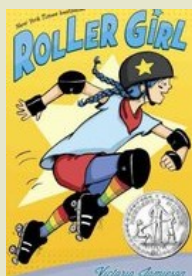


# YOUTH FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

V I N I T A P U B L I C L I B R A R Y



Roller Girl  
By Victoria  
Jamieson

Roller Girl is one of the books on the 2018 Sequoyah Master list that is available for check out at the Vinita Public Library

## VOTING BEGINS FOR SEQUOYAH AWARDS

The Oklahoma Library Association announces the 2018 Sequoyah Book Awards competition. It's time for young Oklahomans to start their annual reading adventure! Children must read or listen to at least 3 books from the nominees on their master list to be eligible to vote. The Children's list is for readers grades 2-5. The Intermediate list is for students in grades 6-8. This program is open to all Oklahoma Schools and Public Li-

braries. You may pick up your 2018 Master lists from the Vinita Public Library to get started. The books

listed on book master lists are available for checkout.



Oklahoma Library Association  
Sequoyah Book Awards

THE LIBRARY  
WILL BE  
CLOSED ON  
MONDAY  
JANUARY 15TH  
FOR MARTIN  
LUTHER KING  
DAY



## CELEBRATE WINNIE THE POOH DAY!

Winnie the Pooh Day, always January 18th, is an opportunity to enjoy your favorite bear and all of his friends. This day was created to celebrate the birth of A.A .Milne in 1882. He was an author of children's story books, and created Winnie the Pooh and his friends. Winnie's

pals include Christopher Robin, Tigger, Eeyore, Piglet, and Roo.

Celebrate Winnie the Pooh Day by reading some storybooks about the adventures of Winnie and his friends.





# WHAT'S NEW . . . . .

## Books

**I am Gandhi** by Brad Meltzer

**The Wild Bakery** by Rebecca Elliott

**Ink and Bone** by Rachel Caine

**A Step Toward Falling** by Cammie McGovern

**Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot vs the Mutant Mosquitoes from Mercury** by Dav Pilkey

**Bad Kitty Does Not Like Snow**  
by Nick Bruel

**Raid of No Return** by Nathan Hale

## DVDs

**Diary of a Wimpy Kid—The Long Haul**

**Kung Fu Panda 3**

**Lego DC Comics—Justice League vs. Bizarro League**

**Princess Protection Program**

**Scooby-Doo! 13 Spooky Tales!**

**Smurfs Lost Village**



## CHECK IT OUT!



### Stella by Starlight

By Sharon M. Draper  
When the Ku Klux Klan's unwelcome reappearance rattles Stella's segregated southern town, bravery battles prejudice in this *New*

*York Times* bestselling Depression-era "novel that soars" (*The New York Times Book Review*) that *School Library Journal* called "storytelling at its finest" in a starred review.

Stella lives in the segregated South—in Bumblebee, North Carolina, to be exact about it. Some stores she can go into. Some stores she can't. Some folks are right pleasant. Others are a lot less so. To Stella, it sort of evens out, and heck, the Klan hasn't

bothered them for years. But one late night, later than she should ever be up, much less wandering around outside, Stella and her little brother see something they're never supposed to see, something that is the first flicker of change to come, unwelcome change by any stretch of the imagination. As Stella's community—her world—is upended, she decides to fight fire with fire. And she learns that ashes don't necessarily signify an end.

*"Nine robed figures dressed all in white. Heads covered with softly pointed hoods. Against the black of night, a single wooden cross blazed. Reflections of peppery-red flames simmered across the otherwise dark surface of Kilkenny pond."*

