

Children's Library News

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Family Movie Night

Join us on Thursday, April 3rd at 6 p.m. for this month's featured movie, *Zeus and Roxanne*, starring Steve Guttenberg and Kathleen Quinlan. Dog and dolphin develop an unusual relationship and teach two families about the balance needed between work and play, and that nothing is more important than love. Refreshments and snacks will be served!

Craft Workshop

Join children's librarian Marilyn on Saturday, April 5th from 1 -2 p.m. to make a sand art bottle. Swirl and layer colors and mix in spary surprises to create an original design of your own. Ages 7 - 12. Space is limited to 12 children. Register by calling 653-4224.

Raffle Winners

Congratulations to our Ringling Brothers Reading Raffle Winners! Participants read a story and staff listened to a re-telling. Our lucky winners each won two tickets to the circus:



Brenda Orquid



Ava Kiss



Molly Driscoll



Noelle Wyman

Children's Room News

Pop in and check out our new Pop-Up Book Collection! New titles include *Cookie Count* by Robert Sabuda and *Bow Wow: Book of Shapes* by Chuck Murphy! (Books are for in library use only.)

Newsletter - April

APRIL

April is National Poetry Month. We have arranged a special display, come in and check it out today...read some rhymes, change the times. You're a poet, bet you did not know it!

Tips for Parents, Primary Caregivers and Educators:

Develop the desire to be a lifelong reader:

* Have children bring what is read to bear on what is viewed on film, television, and computer and other media technologies.

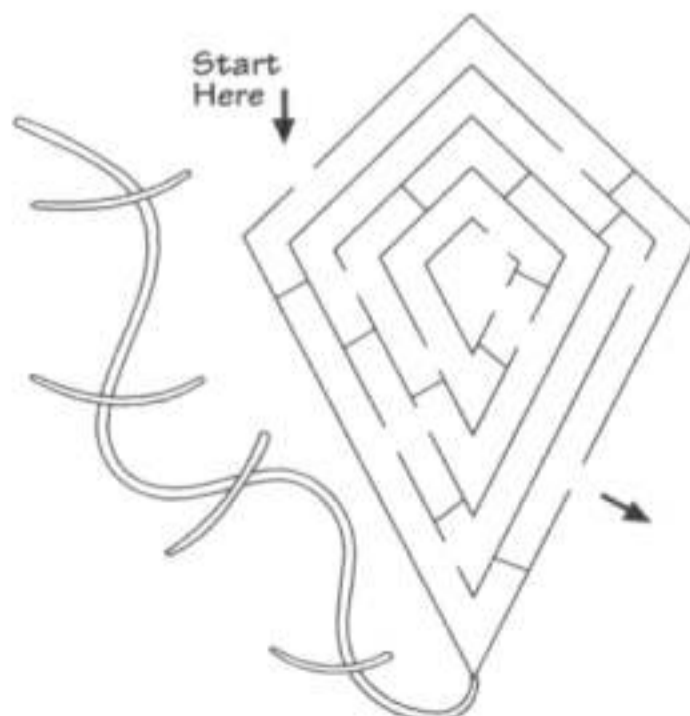
* View technology in the reflection of literature.

* Keep in mind that the most memorable conversations are often filled with anecdotes from literature.

* Relate what has been read to the solution of problems. By internalizing what is read, we use knowledge and wisdom to solve personal problems, to make significant decisions related to career choices, to find solutions to community and social problems, and to develop healthy attitudes toward a positive world environment.

- International Reading Association

MAZE CRAZE



Joke Corner

Where do computers take their pets when they are sick?

(answer on back)

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