWalks will be returning across the City of Vaughan. StoryWalks are an excellent opportunity for families to enjoy their local trail while also reading in nature. We hope you include Vaughan Public Libraries and StoryWalks as part of your summer plans!"

- **Rose Savage, Chair, Vaughan Public Library Board**

"It is our pleasure to announce the return of StoryWalks to City of Vaughan trails! Our commitment to championing diversity, equity and inclusion is evident in the books selected in this partnership with Public Works. The chosen books are exciting and fun and genuinely celebrate the families in our community. We are grateful for this partnership and look forward to seeing you read while enjoying your city and the great outdoors."

- **Margie Singleton, CEO, Vaughan Public Libraries**



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