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CALEDON PUBLIC LIBRARY ADDS NEW FILM STREAMING SERVICE, KANOPY

With Kanopy, Caledon Public Library customers will have access to more than 30,000 Films, for free.

CALEDON, June 25, 2018 - Offering what the New York Times calls “a garden of cinematic delights,” Kanopy showcases more than 30,000 of the world’s best films, including award-winning documentaries, rare and hard-to-find titles, film festival favourites, indie and classic films, and world cinema with collections from Kino Lorber, Music Box Films, Samuel Goldwyn, The Orchard, The Great Courses, PBS, Hot Docs and thousands of independent filmmakers.

The popular on-demand film streaming service Kanopy is now available for free at the Caledon Public Library. Library card holders can access Kanopy and sign up to start streaming up to five films per month instantly by visiting <https://caledon.kanopy.com>. Films can be streamed from any computer, television, mobile device by downloading the Kanopy app.

With the motto of "thoughtful entertainment," Kanopy provides Caledon Public Library customers with access to films of unique social and cultural value; films that are often difficult or impossible to access elsewhere, and programming that features diversity, with a wide array of foreign language films and films on race, and current affairs.

The Kanopy collection includes indie hits like [*Call me by your name*](#) and [*Maudie*](#), classic masterpieces like [*Aguirre, the Wrath of God*](#) and [*Seven Samurai*](#), and award-winning documentaries like the 2017 Oscar®-nominated [*I Am Not Your Negro*](#) and the standout Hot Docs documentary, [*In the Name of All Canadians*](#). Kanopy also now includes a kids collection showcasing popular television shows such as [*Arthur*](#), literary classics like [*Where the wild things are*](#), and favourite movies like [*Back to school with Franklin*](#).

CPL wants to help you beat the heat this July by doubling up on the number of titles you can borrow for both Kanopy and Hoopla, another great digital resource with access to music, movies, audiobooks, comics and tv shows. For the month of July you can borrow ten hoopla titles AND ten Kanopy titles instead of the regular 5.

About Caledon Public Library

Caledon Public Library has six branches that serve as the cornerstones to the community, connecting people to information and each other. Caledon Public Library offers a variety of adult and children programs to complement our collections.

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