



## RedberyReads: A Newsletter From Redbery Books

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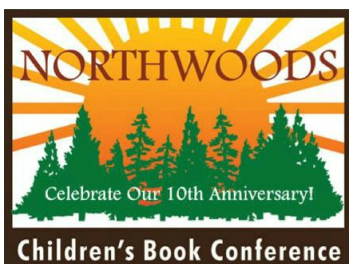
### October Hours

#### 10/1 - 10/21

Monday	10 - 4
Tuesday	closed
Wednesday	10 - 4
Thursday	10 - 7
Friday	10 - 7
Saturday	10 - 7
Sunday	11 - 3

#### 10/22 - 10/31

Monday	closed
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Sunday	closed



Time to register!

### Greetings!

Words. Written or spoken, we love them! After my summer hiatus, I (Katie) realized that one of the things I missed most about Redbery Books were the conversations with customers. Every day in the store, I have the privilege of engaging in pleasant conversations with kind and interesting people who have become my friends. Thank you for sharing your words with me! Read on to discover the written words from some of our local writers, along with those that have caught the attention of Redbery's staff.

### William Kent Krueger

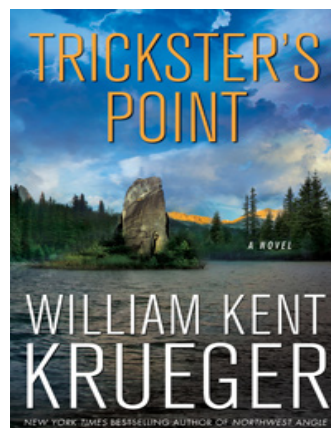
The Hayward Library Foundation  
proudly presents...

### "Meet the Author"

featuring

New York Times Bestselling Author

**William Kent  
Krueger**



Redbery books enjoys working with the local libraries, so we were thrilled when the Hayward Library Foundation contacted us to partner with them for this fundraiser for the library.

**Friday, November 2, 2012**

**4:00 - 6:00 pm**

**Appetizers. Cash Bar**

**The Lumberjack Steakhouse,  
Hayward, WI**

Presentation and Book Signing at 4:30 pm

**All guests in attendance will be entered into a drawing to be a character in his next book! How fun is that?**

Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased at Redbery Books,  
Hayward Community Credit Union, Sherman & Ruth  
Community Library

October 18-19  
Heartwood Conference Center  
For detailed info click [here](#).

## Young Adult Literature is WAY COOL!



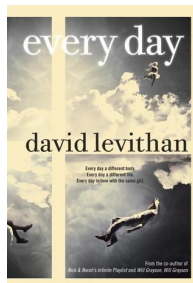
*The Raven Boys*  
by Maggie Stiefvater

The story centers around a group of affluent boys attending a private school in Virginia and their relationship with Blue, the daughter of the town's psychic.

Blue has always been told by her mother and her clairvoyant friends that she would kill her true love with a kiss, which hasn't bothered her much until her life becomes entangled with the "Raven Boys". This is a smartly written tale with well crafted characters, brimming with magic and mystery. I loved it!

To listen to an interview with Maggie Stiefvater on NPR's Weekend Edition, click [here](#).

To order your copy of *The Raven Boys*, click [here](#).



*Every Day*  
by David Levithan

A is a 16 year-old who has woken up in a different body each and every day for as long as he can remember. It's wildly original premise allows the reader to experience a life that

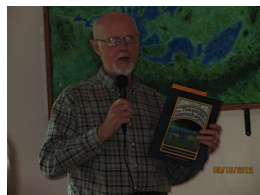
Mr. Krueger will be signing books purchased on-site  
or from **Redbery Books**

## Writer's Market

### Literary Locals at Redbery Books!



Diana Randolph, Frank Graves, Pat Dennis, Warren Nelson, Dayle Quigley, Jim Brakken, and Marie Zhuikov (with Buddy)



Thank you for coming out to support our local talent!  
Thank you to the Endersbes for the use of the  
Rivers Eatery!



## Meet the Staff



**Deneen Carpenter** is the newest member of the Redbery staff. Deneen and her husband, Rick, moved from the Minneapolis/Red Wing area to make Cable their home. Between the two of them they have 5 children ranging between the ages of 15-26, with one granddaughter and another on the way. Deneen spent the last 20 years working in the corporate arena, which helped frame her love

gets at questions about the nature of identity, true love, and gender in a way that only the talented Mr. Levithan could imagine. The language is beautiful and the ending is stunning. This YA book is not just for young adults, but for readers of all ages who appreciate a book that surprises and delights on every page!

To order *Every Day*, click [here](#).

By the way, David Levithan is Maggie Stiefvater's editor at Scholastic Books!

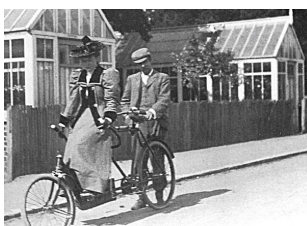


October 16 - 18  
Heartwood Conference Center  
For detailed info click [here](#).



**Thanks to all of the Fat  
Tire racers who  
stopped in to Redbery  
Books!**

Can you guess who these  
famous authors are (pictured  
with their bikes, of course!)



H.G. Wells and his wife  
circa 1895

of books on business. In her spare time she likes to garden, hike, mountain bike and she plans on learning how to cross country ski this winter. Be sure to ask Deneen what's she's been reading lately!

## Halloween Fun

It's time to get your costumes ready for the  
**Cable Halloween Storytime  
and Parade!**



Saturday, October 27 4:00 pm

Meet at **Redbery Books** for a spooky storytime,  
then parade down the street to the "Haunted  
Library", for some more ghostly fun and treats!

## BOOK BUZZ

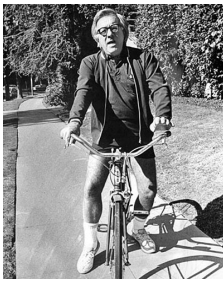
### Bev Recommends...

*The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind* is a story of a young hero and is worth sharing with all generations. First released as a book for adults, this remarkable true story has now been made into a lovely picture book for children as well. William Kamkwamba's story begins in Malawi, a land where magic reigned and science was mysterious. Kamkwamba read and devoured all the knowledge he can find in the little library in his village. Ignoring the taunts of being misala -- crazy, -- he experiments with creating inventions from the scraps and pieces of junk. Eventually, he builds a windmill and brings to his village what very few Malawi's have -- electricity and running water. Both books give a real sense of the hard life in the village: one does so with words and the other with collage and paint illustrations. A dusty sand color used on the cover of the adult version and on the endpapers of the children's version perfectly matches the landscape as I remember sub-sahara Africa. This story takes me back to a place where I spent some time as part of a volunteer organization creating libraries. As you might imagine, that makes it pretty special for me but this story is inspiration for anyone!



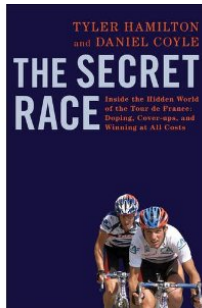
To order *The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind*,  
click [here](#).





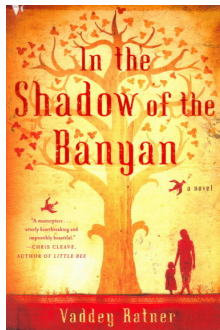
Ray Bradbury  
circa 1975

The most popular book about cycling during the Fat Tire Festival was *The Secret Race: Inside the Hidden World of the Tour de France*.



To order *The Secret Race*, click [here](#).

## FROM WENDY'S EASY CHAIR



*In the Shadow of the Banyan*  
by Vaddey Ratner

"How you deal with loss indicates the measure of who you are and gives you a glimpse of how you will live your life. Vaddey Ratner shows us, through Raami's life story, what it means to live the life you have been dealt and live it strong."

Wendy is a **Redbery** customer and a constant reader. To read Wendy's entire review of *In the Shadow of the Banyan*, click [here](#).

To order *The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind: Young Readers Edition*, click [here](#).

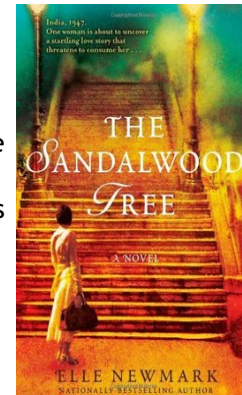
William is now 22 years-old and studying at Dartmouth. Watch him on the Daily Show with Jon Stewart by clicking [here](#).



## Deneen Recommends...

*The Sandalwood Tree*  
by Elle Newmark

*The Sandalwood Tree* brings to life two love stories, ninety years apart in war torn India. Martin and Evie Mitchell are American, living with their small son in an Indian village in the Himalayas in 1947, the infamous years of India's war of Partition. Martin, a historian is there on a Fulbright Fellowship to complete his Ph.D. thesis on Partition. But as a Jewish veteran of World War II, his demons have followed him to India, and he and Evie are growing further and further apart. As violence surrounds them, Evie finds herself confined to their bungalow where she discovers behind a loose brick a packet of old letters which tell of a compelling story of love and war involving two young Englishwomen who lived in the same house in 1857. *The Sandalwood Tree* is a powerful story about betrayal, forgiveness, fate and love.



The **Word of Mouth Book Club** had a great discussion of the novel, and found the historical setting informative, the story engaging. Favorite quotes from the group:

*"I think that when you create borders based on ideology you create a reason to fight. When you live side by side, you create a reason to get along."* (Harry)

*"Poverty is the worst form of violence."* (Harry quoting Ghandi)

To order *The Sandalwood Tree*, click [here](#)

## Babies and Books

### How to Read to Very Young Children (for maximum fun and brain development!)



\*\*\*Start with books that have bright, simple illustrations to capture your child's attention.

Redbery Books is hosting the **Drummond School Book Fair and Fundraiser** during parent teacher conferences on November 8th from 4-8pm. We'll have books and games for sale, a chance for teachers to earn books for the classroom, and a percentage of sales goes back to the school. Come check it out and help support reading at Drummond School!



### Mark Your Calendar

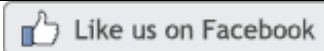
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Redbery Writers' Intensive

**October 18 - 19**  
Northwoods Children's Book Conference

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Library Fundraiser: William Kent Krueger

**Thursday 11/8 4 - 8 pm**  
Drummond School Book Fair and Fundraiser



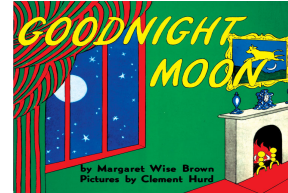
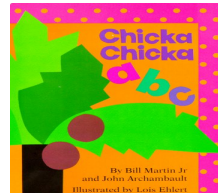
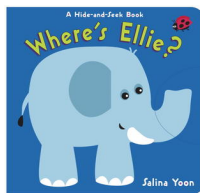
and "like" us!  
We'd like to add 30 new fans.  
Please help us.

\*\*\*Be expressive! Use **different voices** for different characters.

\*\*\*Point to objects in the room that are similar to the ones in the book, so your child can **learn new vocabulary** words and associate things in the book with things in his or her world.

\*\*\***Don't worry** about reading the whole book if your child loses interest. Sometimes a story works if you read just the first sentence on each page. You can always skip to the last page and say "The end!"

**We'd like to start up our Babies and Books program this fall! It's for children from birth to three years-old. We sing songs and read books and it's tons of fun!**



If you'd be interested in participating, please send Katie and email at [katie@redberybooks.com](mailto:katie@redberybooks.com) and we'll figure out the best format to bring BABIES and BOOKS together!

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Sincerely,



Bev and the rest of the staff