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Freedom to Read Week Proclaimed in Regina

The City of Regina has proclaimed the week of February 18 to 24 as Freedom to Read Week. Freedom to Read Week is an annual event that asks everyone to think about the importance of intellectual freedom.

Intellectual freedom is one of the core values of Regina Public Library, which will be celebrating Freedom to Read Week at branches.

"We're so pleased that the City has recognized Freedom to Read Week." said Nancy MacKenzie, Executive Director of Customer Experience. "When we recognize this important week, we ensure that everyone continues to have access to the full range of knowledge, ideas, and opinions."

Regina Public Library will celebrate the week with activities at branches, book displays of banned or challenged books, and a trivia night about banned books at The Cure.

For more information about intellectual freedom and how you can participate in Freedom to Read Week, visit <u>reginalibrary.ca/intellectualfreedom</u>.

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