



The West Linn & Wilsonville Public Libraries Present
THE WLWV PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



At West Linn Public Library in December!

LEGO Engineering (grades K-5)

Wednesday, December 6th from 1:30-3:00pm (Early Release day)

Learn to build using basic physics, structural engineering, and simple machines with LEGO Master Builder, Blair Archer.

LEGO Club (ages 4-12) on Saturday, December 8th from 12:00-1:30pm

Learn new building techniques on Saturdays with LEGO Master Builder, Blair Archer.

Tales to Tails! *Reservations are necessary!*

Every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 3:30-5:00pm

Kids, want to practice reading? Come and read to one of our therapy dogs! Please stop by the Kid's Desk or call 503.742.8623 to make your reservation in advance.

Novelist Jr. for finding Read-Alikes

Looking for new stuff to read over winter break?

Be sure to check out NoveList K-8, using the LINCC public library website. Click on the Online Resources link on the upper left side of the home page. Scroll down about halfway and you will see NoveList K-8. It's a great source for "Read-Alikes!"

Just think of a book you like a lot. Type in the title or author. You will find a great list of other books that are similar!

You can access Novelist Junior at home, at school, or at the public library. Be sure to have your LINCC library card and your PIN number handy, and ask library staff for help if you need it. (We also love to recommend books!)

Book Drops in Primary Schools

Your West Linn and Wilsonville Public Libraries now offer Book Drops in all nine WLWV Primary Schools! Families can return items with their school library books and we'll pick them up and check them in.

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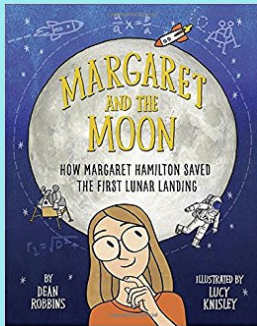
Programs on the Move in 2018!

The Wilsonville Library renovation begins in January. We won't have children's programs at the library during construction, so we're taking them on the road!

Contact the library to find out where in Wilsonville we'll be holding Storytimes, After School Events, and other activities through May.

Books We Recommend: Biographies!

K-2



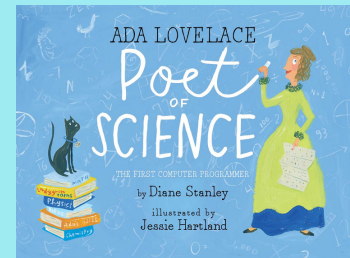
Margaret and the Moon
by Dean Robbins

An endearing read about how Margaret Hamilton's love of mathematics took her to an MIT laboratory working for NASA as one of the first women in that field.



Star Stuff: Carl Sagan and the Mysteries of the Cosmos
by Stephanie Roth Sisson

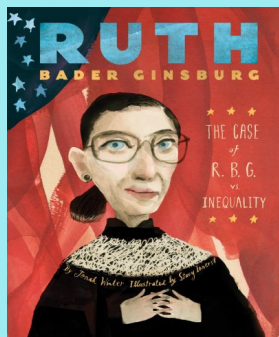
The story of astronomer Carl Sagan and how his youthful star gazing led him to become an internationally acclaimed scientist.



Ada Lovelace, Poet of Science
by Diane Stanley

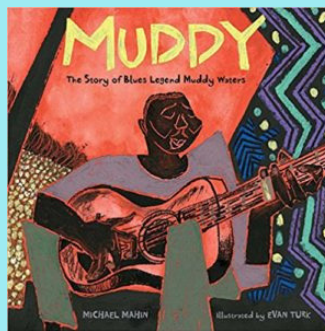
A delightfully illustrated book about Ada Lovelace and how she defied the many norms of that time to become the world's first computer programmer.

3-5



Ruth Bader Ginsburg: The Case of R. B. G. vs. Inequality
by Julia Finley Mosca

This brilliant book tells of the injustices through which young Ruth Bader persevered in order to become the first Jewish woman Supreme Court Justice.



Muddy: The Story of Blues Legend Muddy Waters
by Michael Mahin

A remarkable read and outstandingly illustrated book about musician Muddy Waters whose tenacity and spirit changed the world of music forever.



The World Is Not A Rectangle
by Jeanette Winter

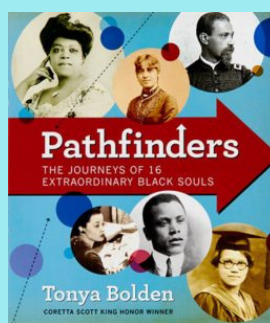
An artistic look at the pioneering architect Zaha Hadid. We discover her creative process, and how her hard work and eye for incredible designs eventually triumphed over adversity.

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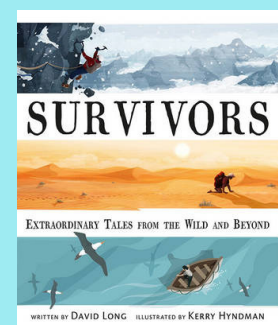
Amazing Women
by DK Books

This early reader about 40 inspiring women and their incredible achievements is sure to feed the dreams of curious children.



Pathfinders
by Tonya Bolden

Fascinating short biographies of accomplished African-Americans that you may never have heard of, including a magician, a cartoonist, a race car driver, and a spy.



Survivors
by David Long

23 amazing true and inspirational stories about men, women, and children who survived volcanoes, grizzly bears, and other extremely dangerous situations.