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PEIFHN proud partner of the first PEI Book Expo

PEIFHN sponsors visit by author Jacqueline Lagacé

SUMMERSIDE, PEI – May 30, 2014 – The PEI French Health Network is pleased to be a partner of the first edition of the Prince Edward Island Book Expo to be held June 5, 6, and 7 at the Centre Belle-Alliance in Summerside. The PEIFHN is sponsoring a visit by author Jacqueline Lagacé, who will present a lecture in French on cooking to overcome pain and chronic inflammation on Saturday, June 7 from 12 (noon) to 1:30 p.m.

Ms. Lagacé will provide insight on how changes to a person's diet could eliminate pain and help regain a quality of life. This presentation will include bite-sized samplings inspired by the method suggested by the author.

On Friday, June 6, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Ms. Lagacé will also participate in a literary discussion for seniors along with Louÿs Pitre and Marie Laberge. The cost to attend this event is \$8 and requires a reservation. Please make your reservations with Jasmine Orton by calling 902-888-1681.

After more than eleven years of university training in biology, microbiology and immunology, Jacqueline Lagacé, Ph. D., spent her time between 1986 and 2003 as director of a microbiology and immunology lab as well as thesis director and immunology and microbiology professor for 1st, 2nd and 3rd year students at the University of Montreal Faculty of Medicine. She authored along with peer committees approximately 35 scientific articles for international publications and presented over 50 lectures at national and international symposiums. (<http://jacquelinelagace.net>)

The Book Expo will be open from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 5; from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Friday, June 6 and from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 7.

The PEI French Health Network is a non-profit organization that collaborates with various partners in order to improve access to quality French-language health services and programs for Prince Edward Island's Acadian and Francophone population. The organization brings together representatives from target community groups, educational facilities, health professionals, health service managers and the provincial government. It is also one of 16 networks that make up the Société Santé en français.

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