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Pima County Public Library, performing group team up to promote young storywriters with Stories that Soar!

Pima County Public Library and the Stories that Soar! performance troupe are looking for a few good stories from young writers that can be turned into performances.

Stories that Soar! is open to writers between five and 18 years old. Young writers can get help with putting their stories on paper, but the ideas have to come from the youngsters. Stories can be written on any topic, in any language and using any style, such as poetry, fiction or nonfiction.

Once a young author has finished his or her masterpiece, the stories can be turned in at the "hungry" Magic Box at libraries; can be submitted online at the Stories that Soar! webpage at <http://www.storiesthatsoar.org/signIn.php>; or can be mailed to Gina Macaluso, Joel D. Valdez Main Library, 101 N. Stone Ave, Tucson, AZ, 85701.

Stories must be submitted by end of business on June 30.

Stories That Soar! is a literacy and performing arts program which merges the talents of professional adult performers and children's original stories to create theatre productions for schools and community events.

Members of the Stories that Soar! ensemble will read through all of the stories and select 20 that the group will present through some performance medium, such as drama, comedy, dance or music. Once a show is developed, Stories that Soar! will tour several libraries to offer performances.

Here is entry information:

There is no limit to the number of stories submitted.

Stories will not be returned, but if stories are submitted online at the Stories that Soar! website, copies will be saved on each person's online account.

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Hardcopy stories can include pictures.

All stories have a word limit of 500 words.

No plagerism!

Personal information needed to submit stories is gathered so that authors can be contacted, the information will not be shared with other organizations.

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