



The West Linn & Wilsonville Public Libraries Present



THE WEST LINN-WILSONVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

At West Linn Public Library in February!

Science Saves Lives! on February 8th at 1:00pm and 2:00pm.

Join us for an in-person class where you will meet a local police officer and a firefighter and discover some of the science behind the equipment they use to save lives. Registration is required.

LEGO Club on Sunday February 12th at 10:30 and 11:30am.

Come to the library and build houses, castles, towers, or whatever you'd like! Each month will have a theme and LEGO expert, Blair Archer, is on hand to provide tips and tricks on how to get the most out of your build. Registration is required.

Pretzels & Painting on February 22nd at 1:00pm and 2:00pm.

Join us for an some quiet, creative time. We'll supply the paper, paint palette, and of course the pretzels. You relax and create the colorful pages. Registration is required.

Tales to Tails! on Wednesdays and Thursdays in February from 3:00-4:30pm.

Want to practice reading to one of our therapy dogs? Sign up for 20-minute sessions to read to a dog at the library. Our dog handlers encourage interaction with their dogs and will offer help if needed. All dogs and handlers are registered therapy teams. Registration is required.



Did You Know? ALA Youth Media Awards

Each year the American Library Association (ALA) honors books and other exceptional resources for children. Celebrated for their excellence, the Youth Media Awards (YMA) include the prestigious Newbery, Caldecott, Sibert, and Geisel awards, as well as the Pura Belpré, Coretta Scott King, and Asian/Pacific American Book Awards. We've highlighted those winners that we think you will find helpful in the classroom, both to educate and to encourage young readers.

At Wilsonville Public Library in February!

Tiny Art Show on February 1st - February 24th

Display your artistic talents in our Tiny Art Show! Starting February 1, pick up a mini art kit (while supplies last) and create your masterpiece. When completed, return it to the Library by February 24 to be part of the March show. This program is for all ages.

STEAM Stuff on Wednesdays, February 8th and February 22nd from 1:00-3:00pm

Drop in for hands-on STEAM activities at the library.

Wilsonville Public Library's Birthday Celebration on February 14th from 10:00am-8:00pm

Visit Wilsonville Public Library and get \$10 off overdue fines!

Spring Into Spring with a Spring Craft from February 11th - 19th

Get crafty and help us create our spring bulletin boards in the children's area.

Librarian Picks from the 2023 ALA Youth Media Awards

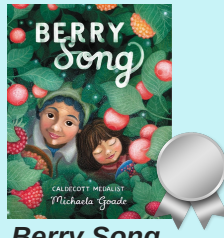
Announced Monday, January 30th, 2023

Caldecott
Winner



Hot Dog
illustrated and written by
Doug Salati

Caldecott
Honor



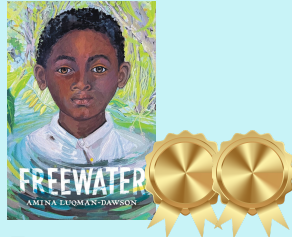
Berry Song
illustrated and written by
Michaela Goade

Caldecott
Honor



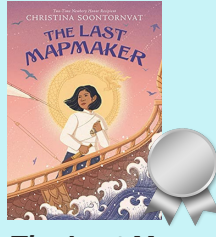
Knight Owl
illustrated and written by
Christopher Denise

Newbery
Winner



Freewater
by Amina Luqman-Dawson
*This book also won the Coretta Scott
King Author Award

Newbery
Honor



The Last Mapmaker
by Christina Soontornvat

Newbery
Honor



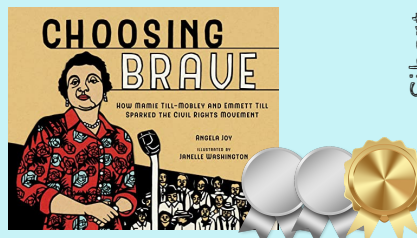
Maizy Chen's Last Chance
by Lisa Yee
*This book also won the Asian/Pacific
American Award for Children's Literature

Sibert
Winner



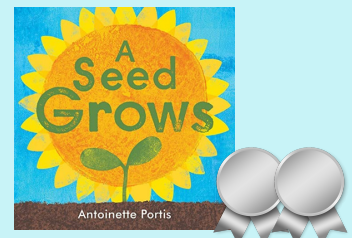
Seen and Unseen
by Elizabeth Partridge

Sibert
Honor



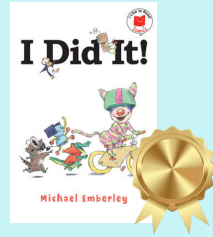
Choosing Brave
by Angela Joy
*This book also won a Caldecott Honor and the
Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent
Illustrator Award

Sibert
Honor



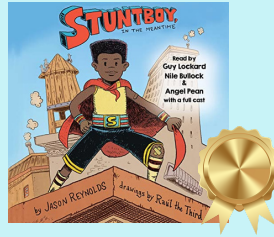
A Seed Grows
by Antoinette Portis
*This book also won a Geisel Honor

Geisel
Winner



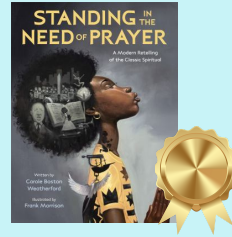
I Did It!
by Michael Emberley

Odyssey
Winner



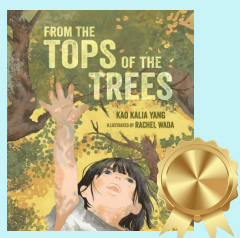
Stuntboy, in the Meantime
narrated by Guy Lockard,
Nile Bullock, and Angel Pean,
with a full cast

Coretta Scott
King Winner
(Illustrator)



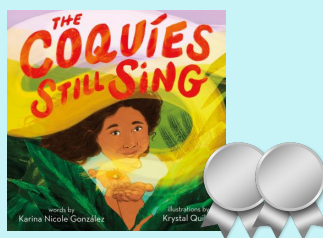
Standing in the Need of Prayer
illustrated by Frank Morrison

Asian/Pacific
American Winner
(Picture Book)



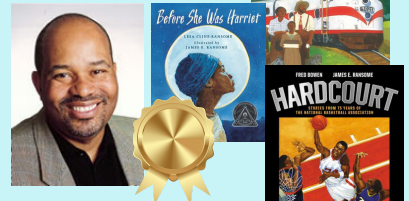
From the Tops of the Trees
by Kao Kalia Yang,
illustrated by Rachel Wada

Pura Belpré Children's
Author and Youth
Illustration Honors



The Coquíes Still Sing
by Karina Nicole Gonzales,
illustrated by Krystal Quiles

The Children's
Literature Legacy
Award



James E. Ransome
This award honors one whose work has made a
"substantial and lasting contribution to literature
for children" and that "demonstrates integrity and
respect for all children's lives and experiences".