



### International Literacy Day is September 8th!

Join us to celebrate the love of reading at the 1st annual **Reading Rumble Trivia Tournament!** 

This event is a joint initiative in support of Adult Literacy in Waterloo Region.

### Join us for International Literacy Day on:

Sept 8th!

All fundraising proceeds will be shared between:





<u>kpl.org</u>

theliteracygroup.com

projectread.ca

Register & learn more online: <u>bit.ly/ReadingRumble2018</u>





- The Reading Rumble is a group trivia tournament intended to encourage team development, and provide a meaningful way to share and talk about books.
- Teams will be asked to read 3 selected book titles before the event and prepare to answer trivia questions about each book at the final tournament.
- Note: There are limited book kits available from Kitchener Public Library. Please contact Laura Peacock to request a book kit: <u>Laura.Peacock@KPL.org</u>
- There will be prizes for the top fundraising teams and the top 4 Reading Rumble tournament winners. (All charitable receipts will be provided by Project READ)
- Trivia questions may refer to locations, characters, creatures, events, important objects or numbers referred to in the plot of each book.
- All questions will have distinct short answers, there will be no long answer questions given.

#### Sample Questions:

- Q: Who is the main character in the book?
- Q: What is the name of the city where the main character lives?
- **Registration:** Each team should have 3-6 people. Team Captains register their teams online at <u>bit.ly/ReadingRumble2018</u>. Create a team page: choose a name, invite teammates via email, get reading and start fundraising on June 8<sup>th</sup>!





- Teams will play in a round robin tournament until there are 4 teams remaining. These teams will **Rumble** until a clear winner emerges. To which, bragging rights will be awarded!
- 9 3 teams will face off against each other in each match. The winner of each match will move on to face 2 other winners, the 2<sup>nd</sup> place teams will move on to rumble 2 other 2<sup>nd</sup> place teams. The 3<sup>rd</sup> place team will be eliminated.
- After the second round matches, the winner of each match will move on to the final match in which 4 teams will face off for the top position.
- Each team will have a designated spokesperson. While the team is encouraged to discuss possible answers, team answers will only be accepted from the spokesperson.
- Matches will consist of 3 rounds. Semi-Finals will consist of two rounds of play, and the Finals will have one round.

#### Each round will feature:

Regular Rumble ... Individual Rumble ... Lightning Rumble

(x12) team questions 20 seconds to answer (x12) individual questions 20 seconds to answer (x12) team questions 10 seconds to answer



### THE RULES:

- There may be no assistance from audience members.
- The moderator's decision will be final in the case of any questionable answer.
- Teams will not be penalized for incorrect answers; in other words, points will not be deducted for incorrect responses.
- All decisions made by the Reading Rumble Committee are final.
- Keep in mind this is a fun event. We like a little competition, but please be respectful of all players, and moderators. Only playful banter will be permitted.
- If a team **disagrees with the moderator's initial ruling** on an answer, the team may challenge the ruling immediately after the Regular or Individual question (or immediately after the end of the Lightning Rumble). A team may only challenge rulings on its own answers. Moderators will either confirm their original ruling or may provide a randomly selected substitute question.
- In the event of a tie, each team in the tie-breaker will be asked extra Lightning Rumble questions. The spokesperson must provide one correct answer within twenty seconds. No guesses will be allowed and an incorrect answer will result in elimination. The last team standing wins the tie-breaker round.

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- Low literacy affects **24%** of the adult population in Waterloo-Wellington. That means they cannot read the dosage found on medications.
- 1 in 4 adults in our community do not have the skills to get and keep a job.
- An adult with literacy barriers is 2.5 times more likely to face unemployment. The resulting impact on the community is a 4.8% increase of applications for government assistance in 2016/17.





Supporting Adult Literacy programs in the community is a true investment into the development of the skills of its adult population.

Being a competitor in the Reading Rumble Trivia Tournament is a great way to show how invested you are in Waterloo Region.

We hope to see you there!



- Team Captains register their teams online by June 8 2018. Choose a name, invite teammates via email, and compete in this years **Reading Rumble!**
- Once you are registered online, you will have access to your team's fundraising page and a personal fundraising page.
- Attend the official **Reading Rumble Launch!** Rumble Book Titles will be announced along with special livestream interviews with featured authors.
- For the next 3 months, get reading and start fundraising! Your team is invited to collect pledges and donations to become the Top Fundraising team before the **Reading Rumble Trivia Tournament**.

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#### When:

- Reading Rumble Launch!
  Get your book lists & start reading!
  June 8, 2018
- Reading Rumble Tournament! Sept 8, 2018

#### Where:

Kitchener Public Library
 85 Queen St. N Kitchener

#### Cost:

• There is no fee to register & compete, but this is a fundraiser to raise money for Adult Literacy in Waterloo Region



Combine your fierce sense of competition with your love of reading!