

Media Advisory

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Award-Winning Author Ting-Xing Ye to Visit Clarington Public Library

November 4, 2009—On Friday, November 13th, at 1:00 p.m., award-winning author Ting-Xing Ye will visit the Bowmanville Branch of the Clarington Public Library. She will be reading from some of her books, as well as giving a presentation on the creative writing process and her life experiences.

Ting-Xing Ye, author of the best-selling memoir, *A Leaf in the Bitter Wind*, was born in Shanghai, China, in 1952. At sixteen she was “sent down” to a prison farm during the Cultural Revolution, spending six years there before being admitted to Beijing University. She took a degree in English Literature, then began a seven year career as English interpreter for the national government in Shanghai. Ting-Xing Ye came to Canada in 1987 and published her first book in 1998. She writes Young Adult fiction and non-fiction.

The Library has enjoyed an overwhelming response to this exciting visit from an award-winning author, and this event is now fully registered.

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