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# CHILDREN'S BOOK FESTIVAL



# March 19-20, 1981

## 14th Annual Children's Book Festival March 19-20, 1981 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI

## Program

#### Thursday, March 19, 1981

8:30- 9:30 **Registration – Book Sales** Performing Arts Center

9:30-10:30 First General Session Performing Arts Center Presiding: Jeannine Laughlin Welcome: Dr. Aubrey K. Lucas, President University of Southern Mississippi Introduction of Guests: Dr. Onva K. Boshears, Jr. Speaker: Virginia Hamilton

- 10:45-11:45 Second General Session Performing Arts Center Speaker: Richard Peck
- 12:00- 1:15 **Luncheon** Commons Banquet Room Speaker: Lee Ames

1:30- 4:00 Exhibits McCain Library—4th Floor Children's Films—"Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry" and "The Sky Is Gray" Stout Hall—Room A

1:30- 3:30 Autograph Party McCain Executive Conference Room 211 and Performing Arts Center Lobby

#### Banquet Commons Banquet Room Presentation of the University of Southern Mississippi Medallion to Maurice Sendak

#### Friday, March 20, 1981

7:00

- 8:30- 9:15 Late Registration Book Sales Performing Arts Center
- 9:15-10:00 Third General Session Performing Arts Center Conversation with Maurice Sendak Question and Answer Period

#### 10:15-11:15 Autograph Party

Performing Arts Center **Exhibits** McCain Library—4th Floor **Children's Films** Marsh Auditorium **Newbery Awards** – Discussion Group Cook Library—Room 201B Leader: Dr. Carolyn Baggett University of Mississippi

Caldecott Awards – Discussion Group Cook Library – Room 202 Leader: Margaret Gunn Delta State University

11:30-12:30 Fourth General Session Performing Arts Center Speaker: Virginia Hamilton

12:30- 1:30 **Luncheon** Commons Banquet Hall Speaker: Richard Peck

1:30- 4:00 Children's Films Stout Hall Exhibits McCain Library—4th Floor

1:45- 2:45 Newbery Awards – Discussion Group (Repeat of morning session) Cook Library—Room 201B Caldecott Awards – Discussion Group (Repeat of morning session) Cook Library—Room 202

NOTE: Books and facsimiles of previous festival medallions will be on sale in the lobby of the Performing Arts Center from 8:30 to 4:30 on Thursday and from 8:30 to 2:00 on Friday.

1981 medallions will be on sale following the Thursday night banquet and on Friday.

## **Program Committee**

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