# **SCHEDULES FOR CLAIRE'S DAY**



9:00am **Opening Ceremony** 

Meet all of our special guests and the Rubini Family

9:30am to 5:00pm C.A.R.E. Awards

Honoring 1050 children with awards for Reading Excellence

## **AUTHORS AND ILLUSTRATORS**

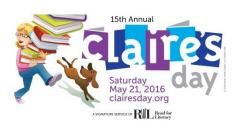
Our award winning line-up of authors and illustrators will be with us for special appearances as Claire's Day. Each will present at the following times in our Author Tent (in between their presentations they are available to autograph books and to meet with all of our festival guests. (Bios are attached)

9:30 - 9:55	Shannon Anderson
9:55 - 10:20	Denise Fleming
10:20 - 10:45	Philana Marie Boles
10:45 - 11:10	Bryan Chick
11:10 - 11:35	Karen and Darrin Brege
11:35 - 12:00	Denise Brennan Nelson
12:00 - 12:25	Kyle Prue
12:50 - 1:15	Julie Rubini
1:15 - 1:40	Merrill Rainey
1:40 - 2:05	Janette Rallison
2:05 - 2:30	Mary Ann Riehl
2:30 – 2:55	Louise Borden
2:55 – 3:20	Ruth McNally Barshaw
3:20 - 3:55	Kelsey Timmerman

#### **CELEBRITY READERS**

This line-up includes some of Northwest Ohio's brightest stars! Come here them share their stories and love of literacy!

10:00 am	Brandon Loboschefski, Maumee Fire Chief
11:00 am	Tom Cole, BCSN Sports Reporter and local Author
11:30 am	The Winter Sisters, Laurel's Princess Parties (Singing, reading and dance)
1:00 pm	Sanaa Orra, 13ABC
2:00 pm	Christine Senack, Girl in the Glass City (Reading, yoga & more)
3:00 pm	Abby Davis, Miss Teen Ohio International



### Claire's Day Writing Tent presented by The Blade

Students (primarily teens) will be in attendance to distribute their own journal of writings and participate in various workshops related to writing and storytelling! All students 13-18 are encouraged to join us for this amazing day of literacy.

10:00 am - 11:00 am Edith Cohen and Kelly Thompson, editors of Khroma, What it takes to become a writer.

11:30 am - 12:30 pm Presentation of 2016 Claire's Day Teen Literary Journal with readings by student authors

1:00 - 2:00 pm Jonie McIntire, poetry editor and author; poetry workshop with special guests

3:00 - 4:00 pm Laura Schetter, founder of H2yOu Project, environmentally themed storytelling

#### **CREATION STATION goes green**

Thanks to a generous donation from First Solar, Mark Feldstein & Associates and The Toledo Community Foundation we have expanded the hands-on Creation Station area to include some amazing guest appearances and learning village. Students and their families will journey through each station to experience reading, science and math! FREE craft areas, books and take home activities will be available for each child.

#### FEATURED THIS YEAR ARE:

- · Maumee Garden Club with gardening for everyone! Take home your own potted flower.
- · Hands-On Crafts of hats, masks and more! Enjoy being your own artist!
- · <u>SOOPER YOOPER</u>, Mark Newman, Author of "Environmental Defenders" and Artist Mark Heckman and joined forces to tell the story of Billy Cooper, an environmental superhero who does everything in his power to safeguard the Great Lakes from his headquarters in Michigan's Upper Peninsula. Meet Mark Newman and learn all about Green Algae & more.
- · The Toledo Zoo presents Animals Fur & More
- · COSTCO presenting Puzzles of Color
- · Toledo Museum of Art presenting Visual Art & Literacy
- · Wildwood Environmental Academy presenting Animal Characteristics
- · Toledo Area Metroparks presenting The Wildlife Cart
- · TLCPL Ready to Read Van with hands on activities including All about Construction
- · WGTE Literacy Van hands-on Literacy and Super Why?
- · Girl in the Glass City, Yark Automotive Group; An Electric Cars & GPS Experience
- United HealthCare Partners & Toledo UAW Local 12 Jeep Unit: Have your Passport stamped and return it for Books! Books!