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### MARTINA COLE RETURNS TO LAKESIDE WITH 'FACES'

**WHAT:** Essex-born writer, Martina Cole, will be visiting WH Smith at Lakeside Shopping Centre in Thurrock on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October to sign copies of her brand new novel, 'Faces'.

Martina's latest gangland thriller is the thirteenth in her series of crime novels based in and around East London. Since 1992 when her first novel, 'Dangerous Lady', was published, Martina has had two fictional works adapted into television dramas.

Laura Davis, Events Manager at WH Smith Lakeside, says: "It's an honour to have Martina back at Lakeside. The book signings are always really popular so we would recommend customers arriving as early as possible to ensure that they get to meet her!"

In order to get a signed copy of 'Faces', shoppers must come to WH Smith at noon where Martina will be signing copies of her book for an hour.

**WHEN:** Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2007, 12 noon – 1.00pm

**WHERE:** Inside W H Smith, Level 1, Lakeside Shopping Centre, Thurrock

**TRAVEL:**By Rail

C2C runs direct trains from Southend and Fenchurch Street to Lakeside every 30 minutes – and it only takes 30 minutes from Central London!

For full details of train times, please call 08457 48 49 50 or visit [www.c2c-online.co.uk](http://www.c2c-online.co.uk)

By Car

Lakeside is clearly signposted from Junctions 30 and 31 of the M25, meaning it couldn't be simpler to get to Lakeside by car. The A13, A1306 and West Thurrock Way also provide direct access to the Centre.

**PARKING:** 13,000 free car parking spaces available at Lakeside

**PUBLIC INFO:** Call 01708 869 933 or visit [www.lakeside.uk.com](http://www.lakeside.uk.com)

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**Notes to Editors:**

- Lakeside is open from 10am 'til 10pm weekdays, Saturday 9am – 9pm and Sunday 11am – 5pm
- The Boardwalk is a new leisure area at Lakeside Shopping Centre bringing you a host of restaurants, plus a revolutionary new concept Vue cinema
- Lakeside Shopping Centre and the adjoining Retail Park form one of the largest shopping areas in Europe
- Over 20% of the UK population live within a one hour drive of Lakeside
- Lakeside Shopping Centre is part of the Capital Shopping Centres portfolio of centres