

Raising Readers Update

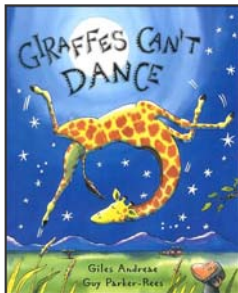


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Giraffes Take Over for Turtles

Giraffes Can't Dance takes over as the new four year book in October.



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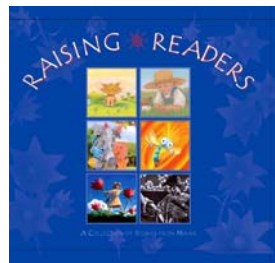
And the Winner is...

Wow! What a great response to our annual quality improvement survey. We're busy analyzing the results and will be sharing them with you soon.

The winner of the collection of waiting room books is:

**Miles Family Practice –
Waldoboro**

Update on New Five-Year Book



Thanks for all the great feedback about the new five year book: *Raising Readers: A Collection of Stories from Maine*. It appears to be a big hit with providers and patients!

Several sites have asked where the book can be purchased. At this time, the book is available exclusively through Raising Readers as part of our contract with the publisher.

First In, First Out

Use this handy rule of thumb for managing inventory. There's nothing wrong with older books – please use those up first and then order the newer titles.

New Books for Newborn Totes

Beginning in October, our newborn totes will get a makeover with these two new books. They'll be included along with *A Children's Treasury of Nursery Rhymes*.



By the Way...

We thought you'd like to know that Maine kids also receive a book from the Read with ME program. This year, Maine kindergarteners across the state received a copy of Chris Van Dusen's *Down to the Sea with Mr. Magee*. Read with ME gives a book by a Maine author/illustrator to kindergarteners at the start of each school year.

Library Card Sign-Up Month

What's another place to get great books besides Raising Readers? The local library! Please join the American Library Association in its celebration of library card sign up month by encouraging your patients and their families to go the local library and discover even more wonderful books.