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Press Release

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Fresno County Public Library to Receive Jane Addams Children's Book Award

Fresno County Public Library (FCPL) has been chosen to receive a special selection of books from the 2015 Jane Addams Children's Book Award collection. The Fresno branch of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom will donate the books to the Betty Rodriguez Regional Library on Wednesday, May 11, at 3:30 PM.

The Jane Addams Peace Association was founded in 1948 "to foster a better understanding between the people of the world." Since 1953, the organization has annually honored outstanding children's books promoting peace, justice and equality.

This will be the fourth and final donation for the year to FCPL. In all, four branches were chosen to receive this donation. The branches are the West Fresno Branch, the Gillis Branch, the Central Library and the Betty Rodriguez Regional Library. The collection will be made available to the public.

For more information about Library programs, services, and specific branch hours, please go to www.fresnolibrary.org or call the Library at (559) 600 – READ (7323).

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