

REGISTRATION FORM

Please indicate, in order of your preference (1,2,3,4), the Book Discussion Groups in which you wish to participate. Every attempt will be made to honor your top two requests.

Group I: *Food for Thought* _____

Group II: *Lights Out* _____

Group III: *Mysterious Doings* _____

Group IV: *Troubled Waters* _____

Group V: *Back in Time* _____

Group VI: *Damsels in Distress* _____

Group VII:
Writing Your Own Adventure _____

Group VIII:
Grand Slam Adventures _____

Group IX: *YA - Love and Loss* _____

Group X:
YA- Venturing into the Paranormal _____

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

Name _____

Home Address _____

Business Address _____

Position _____

Daytime Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

(Your confirmation will be sent by e-mail)

Please indicate your luncheon choice:

____ Spice Rubbed Chicken Breast

____ Vegetarian

GROUP I - Food for Thought

LMNO Peas by Keith Baker

Dog Biscuit by Helen Cooper

Yum! MmMm! ¡Que Rico!: Americas' Sproutings by Pat Mora

Mirror Mirror: A Book of Reversible Verse by Marilyn Singer

Fairy Tale Desserts: A Cookbook for Young Readers and Eaters retold by Jane Yolen. Recipes by Heidi E. Y. Stemple.

GROUP II - Lights Out: Adventures After Dark

The Longest Night by Marion Dane Bauer

The Banshee by Eve Bunting

Harry and Horsie by Katie Van Camp

Henry's Night by D.B. Johnson and Linda Michelin

Merlin and the Dragons by Jane Yolen

GROUP III - Mysterious Doings: Puzzling Things Out

The Calder Game by Blue Balliett

Masterpiece by Elise Broach

The 39 Clues. Book 1. The Maze of Bones by Rick Riordan

Piggins by Jane Yolen

GROUP IV - Troubled Waters/Mighty Boys

Bringing the Boy Home by N.A. Nelson

The Young Man and the Sea by Rodman Philbrick

Ice Drift by Theodore Taylor

Mightier Than the Sword: World Folktales for Strong Boys by Jane Yolen

GROUP V - Back in Time: Adventures from the Past

The Hallelujah Flight by Phil Bildner

One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia

The Storm in the Barn by Matt Phelan

The Devil's Arithmetic by Jane Yolen

GROUP VI - Damsels in Distress: Not!

Bylines: A Photobiography of Nellie Bly by Sue Macy

Bella At Midnight by Diane Stanley

Amelia Earhart: This Broad Ocean by Sarah Stewart Taylor & Ben Towle

Ballad of the Pirate Queens by Jane Yolen

GROUP VII - Writing Your Own Adventure

Hard Gold: The Colorado Gold Rush of 1859, A Tale of the Old West by Avi

Skeleton Creek: Ryan's Journal by Patrick Carman

My Secret War Diary: My History of the Second World War, 1939-1945
by Marcia Williams

The Mary Celeste: An Unsolved Mystery From History by Jane Yolen and Heidi E. Y. Stemple

GROUP VIII - Grand Slam Adventures

The Brooklyn Nine: A Novel in Nine Innings by Alan Gratz

Roberto & Me: A Baseball Card Adventure by Dan Gutman

Bill Pennant, Babe Ruth, and Me by Timothy Tocher

All-Star!: Honus Wagner and the Most Famous Baseball Card Ever by Jane Yolen

GROUP IX - Love and Loss (YA)

If I Stay by Gayle Forman

I Kill Giants by Joe Kelly

The Adoration of Jemma Fox by Mary Pearson

By the Time You Read This, I'll Be Dead by Julie Ann Peters

Bang, Bang, You're Dead by Jane Yolen and Heidi E. Y. Stemple (short story in
What Are You Afraid Of?: Stories About Phobias edited by Donald R. Gallo)

GROUP X - Venturing into the Paranormal (YA)

Life Sucks by Jessica Abel, Gabe Soria and Warren Pleece

Strange Angels by Lili St. Crow

Shiver by Maggie Stiefvater

Lips Touch: Three Times by Laini Taylor

Early Bird Registration-\$85. Deadline September 24, 2010. (Registration received after September 24, \$90.)

MAIL REGISTRATION FORM AND CHECK (payable to CLASC, Inc.)

TO: Jane Drake, c/o Patchogue-Medford Library, 54-60 East Main Street, Patchogue, NY 11772

Checks only: purchase orders will not hold registration. Cancellation requests will be honored only if received by October 6, 2010.

Refunds for valid cancellations will be sent after the conference.

If you will need special accommodations because of a disability please call (631) 654-4700, ext. 266.

READING: A GRAND ADVENTURE! is the theme of the fourteenth children's literature conference sponsored by the Children's Librarians Association of Suffolk County, Inc. (CLASC) and the Youth Services Department of the Suffolk Cooperative Library System. It provides the opportunity for librarians, teachers and professionals working with children to remain current in the field of children's literature and to focus on children's books through outstanding speakers and book discussion. Our theme recognizes the vital role books play in introducing children and teens to new experiences and ideas.

PROGRAM

- 8:30 Registration
Coffee and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 Welcome
Barbara Moon
Youth Services Consultant
Suffolk Cooperative Library System
- 9:15 Keynote Speaker
Mike Cavallaro
- 10:30 Book Discussion Groups
First Session
- 11:45 Book Discussion Groups
Second Session
- 1:00 Luncheon and Guest Speaker
Jane Yolen
- 3:00 Closing Remarks
Kristen Todd-Wurm
President, CLASC, Inc.

JANE YOLEN is the author of over 300 books, including *Owl Moon*, *The Devil's Arithmetic*, and *How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight?* Her books and stories have won an assortment of awards including two Nebulas, a World Fantasy Award, a Caldecott Medal, the Golden Kite Award, two Christopher Medals and a nomination for the National Book Award among others. Six colleges and universities have given her honorary doctorates.

MIKE CAVALLARO is originally from New Jersey, where he attended the Joe Kubert School of Cartoon and Graphic Art. He has worked in the New York comics and animation industries since the early '90's. Mike is a member of the web-comics collective, ACT-I-VATE.com, where he contributes free weekly web comics, including the true-life historic memoir, *Parade (With Fireworks)*, a 2008 Will Eisner Comic Industry Award nominee for "Best Limited Series" and a Young Adult Library Services Association 2010 "Great Graphic Novels for Teens" selection. Mike is the co-founder of Deep 6 Studios in Brooklyn, NY where he currently resides.

A selection of books by Jane Yolen and Mike Cavallaro will be available for purchase and autographing throughout the day.

DIRECTIONS:

HYATT REGENCY LONG ISLAND

From the East: Long Island Expressway (495)
West to Exit 57 (Veterans Memorial Highway). Make a right onto Veterans Memorial Highway. At the light make a right onto Motor Parkway. Continue on Motor Parkway and the hotel is on the left.

From the West: Long Island Expressway (495)
East to Exit 57 (Veterans Memorial Highway). Turn left at the light onto Motor Parkway. Continue on Motor Parkway and the hotel is on the left.

From the Ronkonkoma LIRR Station:
Complimentary shuttle service to the hotel is available-scheduled trips only. Call 631-784-1234 to make arrangements for this service.

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