

The Canadian Children's Book Centre and CWILL BC present



A Festival of BC Science Writers for Kids and Teens

In the Beaty Biodiversity Museum, University of British Columbia
Saturday, September 24, 2011 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Get excited about science. Learn about great teaching ideas, books and hands-on activities to engage children and teens in rich science experiences. Not only will you become aware of a wide array of science books and programs for youth, but you will learn some science yourself!

- **Featured Speaker:** **Dr. Jeanette Whitton**, Environmental biologist and Co-Director, Beaty Biodiversity Museum
- **Featured Scientist:** video vignettes of **Dr. Wayne Maddison**, Curator of the Research Collections at the Beaty Biodiversity Museum; **Dr. Amanda Vincent**, Project Seahorse researcher and **Dr. Eric Taylor**, UBC Fish Collection. Plus a sneak preview of the Discovery Channel DVD "The Blue Whale Project."
- **Featured BC Science Writers:** **Fiona Bayrock**, *Yes Mag* contributor and author of many science books including *The Ocean Explorer's Handbook* and *States of Matter: A Question and Answer Book*; **Tanya Kyi**, author of the *50 Questions* series; **Cynthia Nicolson**, author of *Totally Human: Why We Look and Act the Way We Do*; **Barry Shell**, author of *Sensational Scientists*; **Shar Levine & Leslie Johnstone**, authors of over 70 hands-on science books such as *Kitchen Science* and **Jim Wiese**, Surrey high school teacher and author of over 40 books including *Spy Science*, *Rocket Science* and *Cosmic Science*.

***All proceeds from this event help support the work of the Canadian Children's Book Centre. Special thanks to TD Bank Group, Simon & Schuster Canada, Scholastic Canada, Orca Book Publishers, United Library Services and UBC Bookstore for their support. ***

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Registration closes September 22, 2011. (Space is limited to the first 110 registrants)

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Yes I would like to join the Canadian Children's Book Centre

CCBC MEMBERSHIP: Individual \$60 Student \$30

CELEBRATE SCIENCE FEE: CCBC Member \$20 Non-Member \$40 Full-time Student \$20
(show ID at the door)

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

To register online, [click here](#). Alternatively, you can register using this form and mail it to the address below.

Make cheques payable to the Canadian Children's Book Centre.

Mail to: Jo-Anne Naslund c/o Education Library, 2125 Main Mall, Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z4

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