Books Roadshow raises \$160 for Atwater Library



Antiquarian bookseller Wilfrid de Freitas had good news at the Atwater Library on February 26 for downtown resident Marguerite Barbir. A two-volume set of 17th century books she brought in for de Freitas to appraise were found to be worth an amount that put a smile on her face – although Barbir declined to reveal the amount later. De Freitas and Susan Ravdin made \$160 for the library during their Books Roadshow from fees (\$2 from library members and \$3 from non-members) raised by evaluating books brought to them for appraisal. On Sunday, March 13, De Freitas will take part in the 19th Annual Westmount Antiquarian Book Fair which takes place at Selwyn House from 10 am to 5 pm. See Comin' Up on the same page for details.