

Join the Rock River Reading Council to learn more about  
Capture the Reader, Mentor the Writer



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**Presented by Mary Lou Harris-Manske:** Independent Literacy Consultant, previous Reading Coordinator for the Stevens Point School District and adjunct professor for University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point, and owner of Book Look at its new location in Plover, Wisconsin.

**Topic summary:** Reading and writing are much more than just subjects in school. Reading and writing are a way of being in the world. We want to support our students on their journey of developing “readerly” and “writerly” lives. To spark that interest, we must have books that capture their hearts and minds. Books that students want to read written by authors they love. Lisa Cleveland suggests looking at mentor texts through the lens of a mentor author, the person behind the writing. It is that particular author that kept us reading and that particular author whose craft we want to imitate in our own writing. This presentation will feature books that capture the reader and the mentor the writer. The Book Look will have their beautiful collection of books to purchase before and after the presentation!

**Tuesday, April 2, 2019**  
Radisson Hotel & Convention Center  
625 W. Rolling Meadows Drive  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

**4:30 - Registration, Socialization, & BOOK SALES by Book Look**  
**4:30-6:00 p.m. Dinner/Socializing at Benvenuto's**  
**6:00-6:15 p.m. Announcements**  
**6:15-7:30 p.m. Mary Lou Harris-Manske: Capture the Reader, Mentor the Writer**  
**Additional Book Sales by Book Look from 7:30 to 8 p.m.**

*Dinner will be at Benvenuto's - You will order from the menu individually and simply pay RRRC for your order that evening as we will have a tab at Benvenuto's for RRRC. ENJOY!*

**\*Please click here to register:** [www.wsra.org/RRRC-April2019](http://www.wsra.org/RRRC-April2019)

If you have any questions, please email **Julie Wahl @ juliewahl1220@hotmail.com**

**\*Rock River Reading Council Membership fee** (allows attendance at all 2018-19 meetings/programs): **\$15**

**\*Rock River Reading Council Student Membership fee** (allows attendance at all 2018-19 meetings/programs): **\$5**

**\*DUE DATE: Please register for this presentation by Thursday, March 28, 2019**

**\*We are doing our PB & J (Providing Books and Jammies) service project for children in need. Please bring a gift bag or two with a book and newborn sized pajama or sleeper in each! If you don't have time to shop, there will be a pink piggy bank that will be passed around for donations. Our treasurer, Rose Everett, will shop for books and pajamas!**