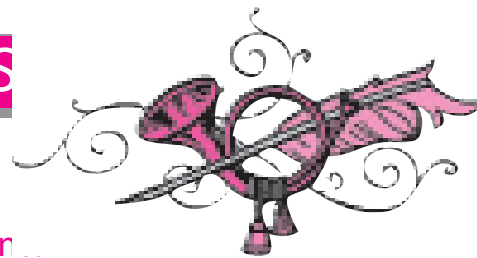


## FOR ADULTS



### FROM ROSIE TO ROOSEVELT The American People in World War II: A Film & Discussion Series

Our film and discussion series, *From Rosie to Roosevelt*, continues this month. This six-part series is moderated by Mr. D'Innocenzo, Professor of History at Hofstra University. During each program an award-winning documentary film will be shown. Mr. D'Innocenzo will set the scene for each film and provide background information to enhance the viewing

experience. Participants will have the opportunity to discuss the films and share their own experiences. Refreshments will be served. Please register in advance by calling the Northport Library at 261-6930.

### Japanese-Americans and World War II Friday, December 14, 10:00 a.m.

Films: *The Color of Honor* and *Days of Waiting*  
These films create a moving and personal portrait of the devastating internment experience for Japanese-Americans.

### Gallery Talk with Richard Blazej (N) Saturday, December 8, 10:00 a.m.

Mr. Blazej, whose photographs are on exhibit in the Northport gallery this month, will share his experiences as a practitioner of traditional, large format black and white photography. He will provide images of the West as well as local scenes. All are welcome.

### Defensive Driving

(N) Tuesday, December 18 & Thursday, December 20, 7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$35  
Applications for this six-hour course may be picked up at either Library beginning December 1.

### Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program

(N) Thursday, December 13, 1:00-4:00 p.m. by appt.  
HICAP-trained counselors answer questions about Medicare, supplementary insurance, and HMOs designed for Medicare recipients. Call 261-6930 to make an appointment.

### Momen

(N) Sunday, December 16, 2:00 p.m.  
Momentum, a mother/daughter horn and flute duo, enchants audiences of all ages with an exciting repertoire of chamber music. French hornist Kristine Dougherty is a member of Celebrations Brass and has appeared with some of the country's leading chamber ensembles including Clarino Consort, Concert Royal, New York Grand Bande, and has performed on National Public Radio. Her daughter, Kristine, is an accomplished flutist who has performed solo recitals throughout the country including at Lincoln Center and on National Public Radio. Accompanied by pianist Henry DeVries, Momentum's performance will include works by Telemann, Pachelbel, and Mozart.

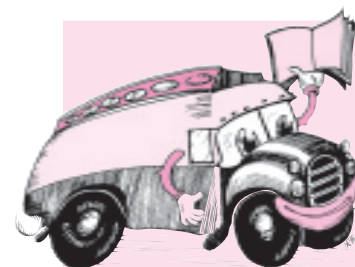
Free tickets for this performance are available December 1 at the Northport Library.

### Computer First Grade for Adults

(N) Monday, December 3, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon  
Register December 1 at Northport Library.

(EN) Thursday, December 13, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon  
Register December 1 at East Northport Library.

This user-friendly workshop is a follow-up to Computer Kindergarten. Topics will include working with text and files, word processing, and more. There is a \$5 materials fee, payable at registration.



### Book-A-Trip

to  
Madame Tussaud's  
Wax Museum &  
New York  
Public Library  
Tuesday, February 26, 2002

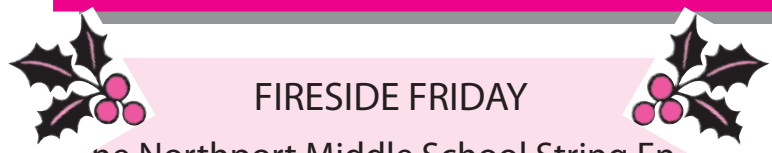
**Departure:** 9:30 a.m. from the Laurel Ave. School parking lot (across from Northport Library)  
**Return:** 5:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$68 per person (checks only; payable to Northport-East Northport Public Library; non-refundable)

**Itinerary:** Our morning begins with a guided tour of the magnificent New York Public Library. After lunch at Les Sans Culottes we visit one of New York's newest attractions, Madame Tussaud's Wax Museum. Bring your camera!

**Ticket sale: Saturday, December 29, 10:30 a.m. at Northport Library.** Ticket limit: 2 per library card holder on first day of sale.

## FOR ADULTS



### FIRESIDE FRIDAY

The Northport Middle School String Ensemble  
(EN) Friday, December 14, 7:30 p.m.

Under the direction of Katherine Giuliano, the Northport Middle School String Ensemble will present holiday carols and songs including works by Pachelbel, Tchaikovsky, and Brahms. All are welcome.

### Novel Ideas

(N) Friday, December 7, 1:00 p.m.  
(N) Monday, December 10, 7:00 p.m.

This month we discuss *A Small Death* by Robert Wilson. Please pick up your copy of the book at the Northport Library Circulation Desk.



### Friday Movies

### I'll Remember April

(N) Friday, December 14, 1:30 p.m.

Four ten-year-old boys begin a perilous journey to self-discovery in the weeks following the bombing of Pearl Harbor. Not rated. 90 min.

### Fly Away Home

(N) Friday, December 28, 1:30 p.m.

A thirteen-year-old girl and her estranged father learn what family is all about when they adopt an orphaned flock of geese. Rated PG. 107 min.

## FOR FAMILIES

### Sunday Family Special:

The Hampstead Players present  
"Oliver"

(N) Sunday, December 2, 2:00 p.m.

For adults and children grades K and up

Enter the world of Charles Dickens as the Hampstead Players return to retell the classic tale of a boy's struggle for survival in the unfriendly world of Victorian England. The Hampstead Players are a national touring company based in New Hampshire. In the tradition of the early English stage, their performance includes active audience participation. Free tickets for this performance are available now at both Libraries.

### Book & Sandwich (W)rap

(N) Tuesday, December 4, 7:00 p.m.  
(EN) Thursday, December 6, 1:00 p.m.

Join us as we take a look at stories from *The O. Henry Prize Stories 2000*. To reserve your copies, call Deborah Formosa or the Reference Department at 261-6930.

### 55/Alive Driver Program

(N) Monday, January 14, 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
Register December 22 at the Northport Library.

(EN) Tuesdays, January 15 & 22, 7:00-10:30 p.m.  
Register December 29 at the East Northport Library.

AARP's Mature Driver Program is open to library card holders who are 50 years of age or older. There is a \$10 fee payable to AARP by check or money order

## FOR TEENS

### Teen Design a Bookmark Contest

The Northport-East Northport Public Library invites teens in grades 6-12 to submit their original designs for our 1st annual Teen Design a Bookmark Contest. Twelve winning designs (6 from Middle School students and 6 from High School students) will be selected to decorate monthly bookmarks for next year. The deadline for entries is January 31, 2002. Winners will be announced in the March newsletter.

Entry forms are available in the Teen Center at both libraries. Use your imagination and talent. Have fun!

### Fellowship of the Ring

Drawing Workshop  
(N) Thursday, December 27, 2:00 p.m. Grades 6-12

Do you like to draw? Join cartoonist David Miller and learn how to draw characters from *The Hobbit* and *Fellowship of the Ring*. Sign-up begins December 6 at the Northport Library.

### Winnie-the-Pooh Anniversary Celebration

Teen volunteers are needed to help at the Winnie-the-Pooh party to be held in the Children's Department on Saturday, December 15. If you are interested in volunteering, please call Mrs. Farr, Young Adult Librarian.

### Top 10 Fantasy Books Chosen by Teens During Teen Read Week 2001

1. *Harry Potter* (series)
2. *The Princess Test*
3. *The Wizard of Oz*
4. *The Sword of Shannara*
5. *Redwall*
6. *Holes*
7. *The Hobbit*
8. *Dark Lord of Derkholm*
9. *The Golden Compass*
10. *Dealing with Dragons*

## FOR CHILDREN



### Neighborhood Nursery School

Children ages 3 and up with parent/caregiver  
(N) Monday, December 3, 7:00 p.m.  
Representatives from area nursery schools will be on hand to display materials and to speak with you, on an individual basis, about their schools' philosophies and objectives. All are welcome.

### Winnie-the-Pooh Family Tree

(EN) Saturday, December 8, 10:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m.  
Children ages 3 and up  
Bring a picture of everyone in your family and make a family tree. Siblings welcome. Registration is now underway at the East Northport Library.

### Pajama Storytime

(EN) Tuesday, Dec. 4, 7:00 p.m.  
(N) Friday, Dec. 14, 7:00 p.m.

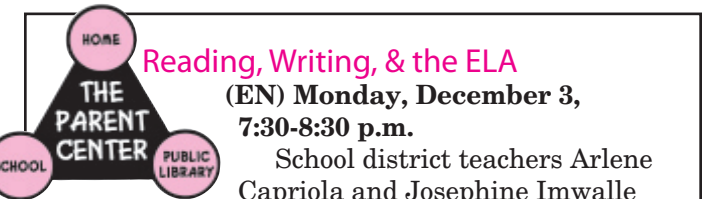
Children ages 3 and up with parent/caregiver  
Children may wear their PJs and bring their teddy bears to this evening storytime. All are welcome.

Registration for Pre-schoolers' Door To Learning programs will be held on Saturday, January 5. A program schedule will be available in the Library beginning December 20.

### Striking a Chord @ Your Library

Our current Museum Cove exhibit featuring The Long Island Philharmonic will conclude this month. More than 240 children and parents have participated in related programming during this successful exhibit. The Library has also arranged for David Wiley, the newly appointed director of the Philharmonic, to conduct the Northport High School's Symphonic Winds ensemble group. For older students, our librarians have prepared a bibliography on music and related websites. Copies are available at the Reference Desk.

Don't miss our Winnie-the-Pooh 75th Anniversary Party— see the back of this newsletter for details!



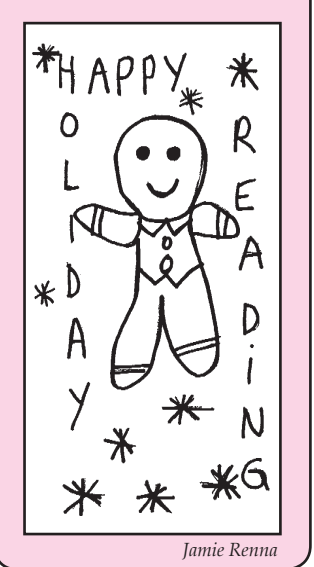
### Siblings Without Rivalry

(N) Tuesdays, January 8, 15, 22 & 29, 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Is the constant bickering, tattling, and teasing taking its toll on your family life? Counselors Margaret Stoduto and Nancy Armbruster will discuss effective ways to reduce sibling rivalry. Register December 18 at the Northport Library.

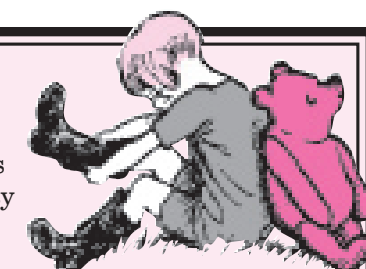
## The Bookmark Spot

Stop by the Library and pick up December's bookmark by Jamie Renna. A reading list, compiled by our Children's Librarians, is on the back.



## Classic Tales of Animal Friends

Millions of Pooh fans have enjoyed the stories of Christopher Robin and his fuzzy companions for the past 75 years. Tales of animal friends, based in reality or fantasy, are perennial favorites as family stories. Curl up with one of our selections and spend a cozy afternoon or evening reading together during this holiday season.



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| Animal Friends                          | by Beverly Cleary                         | <i>Old Bear</i> (series)                           |
| <i>Arabel and Mortimer</i> (series)     | by <i>Mr. Popper's Penguins</i>           | by Jane Hissey                                     |
| by Joan Aiken                           | by Richard and Florence Atwater           | <i>Paddington</i> (series)                         |
| <i>Big Red</i>                          | by Cynthia Rylant                         | by Michael Bond                                    |
| by Jim Kjelgaard                        | <i>Mr. Putter and Tabby</i> (series)      | <i>Poppy the Panda</i>                             |
| <i>A Carnival of Animals</i>            | by Charles Perrault                       | by Dick Gackenbach                                 |
| by Sid Fleischman                       | <i>Rascal</i>                             | <i>Tom and Pippo</i> (series)                      |
| <i>The Cricket in Times Square</i>      | by Sterling North                         | by Helen Oxenbury                                  |
| by George Selden                        | <i>Spot</i> (series)                      | <i>The Velveteen Rabbit</i>                        |
| <i>Curious George</i> (series)          | by Eric Hill                              | by Margery Williams Bianco                         |
| by H.A. Rey                             | <i>The Tale of Peter Rabbit</i>           | <i>Where's My Teddy</i>                            |
| <i>Dick King-Smith's Animal Friends</i> | by Beatrix Potter                         | by Jez Alborough                                   |
| by Dick King-Smith                      | <i>Wainscott Weasel</i>                   | Videos   |
| <i>Frog and Toad</i> (series)           | by Tor Seidler                            | <i>101 Dalmatians</i>                              |
| by Arnold Lobel                         | <i>The Wind in the Willows</i>            | <i>The Adventures of Milo &amp; Otis</i>           |
| <i>Gentle Ben</i>                       | Toy Animal Friends                        | <i>Air Bud</i>                                     |
| by Walt Morey                           | <i>The Bear Nobody Wanted</i>             | <i>Babe</i>  |
| <i>Gentleman Bear</i>                   | by Janet Ahlberg                          | <i>Beethoven</i>                                   |
| by William Pene DuBois                  | <i>Bunny Party</i> (series)               | <i>Benji</i>                                       |
| <i>George and Martha</i>                | by Rosemary Wells                         | <i>Charlotte's Web</i>                             |
| by James Mar-                           | <i>Corduroy</i>                           | <i>Dunston Checks In</i>                           |
| shall                                   | by Don Freeman                            | <i>Far From Home: The Adventures of Yellow Dog</i> |
| <i>Henry and Mudge</i> (series)         | <i>Elmer and the Lost Teddy</i> (series)  | <i>Flipper</i>                                     |
| by Cynthia Rylant                       | by David McKee                            | <i>Fly Away Home</i>                               |
| <i>Henry and Ribsy</i> (series)         | <i>Ernest and Celestine</i> (series)      | <i>Homeward Bound:</i>                             |
| by Beverly Cleary                       | by Gabrielle Vincent                      | <i>The Incredible Journey</i>                      |
| <i>Kipper</i> (series)                  | <i>Harry and Lulu</i>                     | <i>The Journey of Natty Gann</i>                   |
| by Mick Inkpen                          | by Arthur Yorinks                         | <i>The Mouse and The Motorcycle</i>                |
| <i>Lassie Come Home</i>                 | <i>I Love You, Blue Kangaroo</i> (series) |  |
| by Eric Knight                          | by Emma Chichester Clark                  |  |
| <i>Little Bear</i> (series)             | <i>The Mouse and His Child</i>            |  |
| by Else Holmelund Minarik               | by Russell Hoban                          |  |
| <i>Maisy</i> (series)                   | <i>My Old Teddy</i>                       |  |
| by Lucy Cousins                         | by Dom Mansell                            |  |
| <i>The Mouse and the Motorcycle</i>     |   |  |





Library Closed?  
Talk Live with  
a Librarian!

Monday-Thursday 9:00 pm - 11:00 pm  
Sunday 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Are you frustrated with Internet search engine results numbering in the thousands? Do you know what you're looking for, but need a little help finding it?

Help is as near as your home computer and the Northport-East Northport Public Library website. Just connect to [www.suffolk.lib.ny.us/libraries/netwalk](http://www.suffolk.lib.ny.us/libraries/netwalk) and click on the picture of the moon (shown above) to reach a Librarian on duty. You will start a one-on-one Internet talk session with a Reference Librarian. After discussing your information requirements, the Librarian will use an array of Internet subscriptions and databases to find your answer. Your Librarian has access to many business, art, health, and general resources, including many full-text newspaper and magazine articles. After your information is found, the Librarian can forward the web page or search results to your home computer.

This after-hours reference service is a cooperative project of the public libraries of Suffolk County.

## EXHIBITS

### Northport Gallery:

#### Photographs by Richard T. Blazej

Richard Blazej's black and white works represent Northport Village at its best. Some are of scenes which no longer exist, but should bring back fond memories.

### East Northport Gallery:

#### Photography Exhibit of Northport-East Northport Continuing Education Program

Students of Kristine Bosworth and Pat Friedman exhibit their works.

### East Northport Display Case:


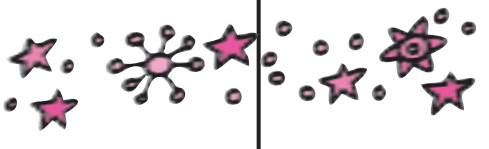
#### Original Card Designs

#### by Joan O'Sullivan Lengyel

Artist Joan O'Sullivan Lengyel's original card designs include lighthouses, historical buildings, flowers, Celtic patterns, and house portraits.

Northport Floral Arrangement courtesy of Flower Basket.

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Sun.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 25%;">  <p><b>A Toast to Winnie-the-Pooh</b> Toast the 75th Anniversary of Winnie-the-Pooh with one of our special Pooh beverages. Try a Tigger Tea, Piglet's Punch, or Eeyore's Energizer! Bring this coupon with you for 10% off a Winnie-the-Pooh beverage and a raffle ticket for a Pooh bear.</p> <p><small>Available December 1 through December 30, 2001</small></p> </div> <div style="width: 45%; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Question of the Week @ the Library Cafe Do you enjoy a challenge? Each week there will be a question posted at the Library Cafe. The answer may be found @ your Library. Your solution will entitle you to take part in a drawing for a free beverage. Come to the cafe to take our challenge and solve it @ the Library!</p> </div> <div style="width: 25%;"> <p>1 Tickets available for Momentum on 12/16 Registration begins at Northport for Computer First Grade for Adults on 12/3 Registration begins at East Northport for Computer First Grade for Adults on 12/13 Applications available for Defensive Driving on 12/18 &amp; 12/20 Registration begins at Northport for Winnie-the-Pooh Party on 12/15</p> </div> </div>						
2 *Sunday Family Special: "Oliver" (N) 2 pm	3 *On My Own (N) 9:30 am & 10:30 am *Computer First Grade for Adults (N) 10 am *Fours and More (N) 1:30 pm *Tales for Two (EN) 1:30 pm Neighborhood Nursery School Night (N) 7 pm *Reading, Writing, and the ELA (EN) 7:30 pm	4 *Book-A-Trip to Radio City Music Hall departs 8:30 am *Taproot Workshop (EN) 1 pm Pajama Storytime (EN) 7 pm *Book & Sandwich (Wrap) (N) 7 pm	5 Blood Pressure Check (N) 9:30-10:30 am (EN) 11 am-12 noon *Tales for Two (N) 9:30 am & 10:30 am *Story Parade (N) 4 pm	6 Registration begins at Northport for Fellowship of the Ring Drawing Workshop on 12/27 *Parent / Child Discovery Time (N) 9:30 am & 10:45 am *Book & Sandwich (Wrap) (EN) 1 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm NETWALK User Group (N) 7:30 pm	7 *Parent / Child Workshop (EN) 9:30 am & 10:45 am *Fours and More (N) 10 am *Novel Ideas (N) 1 pm *Fours and More (EN) 1:30 pm Knitters' Circle (N) 7 pm	8 Gallery Talk with Richard Blazej (N) 10 am *Winnie-the-Pooh Family Tree (EN) 10 am & 11 am
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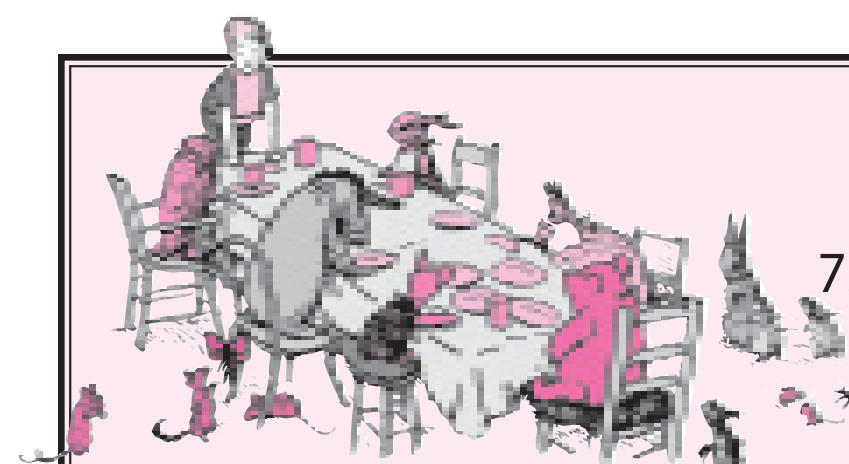
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- 6 - *Italic type indicates Children's Programs.*

\*Pre-registration or tickets required for this program. Occupancy of our meeting room is limited.

Enrollment in our programs is limited, with preference given to library card holders. Tickets limited to 2 per patron on the first day of registration.

The Northport-East Northport Public Library encourages all patrons to participate in programs and activities. Please let us know in advance if you require any special accommodations because of a disability.

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In Celebration  
of the  
75th Anniversary of Winnie-the-Pooh

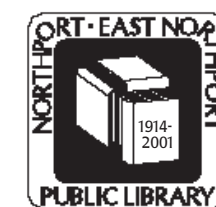
You Are Invited  
to our  
Winnie-the-Pooh Party  
on Saturday,  
December 15, 2001  
10:30 a.m.  
at the  
Northport Library

Join us for  
stories, crafts, games,  
a 100-Aker-Wood-sized birthday cake,  
and a visit from a very special bear!  
Please register beginning December 1.

Best known today for his Winnie-the-Pooh books, A.A. Milne (1882-1956) began his career writing humorous essays for the British magazine *Punch*. After a stint in the British army during World War I, Milne turned to play-writing as well. Milne wrote *When We Were Very Young*, a book of verse for children, in 1924 as a break between writing plays. The book was well received and a *New York Herald Tribune* book review called it "the very music of childhood." Pooh was inspired by a teddy bear belonging to Milne's son, Christopher. Milne implied that some poems were based on his son's activities, but others were drawn from memories of his own childhood. Milne then wrote two books of short stories, *Winnie-the-Pooh* (1926) and *The House at Pooh Corner* (1928) as well as another book of verse, *Now We Are Six* (1927). Ernest H. Shepard whimsically illustrated all four books.

Perennial favorites of children and adults throughout the world, the Pooh books have been translated into more than twenty-five languages. This year marks the 75th anniversary of the book *Winnie-the-Pooh*.

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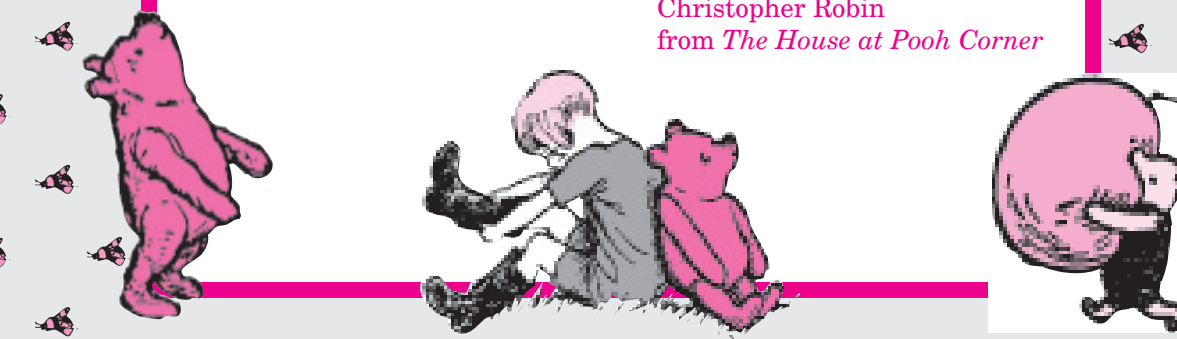
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“Pooh, promise  
you won't forget  
about me, ever.  
Not even when  
I'm a hundred.”

Christopher Robin  
from *The House at Pooh Corner*



*In this time of remembering those who mean so much to us, the Library Board and Staff wish our community a season of hope and promise.*

