



MEDIA ADVISORY

Nov. 20, 2023

Eden Mills Writers' Festival to reopen historic Rivermead headquarter

WHAT -

On Friday, November 24th at 2 p.m., Wellington-Halton Hills MPP Ted Arnott will be at the Eden Mills Writers' Festival's grand reopening of its historic Rivermead headquarter. The building will serve as a community literature hub that hosts Canadian authors, the local community, and celebrates the power of words.

MPP Arnott and an Ontario Trillium Foundation volunteer will attend the event to mark the work done as a result of receiving a grant from the Foundation. The EMWF will also recognize the Angel Gabriel Foundation for donating the building in 2018 and kickstarting the renovation.

Theresa Ebden, board chair, will be talking about the future direction of the EMWF and its expected impact in the community. A panel discussion on the impact of the festival on Canadian literature will include the Globe and Mail's Arts Editor Judith Pereira, authors Nicholas Ruddock and Madhur Anand, and Guelph Arts Council Executive Director Damian Weston.

WHO -

Hon. Ted Arnott, MPP for Wellington Halton Hills
Theresa Ebden, Chair, Eden Mills Writers' Festival
Judith Pereira, Arts Editor, The Globe and Mail
Madhur Anand, Author & Professor
Nicholas Ruddock, Author & MD
Damian Weston, Executive Director, Guelph Arts Council

WHEN -

Friday, Nov. 24 at 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
**Remarks begin shortly after 2:15 pm*

WHERE -

[Rivermead](#) – Eden Mills Writers' Festival headquarters
19 Cedar St.
Eden Mills, ON
(parking in rear, or at the Eden Mills Community Centre hall at York & Cedar)

PHOTO & INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

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