15th Annual Orange County Children's Book Festival

Sunday, September 30, 2018 - 9:30 am - 4:00 pm
www.kidsbookfestival.com

To: Classroom Teachers
From: Orange County Children's Book Festival

Please distribute these bookmarks to your students before September 22nd. It will remind them about the 15th Annual Orange County Children's Book Festival.

Sunday, September 30, 2018. 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa

This is a FREE event and FREE parking!

There will be over 125 authors and illustrators, professional storytellers, booksellers, and educational booth exhibitors. This year we are being given a sneak preview of Orange Coast College's new, state-of-the-art Planetarium. In addition to meeting and visiting published authors and illustrators your students can learn about the Planetarium's educational and fun family events. Consider making the Book Festival experience part of your curriculum this fall.

In conjunction with the Planetarium theme we will feature a STEM stage with Nicole Stott, NASA astronaut speaking. Our Main Stage presents family friendly entertainment. Danica McKellar, actress and bestselling author, will inspire students to love math. Back by popular demand are the Animal Stage, Storyteller Stage and the Author/Illustrator Stage. Also returning is the Early Reader Stage and the Middle Grade Stage. Many authors will be reading from their books. There are award winning illustrators demonstrating drawing techniques, too.

The festival offers the rare opportunity to see, purchase and take home a wide variety of children's books. Some of the many vendors include Mrs. Nelson's Book Faire, Scholastic Book Fairs, and individual authors. And yes, Puppets-n-Players returns this year.

Please visit our website, www.kidsbookfestival.com or find us on Facebook at Orange County Children's Book Festival for more information.

Encouraging the love of books and readings for children and their families is the Festival's highest priority.

For more festival bookmarks or posters: call or text Pat 949-836-4722.

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Your girl is heading off to KINDERGARTEN soon—are you READY?

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Orange Unified School District – Teachers and Students

Start the year off with good books to read!

Giant Book Sale – Saturday, September 15th

Orange Public Library
Community Room
407 E. Chapman Ave.
Downtown Orange
Members Only: 9:00 am – 10:00 am
Public: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Fill a bag for $3.00
Books for all ages!!!
The Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) is a 20-year blueprint for transportation improvements in Orange County.

**ARTWORK AND PHOTO CONTEST**

OCTA is seeking innovative, creative and interesting artwork and photos from students that showcases themes explored in the Long Range Transportation Plan. For contest rules and ideas, visit www.octa.net/LRTP.

**CONTEST THEMES**

- **The Future of Transportation** - The sky is the limit! Share your vision for transportation in Orange County
- **A Smooth Ride Ahead** - Let's make the roads less congested through highway or road improvements
- **All Aboard** - Boarding the train to the future using rail technologies
- **Blue Skies Ahead** - Improving our air quality through transportation
- **People Power** - Moving Orange County with non-motorized transportation, including bicycles and walking
- **The Wheels on the Bus** - Hop on the bus to improve and create new transit options and experiences

**AWARDS**

- **First Place** – A $200 gift card
- **Second Place** - A $100 gift card
- **Third Place** – A $50 gift card

Awards will be presented to students in each grade level category (grades K-6, 7-8, 9-12 and university/college).

All entries submitted become the property of the Orange County Transportation Authority and may be reprinted.

Participants will need to submit all entries as graphic files to OCTA by filling out the form at tinyurl.com/LRTPContest by August 31, 2018.
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