

****2017 - 2018****

PEP RALLY FOR READING

The most
**INFORMATIVE, IMAGINATIVE
& INSPIRATIONAL**

(K-Gr6) author visit/literary enrichment performance
your students' will ever experience



****...A CELEBRATION OF LITERACY...***

Author/Illustrator/Storyteller - Joe Shandrowski

No Lectures - No PowerPoint - No Overhead Projections

Making a Difference: This edge-of-your-seat author visit/literary enrichment experience is specifically designed for those schools that are looking for a more innovative and creative approach

- The Most Age Appropriate (K-Gr6) Experience - GUARANTEED!
- Over 500 Author Visits/Literary Enrichment Performances
- Author/Illustrator - Popular "Wonder Series" & Chapter Books (Adventure)
- Pep Rally Packet (Preparation): The classrooms/children create reading mascots and slogans
- "WOW" Experience: The typical assembly style setting is transformed into a live theater experience

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Kindergarten - Grade Two

AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR VISIT - INTERACTIVE STORYTELLING The most age appropriate K-2 experience available - Guaranteed!

"Your children will leave the performance more excited about reading than they have ever been in their lives...guaranteed!"

1. Why reading is important (*inspire imagination & improve comprehension skills*)
2. Connection between reading, writing & imagination:
How an IDEA comes to life - Cartoon Illustrating
3. Visual insight into the world of an author/illustrator

...PLUS...

"YOUR CHILDREN BECOME THE SHOW"



"Reading is out of this world!"

"Edge-of-your-seat" Storytelling - Rock the roof off your school!

Spectacular light show, 3D stage, freeze dancing, poster size visuals, palm trees, book of wonder, Huga Tuga music, cartoon illustrating, amazing sound effects, treasure chest of imagination, book signing and more...

PLUS: What's inside the TREASURE CHEST OF IMAGINATION?
The secret will be revealed.

Grade Three - Grade Six

AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR VISIT - DEVELOPING IDEAS

The most age appropriate Grade 3-6 experience available - Guaranteed!

If you want to be a good writer - You must be a determined reader

"Your children will leave the performance with a better understanding of why reading is the key to creative, interesting and effective writing (problem solving)."

Developing Ideas

Opening: Spectacular Light Show - Inspiring Imaginations

The children will help draw a cartoon style illustration

1. How a page in a book comes to life (amazing visual aids: beginning, middle & end - editing/mistakes, illustrating steps, depth & detail...)
2. Developing Ideas: Reading inspires ideas & teaches you how to develop those ideas - creative, interesting & effective writing (fiction & non-fiction)
3. Plus: A glimpse into the writing and editing of my new book - DRAKIA

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OVER 250 REFERENCES (THE PAST THREE YEARS)

"Please accept Hebron Elementary School's sincere gratitude for an exceptional program. So many students and teachers gave rave reviews!" **Amy Campbell, Principal, Hebron School, Hebron CT**

"On March 9th, we had a fabulous cultural arts program. Author and storyteller, Joe Shandrowski, visited our school and shared his talents with us. We had a pep rally for reading. The children were active participants throughout his program and kept them engaged," **Mrs. Blasiak & Mrs. Kulmann, Teachers, Burr School, Higganum, CT**

"On Tuesday morning we attended our kick off assembly for PARP, called Huga Tuga. The author that visited us, Joe Shandrowski, sure did get us excited about reading!!!" **Mrs. Pisani, Gr4, Moreau School, S. Glens Falls, NY**

"Thank you for your great performance this morning! The early show for the K-2 group kept the group mesmerized for the entire performance. They interacted, danced, laughed and really enjoyed the book, props and you! The later show for grades 3-5 engaged the kids (and adults) and was interesting, informative and educational. You have quite a gift to share and may have inspired some future authors and illustrators. I will highly recommend and endorse this show to other PTA's in Middletown. Please feel free to use Wesley as a reference. Thank you for a great experience for our kids!"
Phrances Szewczyk, Wesley School, Middletown, CT

"The teachers raved about this. So much better than the typical author visit," **Ruth Regan, LMS, Cottle School, Tuckahoe, NY**

"Mr. Shandrowski was unlike any other author that has visited our school. Instead of merely talking about his craft lecture-style, he had a set with lights, music, and special effects to hold the students' interest. He adjusted his program for all students, thus both challenging and entertaining students from Kindergarten up to fifth grade. The students and teachers loved his program not only for his message to use your imagination, but also for the creativity and "magic" that he used to entertain and engage. I highly recommend the program to every school," **Joanna Teodosio, Teacher/Cultural Arts Director, Calf Pen School - Milford CT**

"I loved the grade 3 & 4 performance. It was absolutely perfect," **Rachel Weiss, Assistant Principal, Jeffrey School, Madison, CT**

"What a performance! I'm so happy. I have been scheduling enrichment programs for years. Huga Tuga Reading Rocks Live was everything I ever hoped for but never thought I would ever find," **Tracy DeCosta, PTO, Ryerson School, Madison, CT**

"The best performance we have EVER had at our school. The children were absolutely mesmerized! If reading is a priority at your school Huga Tuga Reading Rocks Live should be mandatory," **Alison Dougherty, LMS, Stevens School, Cromwell, CT**

"The Huga Tuga performing arts event was integrated with a unique literacy experience that entertained as well as educated our appreciative Connetquot audience," **Deborah Smith, Principal, Connetquot School, NY**

"The children enjoyed watching a wonderful assembly," Huga Tuga Live!" **Joe Shandrowski, an author performed for our school and inspired the children's imagination through reading,"** **Mrs. Pagliocca/Mrs. Nass, K, Doyle School, Wood-Ridge, NJ**