**Book Choices**

**2016-2017**

**Bible/Morning Meetings:**

Bible/ Klubhouse curriculum

Gladys Aylward biography

The Children’s Book of Virtues

The Children’s Book of Heroes Thriftbook

Freedom Fighter: The Story of William Wilberforce Thriftbook

Just the Way You Are by Max Lucado

Listening for Lions by Gloria Whelan Thriftbooks

**Biographies:**

Child of the Silent Night: The Story of Laura Bridgman (gr 1-4) Thriftbooks

The Librarian Who Measured the Earth (3-up) by Kathryn Lasky Thriftbooks

Florence Nightingale by David and Patricia Armentrout (1-3)

Katherine Paterson by Alice Cary (4-8) maybe

**History/Geography:**

The Beast of Lor by Robert Clyde Bulla (1-4) Thriftbooks

Passage to Freedom: The Sugihara Story by Ken Mochizuki (1-up) Thriftbooks

The Buffalo Knife by William Steele (4-up) Thriftbooks

Orphan Train Rider: One Boy’s True Story by Andrea Warren (4-7) Thriftbooks

**Language:**

The Day Eddie Met the Author by Louise Borden Thriftbooks

**Literature Level I:**

**Fables/Folk Tales and Fairy Tales:**

Hans Andersen: His Classic Fairy Tales (1-up)

The Truthful Harp by Lloyd Alexander (k-2) \*out of print, check libraries library

I like the Way you Are by Eve Bunting (k-4) library

The Reluctant Dragon by Kenneth Grahame (2-up) library

The Most Wonderful Doll in the World by Phyllis McGinley (2-up) thriftbooks

**Literature Level II:**

The Snow Queen by Hans Christian Andersen (3-6) library

Stolen Thunder by Shirley Climo (1-5) Thriftbooks

Mysterious Miss Slade by Dick King-Smith (3-5) library

You’ve Got a Friend by Joni Eareckson Tada (1-5) out of stock and not at library

Balto and the Great Race by Elizabeth Kimmel (3-6) library

**Austin:**

The Great and Terrible Quest

The Bronze Bow library

Mystery of the Roman Ransom Thriftbooks

Black Horses for the King library

Son of Charlemagne out of stock

A Proud Taste for Scarlet and Miniver (maybe not)

Adam of the Road

Holes

Island of the Blue Dolphin have it

Bridge to Terabithia have it

Number the Stars have it

Hatchet

Tuck Everlasting

A Wrinkle in Time

Maniac Magee

The Mysterious Benedict Society

The Castle Diary: The Journal of Tobias Burgess Thriftbooks

Shakespeare Stealer

Corrie Ten Boom: The Watchmaker’s daughter

**Ava:**

Clara and the Bookwagon Thriftbooks

The Long Way to a New Land

The Long Way Westward

Prairie School\* Thriftbook

Keep the Lights burning Abbie Thriftbook

3rd grade Detectives #1 & #2, #3

Paint Brush Kid Thriftbooks

Tippy Lemmey Thriftbooks

Tornado Thriftbooks

Jake Drake: Bully Buster

Secret Valley Thriftbooks

The House on Walenska Street

The Littles

The Last Little Cat

Riding the Pony Express Thriftbooks

The Viking Adventure

Little House books

Ramona’s World Thriftbooks

MTH series

Nancy Drew: Sleepover Sleuth

**Read alouds:**

Ministrel in the Tower Thriftbooks

Captain Nobody Thriftbooks

The Adventures of Sir Lancelot the Great Thriftbooks

Peter the Great Thriftbooks

Men of Iron by Howard Pyle

**Cycle 2: other related books**

St. George and the Dragon by Margaret Hodges

Dragons: Legends and Lore of Dinosaurs by Laura Welch

Peter the Great by Diane Stanley

The Sea of Tranquility by Mark Haddon

Corrie Ten Boom: Shining in the Darkness by Renee Meloche

Corrie Ten Boom: the Watchmaker’s daughter by Jean Watson

Linnea in Monet’s garden by Cristina Bjork

Why Beethoven threw the stew by Steven Isserlis

You Wouldn’t Want to be a Crusader

The Door in the Wall

Good Masters! Sweet Ladies!

Favorite Medieval Tales by Mary Pope Osborne

Robin Hood by Paul Creswick

Monday with a Mad Genius by Mary Pope Osborne