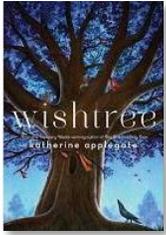


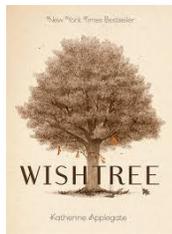
***Wishtree* by Katherine Applegate**



During the more than 200 years he's watched over his neighborhood, the old oak tree **Red** has seen families—human and animal—come and go and has sheltered them in many ways. **Red** is a “wishtree.” Every May 1, the residents of his community hang their wishes on his branches. When a new family moves to the neighborhood, and not all the humans are welcoming, **Red** decides it's time to make sure a certain wish comes true.

Funny, deep, warm and satisfying, ***Wishtree*** is a story for all ages by the author of the Roscoe Riley Rules books, *Sometimes You Fly*, and *The One and Only Ivan*, which won the Newbery Medal. *The One and Only Bob* is her brand-new book.

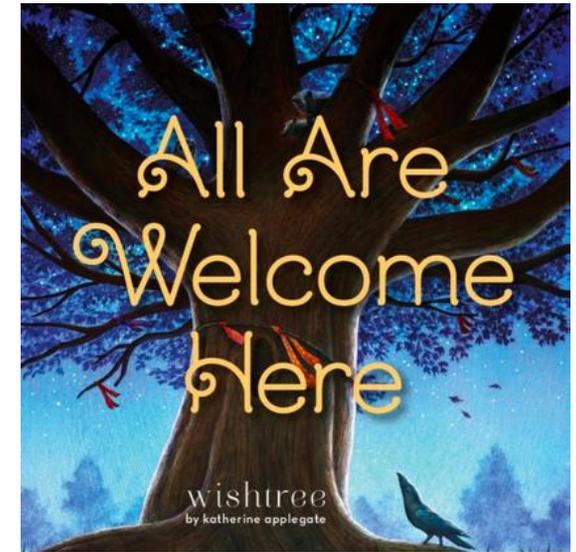
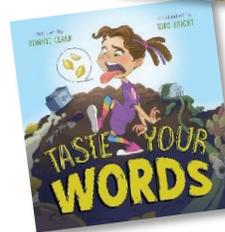
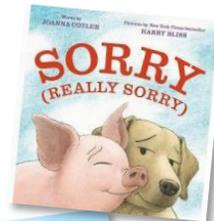
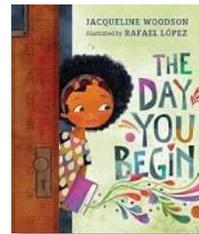
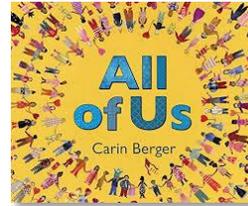
Check out *Wishtree* from Seward Memorial Library, order on Chapters' website, or pick up a copy from Chapters. Pay if you can; pay for a copy to gift to someone else if you'd like; receive a free copy if finances are short. We want everyone to be able to participate!



<https://sewardchapters.indielite.org/event/seward-reads>

For the youngest Sewardites who may not be quite ready for *Wishtree* but still want to participate, we recommend:

- * *All of Us* by Carin Berger
- * *Because Amelia Smiled* by David Ezra Stein
- * *Come with Me* by Holly McGhee
- * *The Day You Begin* and *Each Kindness* by Jacqueline Woodson
- * *Goodbye Friend, Hello Friend* by Cori Doerrfeld
- * *Hey, Little Ant* by Phillip Hoose and Hannah Hoose
- * *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Pena
- * *Lovely* by Jess Hong
- * *Pass it On* by Sophy Henn
- * *Sorry (Really Sorry)* by Joanna Cotler
- * *Taste Your Words* by Bonnie Clark
- * *We're All Wonders* by R. J. Palacio
- * *You Matter* by Christian Robinson



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