

WOW! Something *NEW* this summer with our annual Battle of the Books competition!

- One Regular Battle with 4th, 5th, 6th graders on Tuesday July 20th
- One Parent / Child Battle on Tuesday August 3rd

You can do in both....take this sheet home today!

The regular Battle of the Books is a reading competition for 4th, 5th and 6th graders (this fall) and is part of the 2010 summer reading program at the Richland Library. 4 teams of 6 kids each answer questions about the assigned book, eat junk food and earn prizes! Kids can pick what team they're on and the cost for this "battle" is \$6.00 which will include the book....

Socks by Beverly Cleary ...156 pages...Tuesday July 20th 1:00 – 2:30

Told from the cat's point of view, the happy home life of Socks the cat, is disrupted by the addition of a new, furless, wrinkled "creature" named Charles William!

The Parent / Child Battle of the Books is something new this summer! Parent and Child will work together as a team, answer questions and enjoy a simple dinner! The cost of this battle is \$12.00 for both which will include dinner, the book and prizes!

For ages 3rd grade (this fall) through 5th grade....

The Cricket in Time Square...144 pages...Tuesday August 3rd 5:00 – 6:30

This family favorite tells of the adventures of Chester, a country cricket who unintentionally arrives in New York and is befriended by Tucker Mouse, Harry Cat and their human friend Mario.

Registration begins for our summer "Battles" after Memorial Day. Call the library at **629-9085 Ext 208** to sign up for a team or get more information from Children's Librarian Mrs. Mary Jasiak.

Both books will be available back in Mrs. Jasiak's office after Memorial Day. Ask someone sitting at the lower level circulation desk. You NEED to start reading those books TODAY!

Let the Battles Begin!

