



Books *to* Treasure

**Tulsa Celebrates National Children's Book Week
Nov. 15-16, 2007**

Born and raised in Tulsa, children's author and illustrator Floyd Cooper is coming home! The Tulsa City-County Library will host events with the artist and launch a publicity campaign encouraging families to read aloud and promoting the beauty of children's literature. All second-graders in Tulsa County will receive a copy of "I Have Heard of a Land" courtesy of the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation.

Events scheduled prior to Nov. 15 and 16:

Books to Treasure teacher workshops will be held at Fulton Learning Center from 3:30-4:45 p.m. for elementary librarians and second-grade teachers in Tulsa County on the following dates:

- Tuesday, Sept. 18, Tuesday, Sept. 25, Wednesday, Sept. 26
- During the fall, Tulsa City-County librarians will conduct library card signups for second-graders in Tulsa County schools. The library card features an illustration by Floyd Cooper.

Scheduled event for Thursday, Nov. 15:

Thursday morning, Cooper will visit Peary Elementary second-graders from 9:30-10:30 a.m. The Tulsa Public Schools will televise his presentation to classrooms and the public on Channel 20.

Thursday afternoon, Cooper will speak to Wilson Elementary second-graders from 1-2 p.m. in Collinsville.

Scheduled events for Friday, Nov. 16:

Cooper will visit students at Saints Peter and Paul School from 10-11 a.m.

Cooper will speak at Hardesty Regional Library at 7 p.m. in the Redbud Auditorium. The talk is free and open to the public. A book signing will follow.