

*To All Our Friends of the Rideau Lakes Public Library*

*Thank you for your support of our various activities this past year. Because of your support we were able to donate \$3000 to the Reading Rules Program offered to many young people last summer at the South Elmsley and Elgin Branches of the RLPL. We are hoping to continue to help fund this programme next year with the following events.*

*Saturday - March 24<sup>th</sup> - BAKE SALE at the Elgin Branch of the RLPL. Great time to pick up baked goods for EASTER.*

*Sunday - April 22<sup>nd</sup> - TRIVIA QUIZ AFTERNOON at the Portland Legion. This promises to be a fun packed afternoon with your friends and neighbors testing your memory and so much more.*

*Sunday - May 27<sup>th</sup> - AUTHOR EVENT with MERILYN SIMONDS at the Morton Community Hall. She will be entertaining us with her lively stories & introducing her latest book "Gutenberg's Fingerprint"*

*July - GARDEN BUS TOUR - look for updates on this tour next spring as details become available.*

*October - PREVIOUSLY OWNED HALLOWE'EN COSTUME SALE. Bring in gently used costumes & receive a 50% off coupon to be used at the sale.*

*We will be working on these events over the winter months and will post updates at the library branches and Friends' newsletters. Don't forget to tell your friends and neighbours about the Friends and our one-time membership fee of \$10.*

*The first three letters of Canada are **CAN**. Please support us for together we **CAN** make a difference in our community. The executive wish you*

***A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS***

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***A HAPPY NEW YEAR***