



A Message from the Premier

As Premier of the Province of British Columbia, it is my pleasure to welcome all attending the Fourth World Poetry Canada International Peace Festival, here in Vancouver.

This month long event, centered around the theme of International Peace, will provide a great opportunity for both local and international poetry lovers from all over the world to come together to celebrate the world of poetry through film, book launches, local authors' presentations, and panel discussions. Featured as part of the event, a World Poetry International Film Festival with films about Human Rights and Women's Issues will be included.

I know a lot of work goes into organizing and hosting an event of this magnitude. I would like to take this opportunity to commend all those involved in this Festival for their hard work and dedication in making this month a success.

Once again, welcome, and enjoy the Festival!

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Sincerely,

Christy Clark Premier