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# Award-Winning Author Shane Peacock to Visit Clarington Public Library

March 21, 2011—On Tuesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m., award-winning author Shane Peacock will visit the Bowmanville Branch of the Clarington Public Library. Along with answering questions and holding a book signing, he will be discussing *Vanishing Girl*, the third case in The Boy Sherlock Holmes series.

Winner of the Arthur Ellis Award for the best young adult crime novel in Canada and the Quill & Quire's Book of the Year award, Mr. Peacock has always been fascinated with extraordinary people and events, and the motivations and personalities behind the legends. According to the author's website at [www.shanepeacock.ca](http://www.shanepeacock.ca), he has learned a number of incredible skills in the pursuit of his writing, including learning the arts of tight-rope walking, silent killing, trapeze flying, and sumo eating.

Mr. Peacock's book *Vanishing Girl* is part of the reading list for the TD Battle of the Books, a school reading challenge held across the Durham region. For more information, check the Battle of the Books website at [www.bookbattle.ca](http://www.bookbattle.ca).

Join author Shane Peacock at the Clarington Public Library, Bowmanville Branch (163 Church St, Bowmanville), on **Tuesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m.** and unravel the mysteries of this great Ontario writer!

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