

# Leacock Summer Festival

## JULY 19-23, 2006

A Stellar Lineup of Award-winning Authors and Emerging Writing Talent

**Dr. Bruce Meyer, Artistic Director**

*Pre-Event:* **TUESDAY, JULY 18 - 8 PM**  
**Laurentian University at Georgian Student Writers Showcase**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 19 - 2 PM**

**4th Annual Leacock Lecture**

*Guest Lecturer:* Prof. Ron Dart  
*"Stephen Leacock and George Grant"*

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 19 - 8 PM**

Andre Alexis and Karen Connelly

**THURSDAY, JULY 20 - 5:30 PM**

**Special Event: LETTERS DINNER**

with Charlotte Gray and David Staines presented in partnership with **Orillia Museum of Art & History**

Tickets: \$29.95 per person

**FRIDAY, JULY 21 - 2 PM**

**Teddy Bear's Picnic & Birthday Party**

with Stephen Leacock's Niece

Elizabeth Kimball reading from her book

**THE HOUSE THAT STEPHEN BUILT**

presented in partnership with

**Friends of the Orillia Public Library**

**FRIDAY, JULY 21 - 8 PM**

Erika Ritter, Drew Hayden Taylor and William Weintraub

**SATURDAY, JULY 22 - 2 PM**

*Festival Showcase Presented By*

THE HUMBER  
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WRITERS



**HUMBER**

School of Creative & Performing Arts

*featuring:* Krista Bridge, Paul Cavanagh and Vincent Lam

**SATURDAY, JULY 22 - 5 PM**

**Philosopher's Picnic**

A special session of the Orillia Commons "Conversation Cafe" with Mark Kingwell

**SATURDAY, JULY 22 - 8 PM**

Barry Callaghan, Joe Fiorito

Goran Simic and Sean Virgo

Guest Musician: *Doug Richardson*

**SUNDAY, JULY 23 - 10 AM**

**Live at the Legion**

**215 Mississauga St. East**

Breakfast & Illustrated Presentation

with Ted Barris: Beyond the Glory

The Plan That Won the Allied Air War

Adults: \$4.00 Children \$2.00



**SUNDAY, JULY 23 - 2 PM**

Martha Baillie, Diane Schoemperlen and Emily Schultz

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**Tickets & Information**  
**705.329.1908**

[www.leacockmuseum.com](http://www.leacockmuseum.com)

**SPECIAL EVENT**  
**Sunday, July 23 - 4 pm**  
**Austin Clarke's**  
**BAJAN SUNDAY DINNER**



Menu Design Inspired by  
Austin Clarke's

*Love and Sweet Food*

and featuring the 2006  
GRIFFIN POETRY PRIZE  
INTERNATIONAL WINNER

**Kamau**  
**Brathwaite**

Also: Author & Poet

**Afua Cooper**



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All Regular Readings: \$10.00 each Festival 3 Pack: \$25.00  
Festival ALL-IN \$129.00 - SPECIAL EVENTS PRICES EXTRA AS SHOWN

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