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### **Four North Boone Schools Receive Grants for Books**

Four schools in the North Boone CUSD #200 will be receiving sets of books for statewide literature student choice awards. Students will be able to read the books and vote for their favorite titles next spring. The schools that were chosen for the awards are North Boone High School—Abraham Lincoln Book Award; North Boone Middle School—Rebecca Caudill Book Award; Manchester Elementary School—Bluestem Book Award ; and Poplar Grove Elementary School—Monarch Book Award. These schools were selected from over 350 applicants throughout the state.

The grants are sponsored by the Illinois School Library Media Association. The complete list of book titles is available at the ISLMA website under the section on Book Awards. [www.islma.org](http://www.islma.org).

Students wishing to get a head start on reading these award books may stop into the Poplar Grove (9 a.m. to noon) and Upper Elementary Libraries(5 p.m. to 8 p.m.) on August 2<sup>nd</sup> or at Capron on August 3<sup>rd</sup> from 9 a.m. to noon for the last week of summer library hours. In addition to literature, the libraries will be serving up light refreshments to celebrate the end of the summer.

North Boone Community Unit School District 200 serves approximately 1800 students in pre-school through high school in the Villages of Caledonia, Capron and Poplar Grove as well as the northern tier of unincorporated Boone County, Illinois. For more information visit the NBCUSD website at [www.nbcusd.org](http://www.nbcusd.org) or contact the district office at 815-765-3322.

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