

Local Accommodation

Quality Resort Bayside
240 Dogwood St.
Parksville BC V9P 2H5
Toll free 1.800.663.4232
2 bed \$79 Standard \$99

Sandcastle Inn Motel
3374 West Island Highway
Parksville BC V9P 1K8
Toll free 1.800.335.7263
\$79 includes continental breakfast

Local **billets** can be arranged. Please make your request to the registrar.

Book Sales

Books will be available for purchase from our vendors:

Christian Book and Music Store
United Church Resource Centre

Eric Brown - a local author of stories with a Canadian setting

Book and Materials Exchange

Bring any library items in good condition. You're welcome to take even if you don't bring any. Please no VHS or any out-dated materials. Please take away all unclaimed materials.

About CLABC

The Church Library Association of BC has been supporting interdenominational church library ministries since 1971. Membership benefits include an annual conference, local chapters/groups, a quarterly newsletter, a website and a Facebook presence.

Annual dues are \$20. Check www.clabc.ca for a membership form and further information on joining.

Please note! Conference is a "fragrance free" event !

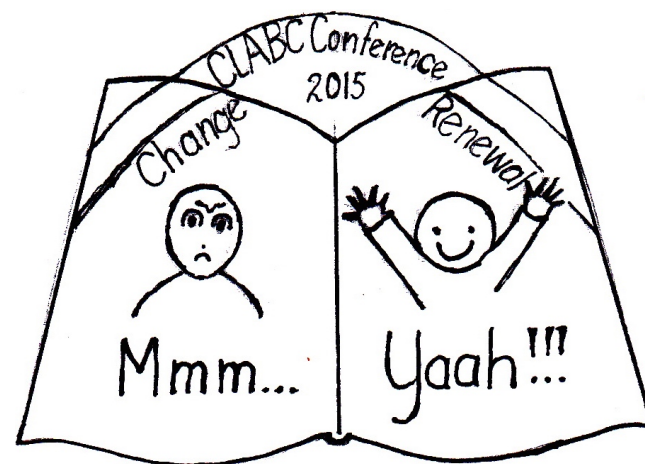
Be sure to bring....

- *cash/credit card for purchases
- *camera and a photo of your library
- *questions/ideas/problems
- * materials for exchange

"Change is the law of life. Those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future."

John F. Kennedy

The Church Library Association of BC Conference 2015



"Change and Renewal"

Saturday, April 18, 2015

Knox United Church
345 Pym St.
Parksville BC
250.248.3927

Registrar: Keren Ferguson
clabc.ca@gmail.com
604.940.7040

**CLABC Conference 2015
April 18, 2015**

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Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Province/ Postal Code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Church _____

Coming to Fri. night dinner yes/no
Request billet yes/no
First time at a conference yes/no

Member rate **\$35** Non-member rate **\$40**
(includes light lunch and refreshments)
Complete the registration and mail form with
cheque made out to CLABC to:

Registrar: Keren Ferguson
6389 Brodie Road
Delta, BC, V4K 2B8

No refunds will be issued after April 11.
Receipts will be emailed/mailed!

**CLABC 2015
Conference Program**

Friday evening, April 17th

6:00 No host dinner - Bayside
7:30 Visit to local church libraries

Saturday, April 18th

8:30 Registration/ coffee and muffins/
vendors/ book exchange/ **WHO ARE
WE** survey
9:00 Welcome
9:10 **Keynote speaker - Jeri Bjornson**
9:45 Group Photo
10:00 Break - coffee/vendors/book
exchange/networking
10:35 **Workshop #1 Cataloguing:**
Louise Booth - Introduction to
Resource Mate
Marianne Lazaro - Introduction
to **Library Thing**
11:45 Annual Business Meeting
12:30 Lunch vendors/ book
exchange/networking
1:30 **Workshop #2 Forum:**
Moderator **Kathryn Tulip**
Janice Roy - "Policies for Change and
Renewal"
Mike Easton - "Current Trends in
Christian Literature"
Ron Childs - "Men in the Church
Library"
2:15 Small Group Discussion
Ideas for going forward
2:45 Draws and closing remarks

Workshop Presenters

Jeri Bjornson - Jeri is the interim minister at Knox United Church in Parksville. Her work life has included leadership in the areas of outreach and Christian education in the United Church. For the last 20 years she has been a UC minister, spending the last 14 years as an intentional interim minister serving primarily in Manitoba and BC.

Louise Booth - Louise has been on St. Aidan's United Church library team for 10 years. Shortly after retiring, she made the mistake of saying, "What do you mean, you don't have a catalogue of the collection!" That got her started and before she knew it, she had not only started the catalogue but taken over as the chair of the team.

Ron Childs - Ron and his wife, Grace, have been librarians at St. Stephen's United Church in Qualicum Beach for the past 3 years. Before retiring, Ron was a Professor of Chemistry at McMaster University in Hamilton, ON.

Mike Easton - Mike has worked at **The Christian Book and Music Store** since the age of 11. After completing his BA in Economics at UViC, he began full-time work in the business in 1984. He is the manager of all 3 stores.

Marianne Lazaro - Marianne has been a church librarian for 10 years, serving since 2011 at Langley Presbyterian Church. In CLABC she has also served as Archivist-Historian for 6 years.

Janice Roy - Janice worked as a librarian in both university and college settings and has also taught librarian technicians. She retired as Manager of Technical Services for Vancouver Island Regional Library.

Kathryn Tulip - Kathryn works as an accounting technician and legal assistant in Qualicum Beach. For the past year she has been in charge of the library at St. Mark's Anglican church in Qualicum Beach.