

## News Release

### **New book club sets for teens and kids available at your library!**

**NANAIMO January 24, 2013** – If you love talking about books, you will love the new book club sets for teens and kids available for all customers of Vancouver Island Regional Library.

Sets of 12 books are available for a six week loan. All you have to do is ask your local librarian to get you started.

“We are starting the collection with 31 different titles, with more titles to be added each year,” says Fiona Anderson, Director of Library Services. “These book club sets are a great idea not only for young people, but for those who work with teens and children, including teachers and club leaders.”

Some of the books included in the book club sets are *Alice in Wonderland*, *Binky the Space Cat*, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, *Nim's Island* and *The Magician's Elephant*. Each set contains 12 books, a book club discussion guide, and if available, a DVD of the story.

The book club sets are kept at the Nanaimo Harbourfront Branch. Interested customers just have to place a hold and the set will be delivered to their local branch.

Vancouver Island Regional Library (VIRL) is the fourth largest library system in British Columbia. We serve over 430,000 people on Vancouver Island, Haida Gwaii, and Bella Coola on the Central Coast through 38 branch libraries, an eLibrary at [virl.bc.ca](http://virl.bc.ca), and a Books by Mail service. VIRL's holdings number over one million and include books, magazines, CD's and DVD's. Administrative offices are located in Nanaimo.

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