

Indie-Lethbridge 2018

Local Authors! Call for Submissions!

Lethbridge Public Library is currently seeking submissions of adult titles to be included as part of our new collection of small press and independently-published works by local authors. If you are interested in having your work showcased in this collection pilot please contact our collection development committee at: indie@lethlib.ca

2018 Submission guidelines:

- physical format
- created for an adult audience
- titles published within the past two years
- works created by authors from the Chinook Arch service area and/or
- works with relevance to Lethbridge and area
- book is donated to library by author (one copy maximum)

If you wish your work to be considered for the Indie Lethbridge 2018 collection, email the submission form to indie@lethlib.ca, mail the form to Indie Lethbridge 2018, Lethbridge Public Library, 810 - 5th Avenue South, Lethbridge AB, T1J 4C4, or drop the form off at the Information Services Desk at the Main Branch, attention: Indie Lethbridge 2018.

Intake for the 2018 collection will occur from January 1, 2018 to March 31, 2018 with a maximum of 50 titles selected for addition to the collection.

Submission Form for Self-Published Books:

The purpose of gathering this information is to help us catalogue and promote your book:

Step 1: Tell us about the book:

Full title	
Author's name or pen name as it appears on the book	
Author's city or place of residence	
Co-authors	
ISBN	
Author's legal name	
Author's email	
Year of publication	
List price	
Brief synopsis of the book (50-100 words)	
Please provide us with any additional information to help assess and catalogue your book:	
Please provide a brief author biography, written in the third person (maximum 75 words).	

Your book must be bound in a format that is suitable for circulation. We will not accept coil, spiral stapled or 3-ring binding.

- Please check that the book is appropriately bound for library use and circulation.

Tags: Please choose 5-10 tags to help with cataloguing and finding your book in the collection:

Fiction/Nonfiction

- Fiction
- Nonfiction
- Creative Nonfiction

- Romance
- Science fiction
- Thriller
- Western

Audience

- Adult
- Teen
- Children's

Subject

- Aboriginal
- Arts and culture
- Business
- Current affairs
- Family and relationships
- Food and cooking
- Health
- Home and garden
- LGBTQ
- Nature
- New age
- Philosophy
- Politics
- Religion
- Psychology
- Science and technology
- Self help
- Social issues
- Spirituality
- Sports and recreation
- Travel
- True crime

Form

- Novel
- Short story
- Poetry
- Essays
- History
- Biography
- Memoir

Location

- Lethbridge
- Alberta
- Canada
- The world

Genre

- Adventure
- Alternative history
- Erotic
- Fantasy
- Coming of age
- General fiction
- Historical fiction
- Horror
- Humour
- Inspirational
- Literary
- Mystery
- Paranormal

Language

- English
- German
- French
- Arabic
- Polish
- Dutch
- Spanish
- Tagalog
- Chinese
- Other

Author Guarantees

The author guarantees that the book and everything contained in the book, including text, images, sound, video and metadata complies with the following terms and conditions:

- The author warrants that this is the author's original work and property and that they have not entered into any agreement that would conflict with the inclusion of the book in the LPL collection.
- The author represents and warrants that the book does not infringe on any copyrighted work. If any third-party elements are included in the book, the Author represents and warrants that he, she or they have secured the necessary licences and permissions to include those third-party elements in the book prior to signing this agreement.
- The author represents and warrants that the book does not defame others or violate their privacy. The book does not contain material that is libelous, slanderous, an invasion of privacy, an unlawful appropriation of name or likeness, or a defamation of character, including publishing a person's private email address, phone number, or other personal information without their permission.
- The author represents and warrants that the book does not contain commercial advertising.
- The author represents and warrants that the book does not contain content prohibited by law.
- The author represents and warrants that the book does not violate the laws of Canada or Alberta, including laws governing:
 - Hate speech
 - Obscenity
 - Advocating violence against another person or group
 - Deceptive business practices including multi-level marketing and pyramid schemes
 - Dissemination of instructions, recipes, computer code, etc. which are intended to be injurious to readers or others.

Name

Signature

Date

Step 2: Submitting your Book

Once a work has been selected for inclusion in the Indie-Lethbridge Collection authors are required to donate a copy of their book for circulation as part of the collection (one copy maximum). Please note: all gifts become the property of LPL and material will not be returned. LPL reserves the right to decide the disposition of all gifts we receive. We will review all donated material according to the same selection criteria we apply to purchased materials. The Friends of the Lethbridge Public Library may sell material that is not needed for the Collection for the benefit of the Library. To find out if the Library has included your donated book, please check the library catalogue.

Delivery

You may deliver the book in person, or mail your book to Indie Lethbridge ^{c/o} Adult Services, 810- 5th Avenue south, Lethbridge, T1J 4C4

You may drop the book off at the information desk at the Main Lethbridge Library, 810- 5th Avenue south, Lethbridge, T1J 4C4