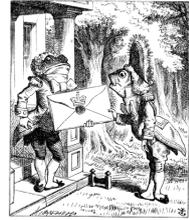




Letters to The Editor



I love your site. And I hope to see more illustrations here :)

Claire Chung

Thank you. We plan to increase the number of illustrations, but it's very time-consuming getting permissions from publishers. Sometimes, as in Michael Solomon's article on alphabet books in Picture Window, the links double as illustrations.

Re: the **Pig and Pepper** column, "How to Eat..... WHAT????": I may not be the first to point out that *Foodworks: an Ontario Science Centre Book* (Toronto: Kids Can, 1986) has a recipe for fried worms. I can't admit to having tried it, but when I booktalk Rockwell's novel, *How to Eat Fried Worms*, I am always sure to include *Foodworks*.

Sheilah O'Connor

Congratulations

I just finished reading your "electronic" magazine and wanted to tell you that I thought it excellent. I'm looking forward to the next edition. How frequently are you going to put it out? I also wanted to thank you for promoting Canadian children's literature, always a plus to authors. Keep up the good work!

Barbara Haworth-Attard

Once we get rolling, we should have new items posted regularly, though the columns will probably be changed quarterly. We have big plans and no money, but lots of enthusiasm -- especially when we get nice letters like yours. We'll be broadening the international scope of the journal, but will always have substantial Canadian content. Ideas for columns or other suggestions are always welcome. Thanks for your kind wishes.

I was looking through The Canadian Children's Book Centre's publication called *Children's Book News* and I came across your address. What a wonderful site! I am a children's book author and recently established my own website on the Internet. You will find it at this address:

<http://www.makersgallery.com/joanirvine> .

I am looking forward to reading articles at your site.

Joan Irvine

Thanks for your letter. It's wonderful hearing from readers out there in cyberspace. Good luck with your site, too.

As a librarian, and the mother of a 4 year old about to enter school - a child whose preschool literary experience closely resembles Matt Paul's - I found Lissa Paul's article on Ladybird readers provocative and frightening. Although my son occasionally enjoys my old Dick and Jane reader, it is one small volume in a large book case. I will make sure I have access to the Wildsmith and Ahlberg books suggested by Paul as antidotes (and would welcome other suggestions).

I'm really looking forward to future issues of LG.

Carole Linton MacFarquhar



I've just had a first look at what you are doing and I'm very excited about what I see. A fine looking editorial board.

Happy Writing,

Karen Day
