

Redmond Book Contest

4th Graders: Write & Illustrate Your Own Book!

This contest is open to all 4th grade students (and homeschool equivalent students) throughout the Redmond area. You are invited to write and illustrate your own book! The Redmond Public Library is hosting a writing and an art workshop to help you polish off your project.

The deadline is **Wednesday, November 23, 2005**. Bring your entry to Redmond Public Library or turn it in at your school where your book will be collected. The winner and runner-up get to see their books in print and do a book signing at a library reception.

This project is a cooperative venture between the Redmond Public Library, Redmond Writers, High Desert Society for the Arts, and the Redmond Rotary.

If you have any questions, please call the Redmond Public Library at 312-1050.

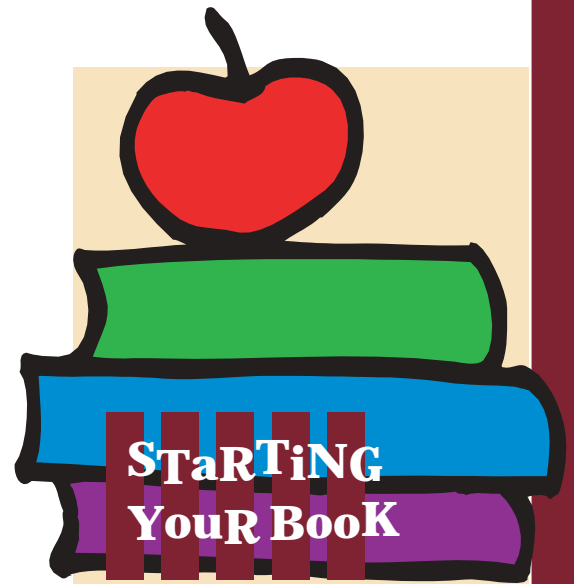
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La Pine & Sunriver Area Libraries

New Teen Librarian

Look out teens—here she comes! The La Pine and Sunriver Area Public Libraries have a new teen librarian serving their communities.

April Witteveen, a graduate of the University of Michigan's School of Information, comes to the Deschutes Public Libraries after working in both the Ann Arbor District Library in Michigan and, most recently, the Fern Ridge Library in Veneta, Oregon. The La Pine and Sunriver communities are excited about her arrival on October 17. Stop in and welcome April to our communities!



Sometimes the beginning is the toughest part—so get a pen and some paper and write down all the ideas for a book that come into your mind.

Areas to explore:

- An event that happened to you, your family, or a friend.
- A daydream.
- Poems you've written.
- Your favorite animal or place to visit.
- Use your imagination! You can go anywhere in a book (especially when you're the author!).