

The producers are Greg Roe and Ron Murphy:

Greg is a recently retired High School teacher. He has been a volunteer at CanoeFM for over nine years.

Ron is the Production Technician at CanoeFM. He is one of our three paid employees and is also a volunteer. He also hosts a show called Mandatory Metal.

About the Program:

This show was born out of a Specialty Program that ran for 5 weeks in the summer of 2011. The new show is a very different format. It is a weekly, one hour show that deals with 'all things literary'. Its focus is local, national and global. The show is kindly sponsored by our local (eight) libraries and features a monthly book giveaway, courtesy of them. The show consists of interviews that are very eclectic in nature. For example, we have interviewed our Head Library Administrator to discuss upcoming literary happenings in our County and the role of libraries in communities. We have also interviewed TV and film scriptwriters, authors of e-books and traditional format, publishers, poets, members of our local Dead Poets Society and a stand-up comic, to name but a few. April was National Poetry Month and we did four shows to celebrate that fact. The excerpt we have sent featured two award winning Canadian poets who live locally. The response to all of the shows, in general, has been very positive from both listeners and guests alike. We are particularly proud of this show and hope that you enjoy, and consider it for this award.