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Sent on behalf of Todd Kyle, 2016 OLA President-Elect:

On behalf of the OLA board of directors, thank you to all of you for launching Ontario Public Library Week last Tuesday at the beautiful new Scarborough Civic Centre Branch of Toronto Public Library. Thank you Deputy Minister Drew Fagan and Toronto Public Library Board Chair Ron Carinci for your supportive and insightful remarks on libraries as community hubs, centres for digital innovation, and as places for creation. We have also promoted the much anticipated ministry Ontario Public Library Service Awards short list nominees announced on Tuesday as part of the launch. Thank you also to Michael and Library Services Centre for again supporting Ontario Public Library Week.

We are so appreciative of you and your team Vickery for hosting the launch and organizing the tour at yet another wonderful Toronto Public Library branch – the local Scarborough community must truly feel special for having their library create such an inspiring space for them. And thank you also to our MTCS team for your work on the logistics of this with us.

We have had another successful Ontario Public Library Week reflected in the considerable social media uptake – Ontarians love their libraries! You can view the conversation and promotions from various libraries and their users on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram on [#tagboard](#).

All the best,

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