



Meet Author Kate DiCamillo

Winner of the Tulsa Library Trust's 2007 Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature

Friday, Aug. 24 • 7 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 25 • 10 a.m.

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An enchanting, gifted storyteller, Kate DiCamillo is the author of several works for children and young adults, including "Because of Winn-Dixie," a Newbery Honor book; "The Tiger Rising," a National Book Award finalist; and "The Tale of Despereaux," winner of the 2003 Newbery Medal.

She recently completed a series of early chapter books about a pig named Mercy Watson who is very fond of toast; the newest title, "Mercy Watson Fights Crime," was just released. She won the 2006 Boston Globe Horn Book Award for "The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane," a delightful story of a porcelain rabbit.

Join DiCamillo as she receives the 2007 Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature on Friday, Aug. 24 at 7 p.m. DiCamillo will speak about her life and works, and answer questions.

You also are invited to the awards ceremony for the 2007 Young People's Creative Writing Contest on Saturday, Aug. 25 at 10 a.m. Meet DiCamillo and learn how to write creatively, and give life to words and voices to characters. DiCamillo will hand out awards to contest winners and talk about her experiences writing award-winning novels.

DiCamillo will sign books at both events. Copies of her works will be available for purchasing.

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