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News Release

It's Monster Mania this Spring Break at your Local Library!

NANAIMO, March 11, 2015 – No plans for Spring Break? No problem! Participating branches of Vancouver Island Regional Library are putting on a world of fun and learning for kids this month – helping children continue their learning and development while off from school during Spring Break.

Several branches will be presenting interactive puppet shows (featuring the Gruffalo), plasticine art workshops, board game extravaganzas, cardboard challenges, movies and storytimes – all tied to this year's theme: Monster Mania!

Spring Break represents an opportunity to continue children's literacy and social skill development, as well as providing activities for the whole family.

To learn more about Spring Break at your library, visit virl.bc.ca. To see what your local branch has in store for Spring Break, you can also visit virl.bc.ca/programs-and-events for a complete programs listing.

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 39 branch libraries, a virtual branch, and a books-by-mail service. VIRL's holdings number one-million and include books, magazines, CD's and DVD's. Administrative offices are located in Nanaimo.

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