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Saturday, April 7, 2018

Young Authors Festival

Wayne State College

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.



Looking For Your Best Authors

Each school may send up to 6

Deadline: March 31, 2018

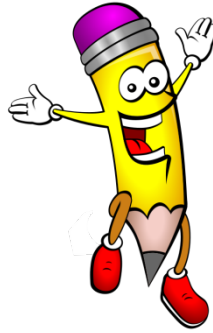
Manuscripts or Poems accepted

Must be 4 minutes or less when recited

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Scholarships available



Aspiring Young Authors Scholarship Application

Due: March 31, 2018

Name_____

Teacher's Name_____

School_____

Grade in School_____

In as many words as you like, please tell us why you want to attend the Aspiring Young Authors Festival.

Student Signature_____

Teacher Signature _____

Teacher email _____

- One entry per school only
- Scholarships are limited and will be awarded according to participation. It is best to get your entry in as soon as possible because those entries will be awarded sooner if possible.
- Deadline is March 31, 2018. Any entries after that date cannot be considered.
- Scholarship winners will be informed through email to their teacher.
- Any questions will be answered by Jenny Gubbels
(402)337-0105 or text (402)750-7040
Scholarship entries may also be emailed to Jenny at jargubb@yahoo.org

Northeast Nebraska Reading Association

Aspiring Young Authors Festival

Saturday, April 7, 2018

Elementary and Middle School Teachers:

The Northeast Council of the Nebraska State Reading Association is planning the annual Aspiring Young Authors Festival. The Festival will be held at Wayne State College, Saturday morning, April 7, 2018 in the Brandenburg Education Building from 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Your talented young authors will be rewarded with an opportunity to meet published authors Mary Chambers and Kristin Ganoung, and have an opportunity to showcase their own writing.

The guidelines for this festival are:

- Each school may send up to 6 students. Participating grades are 2-6. (If you have exceptional writing from a K-1 student, we will accept them.)
Cost is \$10 per student. This fee covers authors' expenses, folders, notebooks, certificates, and breakfast refreshments. Scholarships are available. We want your young authors to attend. This fee covers expenses only and our organization gains no profit.
- Participants must be accompanied by an adult. An adult can be in charge of more than one student attending. Parents are highly encouraged to attend.
- A manuscript must be submitted with your entry. These may be typed or handwritten and must be a final copy and not a rough draft. They may include illustrations. The manuscripts will be returned to the students. Manuscripts can also be emailed to: jargubb@yahoo.com If they are emailed, please wait for a confirmation of receipt.
- This is not a contest. It is a sharing festival. Students will read their manuscripts in a small group session. Each student is allowed up to 4 minutes to share. Longer manuscripts are accepted, but need to be edited to meet 4 minutes maximum. Poetry is accepted and students may submit more than one poem
- Selection is determined by your school. We are allowing up to 6 students because this is a great opportunity for students to learn more about writing and take pride in their own talent as writers.
- We invite parents, grandparents, teachers, and other interested guests to our festival.
- Deadline for receiving manuscripts and names of your students attending is March 31, 2018.
- Manuscripts, names of students, and money for the festival should be sent to:
Jenny Gubbels 56029 864 Rd. Randolph, NE 68771
Questions may be directed to Jenny at 402-337-0105 402-750-7040 (text).
- PLEASE SEND email address of your contact person with your entries.
- **Participating schools will receive an email with an agenda as soon as possible after submission of entries.**