

**For Immediate Release  
April 15, 2019**

## **CALEDON PUBLIC LIBRARY RECEIVES GENEROUS DONATION FROM THE ZONTA CLUB**

CALEDON, ONTARIO – Caledon Public Library (CPL) is honoured to be the recipient of a \$2,000 donation by the Zonta Club of Brampton-Caledon, which enabled CPL to acquire a total of 177 books highlighting and celebrating gender equity for girls and young women.

At various library branches, customers can now check out such titles as *Not All Princesses Dress in Pink*, *Mary Had a Little Clam*, *Julian is a Mermaid*, *The Youngest Marcher*, *Rosie Revere*, *Engineer* and more.

“Caledon Public Library is grateful for the Zonta Club’s donation which enhances our gender equity collection” said Laura Groe, Manager of Youth Services. “As one of our core beliefs, we encourage intellectual and artistic curiosity and supports your right to both seek and receive information from all points of view.”

Gender equity means fairness of treatment for women and men, according to their respective needs. This may include equal treatment or treatment that is different, but which is considered equivalent in terms of rights, benefits, obligations and opportunities. Zonta International envisions a world in which women’s rights are recognized as human rights and every woman is able to achieve her full potential. Renowned world-wide, the Zonta Club is proudly celebrating its 100 anniversary.

Looking for more information on gender equity or other trending topics? More books and resources can be found at the Caledon Public Library or online at [caledon.library.on.ca](http://caledon.library.on.ca).

- 30 -

### **About Caledon Public Library**

Supporting a growing community of communities across 700 square kilometers, [Caledon Public Library](http://caledon.library.on.ca) offers services, collections and programs in our six branches. Located in small villages as well as urban centers, these hubs serve as the cornerstones of the community, connecting people to information and each other. With an ever expanding number of digital tools, CPL provides access to downloadable eBooks and streaming movies and music. Whether connecting, collaborating or creating in our spaces or discovering and getting inspired from the comfort of home, all is possible – and free - with your library card.

For more information contact:

Mary Maw

Manager | Communications & Community Development

Caledon Public Library

[mmaw@caledon.library.on.ca](mailto:mmaw@caledon.library.on.ca) | 905-857-1400 ext. 228

Follow Caledon Public Library on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).