

Opportunity: BIG BOOK SALE 2022

Our annual book sale is Calgary Reads' biggest fundraiser. There are four different volunteer role opportunities and a variety of shifts. Be part of the fun; you can volunteer as an individual, a group, or class. *Perks: you get access to advance-shopping . . . we'll tell you more.*

Four Volunteer Role options to choose from (or do a mix!):

1. Collect & Sort

- At the Calgary Curling Club; thousands of books are dropped off each day!
- Greet; accept donations and bring books to sorting tables for categorizing and boxing
- A great opportunity to use your brains and brawn!

Shifts: Morning, afternoon or evening - dates to be announced

2. Set Up

- Help bring in and set up hundreds of tables around the rink for our 'sale store'
- Bring pre-sorted books to assigned tables and arranged books for easy viewing
- A fun and supportive role to get the book sale ready for business!

Shifts: Morning, afternoon or evening - dates to be announced

1. Sale

- Our sale takes 100s of volunteers to make it happen.
- Greet; help customers; keep tables stocked; be a cashier; and direct traffic
- Be the face of Calgary Reads!

Shifts: Morning, afternoon or evening - dates to be announced

2. Tear Down

- Bring your fresh energy to our tired team!
- Help us box up unsold books, take down tables and tidy the rink

Shifts: Morning and afternoon - dates to be announced

Who?

- Individuals
- Groups (teams, schools, corporations/employee groups, service club members)
- Some roles require more physical exertion than others

What?

- Love of reading and knowledge of books
- For some roles: able to lift and carry boxes (40 pounds)

How?

- Shifts are 3 hours and vary with weekday, weeknight and weekend shifts available
- Commit to attend orientation and your confirmed shift(s)

Training:

Orientation at the beginning of your first shift.

Perks: Registered volunteers get access to advanced shopping at our Volunteer Appreciation Event