

THIRD ANNUAL

# ALASKA BOOK FESTIVAL

## Children's

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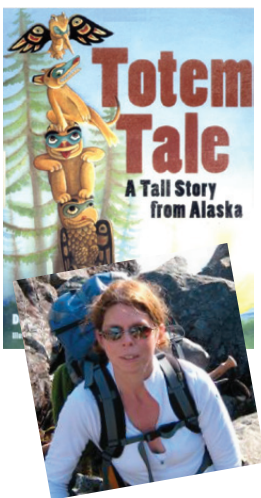
## Events

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*For ages 12 and under*

### Friday, June 12

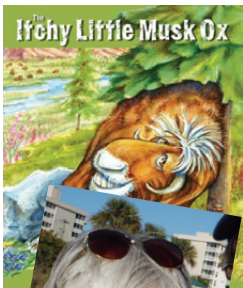
### Saturday, June 13



### Of Totems and Musk Ox: Storytime for Kids with Deb Vanasse and Tricia Brown

9:30-10:30 a.m.  
Open Arms Child Development Center, 2980 Davis Road  
(open to the public)

Deb Vanasse will read from *A Totem Tale: A Tall Story from Alaska*, about the night totem poles sprang to life, and Tricia Brown will read from *The Itchy Little Musk Ox*, a 2007-08 Battle of the Books selection.



### Christmas in June with Kotzebue the Caribou

2:30-3:30 p.m.  
Pioneer Park Theatre

With Tricia Brown, the author of *Alaskan Night Before Christmas*, the story of a vain and selfish caribou.



### Bannock Baking and Outdoor Survival for Kids

10:30-noon or 2-3:30 p.m.  
Pioneer Park Square Dance Picnic Shelter

Kids will bake bannocks over hot coals and learn outdoor survival. For kids ages 5 and older and a parent. Call UAF Summer Sessions at 474-7021 to register. Limited to 15 child/parent pairs. Hosted by UAF Cooperative Extension and Alaska Sea Grant

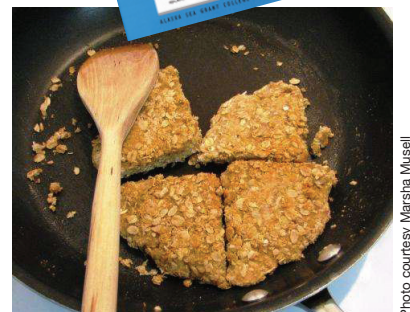


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### What's a Shrew to You?

12:30-1:30 p.m.  
Civic Center Blue Room

Author Mary Shields and singer/songwriter Susan Grace will present Mary's rhyming children's book, *What's a Shrew to You?* Recommended for preschoolers to third graders. Please call UAF Summer Sessions at 474-7021 to register. Limit 30 children with parent.



Info at 474-7021, toll-free 866-404-7021, or [www.uaf.edu/bookfestival/](http://www.uaf.edu/bookfestival/)

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