



Illini Reading Council

PRESENTS: A FREE PROGRAM on February 6, 2012

Books and Technology for the Reluctant Reader

6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Champaign Public Library
200 W. Green Street, Champaign

Presented by: **Betsy Shea**

Betsy Shea is a children's librarian at the Champaign Public Library with an MLS degree from the University of Illinois and an EDM degree [reading specialist concentration] from the University of Buffalo with certification for Special Education and Reading.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Educators will be introduced to the many books offered in the **Champaign Public Library** that can entice the **struggling reader** to be an eager reader. Betsy will be giving book talks that include Easy Readers, books about nature, graphic novels and books about children who learn to solve problems by taking charge in difficult situations. Betsy will also introduce us to electronic resources such as play-a-way books and more.

Following the talk the group will tour the children's library and discover the best places to locate books for the reluctant or struggling reader.

Refreshments Available~~~~~Raffle Prizes~~~~~CDPU's available

Become a member online at: illinoisreadingcouncil.org

Please fill out if you are planning to attend. Indicate whether you would like to earn CPDU credits. Fee is FREE!

E-mail to mongsee@aol.com or mail to Marcia Wickes, 1104 W. Park, Champaign, IL 61821 by Feb. 2nd

Registration at the door is possible if seats are still available.

Name: _____ Position/Grade: _____ Illini RC Member? _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail address: _____ CPDU Credit? _____

Questions: Contact Mary K. Thompson ~~~~~217-328-1937 or at: mkaythompson@gmail.com

- Donations of new or like new books will be taken at the door to benefit the Habitat for Humanity Bookshelf Project or our A to Z books for Zambia...