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## **~ Media Advisory ~**

### **SUMMER BOOK CLUB FOR KIDS AT THE SPRINGFIELD LIBRARY**

*Kids will discuss OBOB 2012 books in this free program.*

Students entering grades 3-5 may join the summer OBOB Book Club at the Springfield Public Library. Each meeting will focus on a different book from the 2012 Oregon Battle of the Books list for elementary students. Springfield school district librarian and seasoned OBOB coach, Susan Mondon, will guide the discussions. The first club meeting will be Thursday, June 30, 2-3 pm., and will focus on *11 Birthdays* by Wendy Mass. Students should read the book before the meeting in order to be ready to discuss it.

Registration is required and is available at the Youth Services Desk. The book club is part of the library's Summer Reading program. It is free and sponsored by the Springfield Library Foundation.

Complete information about the Summer Reading program is available at the library, or at [wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html](http://wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html).

**What:** OBOB Book Club for Kids

**When:** The first meeting is Thursday, June 30, 2-3 pm.

The rest of the meetings are:

Thursday, July 14, 2-3 pm

Thursday, July 28, 2-3 pm

Thursday, August 11, 2-3 pm

Thursday, August 25, 2-3 pm

**Where:** Springfield Public Library Meeting Room

**Additional Information:** [wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html](http://wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html), or contact Barbara Thompson at (541) 726-3766