



New Additions to the CDR Library

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Hand-Me-Downs
(2005)*

*Too Small Paul
(2005)*

*Buttercup, the
Clumsy Cow
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*The Croc by the
Rock (2005)*

*A Cat in a Coat
(2005)*

*Batty Betty's
Spells (2005)*



Happy St. Pat's Day

From the CDR Library Stacks



March 2008

The Library's Latest: A Note from the Coordinator

—I presented the library's services at a "Making Connections" meeting in Anderson, SC, on February 27th.

—Over the past month, the CDR Library acquired six new titles (See side-bar and other pages for annotations.)

—We received a total of 119 reference questions; 24 research questions; 62 check-out requests; 14 renewal requests; distributed 113 web articles and/or journal printouts; and, handed out 138 pamphlets.!!! Finally, we had 36 new patrons join the

library! Again, I want to thank Katie Smith and Venita Billingsley



CDR Library Coordinator,
Steven Wilson
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for a great "Making Connections" meeting. They tell me there may be more coming, so keep your eyes peeled and keep checking our blog for subsequent an-

nouncements.

—Finally, in case you missed the announcement, the South Carolina Assistive Technology Program Conference is this March 19th, from 9am-4pm at the Columbia Metropolitan Conference Center.

The conference is free and open to everyone. So please consider swinging by to check out some of the latest technologies! (See page 3 for more information about the conference.)

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See What's New at the CDR Blog!

Breaking news stories:

- First Steps Towards Spinal Cord Reconstruction Following Injury Using Stem Cells
- Stem Cells Can Improve Memory After Brain Injury
- Genes Influence Age-related Hearing Loss
- Obesity-related Hormone Is Higher In Children With Down Syndrome

- Pro-Parents Calendar of Workshops
- New Treatment Holds Promise for Tourette Syndrome
- Epilepsy-induced Brain Cell Damage Prevented in the Laboratory
- Slower Brain Maturity Seen in ADHD Kids
- Major U.S. Autism Study

"Reading civilized the inner life" ~Mason Cooley~

Gets Under Way

- Treadmill Training Helps Down Syndrome Babies Walk Months Earlier

Check out these and much more at

<http://cdrlibraryblog.blogspot.com>

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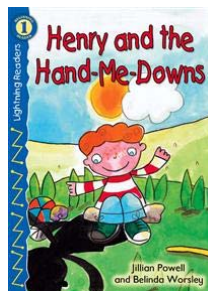
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~Gertrude Stein~



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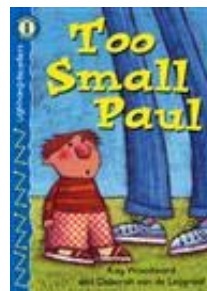
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Spotlight on These New Additions...



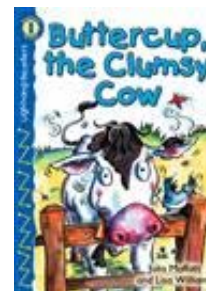
Henry and the Hand-Me-Downs (2005)

—“Henry is the youngest member of his family. Usually, he likes this. But sometimes, Henry tires of getting everyone else’s hand-me-downs. Will Henry ever find something that is just his?” Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)



Too Small Paul (2005)

—“Paul is too small for everything. But when it comes time to play a game with his brother, Paul realizes he just might be the perfect size.” Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)



Buttercup, the Clumsy Cow (2005)

—“Buttercup is a very clumsy cow. She is so clumsy that the other farm animals stay away from her — until her clumsiness saves the day!” Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)

New Journal Available

The CDR library is pleased to announce that we have a new journal available for **in library use only** to patrons. The *Disability and Health Journal* is the official journal of the American Association on Health and Disability. It will be a “scientific, scholarly and multidisciplinary journal” with a focus on “public health, health promotion, health education, wellness and prevention, reducing the incidence of secondary conditions and medical conditions.” This journal includes empirical research to systematic reviews.



This quarterly journal is **available only in print and in library use** and is not available for check out. Please search the online catalog at the CDR library website for more information: <http://uscm.med.sc.edu/CDR/searchingcatalog.htm>



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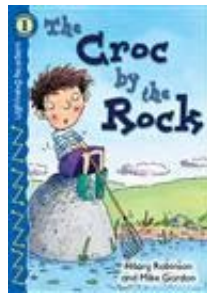
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~Terry
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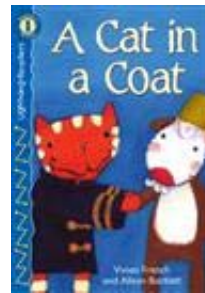
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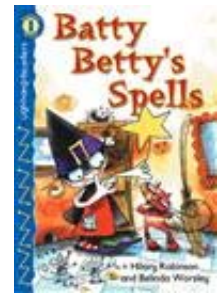
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— "While fishing one day, Jake spots a crocodile in the lake. Is it really a crocodile in the water or does Jake just have an overactive imagination?" Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)



***A Cat in a Coat
(2005)***

— "Cat and Goat are friends. But when Cat asks Goat to ride in his boat, he has something sneaky planned." Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)



***Batty Betty's
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— "Batty Betty always gets her spells wrong. Every time she waves her wand, something weird happens to her pet cat." Lightning Readers series, Level 1: Beginning Reader (PreK-K)



South Carolina Assistive Technology Program

SCATP 2008 EXPO

Mark your calendars and spread the word!
Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center
March 19, 2008
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Free and open to the public; No pre-registration
See and try the latest devices, equipment, gadgets, and software to help people of all ages live more independently in all areas of life. Attend workshops on topics related to assistive technology for memory, home living, education, literacy, communication, computer access, and mobility. <http://www.sc.edu/scatp/expo/expo08.html>

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for the sufficient
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~Jorge Luis
Borges~*



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8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Midlands Technical College
Airport Campus - Academic Center
1260 Lexington Drive
West Columbia, SC 29170

Speaker:

Chris Zeigler Dendy is a graduate of University of Georgia and received her Masters Degree from the Florida State University. Over the past thirty years Ms. Dendy has been a teacher, school psychologist, mental health counselor, local and state level mental health administrator, executive director of a statewide mental health advocacy organization, and a mental health consultant on children's issues. Ms. Dendy is the mother of two grown sons with ADD and have produced two videos along with her husband. She has authored two popular books on ADD / ADHD. Recently, she co-authored a book with her son, Alex Zeigler; "A Bird's Eye View", a reference book for children and teens about life with ADD and ADHD.

Registration is **FREE** **Registration Deadline: March 28th, 2008**

Space is limited, register early.

~A variety of educational books and materials will be available on sale.

~6.0 CEU's available from University of South Carolina for an additional \$8.00.

~**Note:** If you are a person with a disability and require accommodations, please discuss your needs with Heather Watson-Kelley by telephone at: 1-800-759-4776, or by e-mail at: hwkelley@proparents.org.

Visit: http://www.proparents.org/Keys_to_Success_Strategies_for_ADD_and_ADHD.html

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—About the Library—

The library is a collaborative effort between BabyNet/South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, the Center for Disability Resources, the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library. The CDR Library consists of books, videos, brochures, and audiotapes covering a variety of disability-related topics. The Center for Disability Resources Library is located within the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library on Garners Ferry Road.