

Dear Educators, Librarians, Reading Specialists, and Book Lovers Greetings from the Lucky Foot Stable Series!

Visit www.luckyfootseries.com to learn more about this exciting series for middle readers (ages 8-12.) *Lady's Big Surprise*, *Star of Wonder*, *A Star Discovered* and *Mary & Jody in the Movies* are the recipients of **four national book awards!**

The series has been featured as a **Borders Summer Reading** choice and has been awarded the National **Mom's Choice Award** and the **IPPY Gold Award** for juvenile fiction, along with ForeWord Magazine's **Book of the Year** and a **Benjamin Franklin finalist**.

Author JoAnn S. Dawson, a **professional actress, stable owner, innkeeper, wrangler, and educator** in Maryland, offers an author visit to your school which includes:

- PowerPoint presentation
- Speaking to the children about her variety of life experiences
- The writing process an author goes through
- Writing tips
- A short reading from the books
- Q & A period
- A visit with Butterscotch, a pony from JoAnn's stable!

JoAnn would love the opportunity to visit your school. Her dynamic presentation is tailored to suit a variety of ages (normally 2nd-7th grade.) Students are very receptive to the presentation and ask some thought provoking questions. Lucy Rosen, reading specialist at Avon Grove Intermediate School, said the program "**got them very excited about reading and writing, which is sometimes difficult to do.**" The books include a glossary of horse terms, which provides an additional learning experience, and an illustration in each chapter.

The procedure for the visit is as follows:

A notice is sent home with the students prior to the visit which they fill out and bring to school with payment. JoAnn will pick up these forms in advance, sign and personalize the books, then bring them to school the day of the visit. Additional order forms are provided after the program, for those who may have missed the first opportunity. Any post-orders should be collected by the school within a week and sent to JoAnn by mail. She will sign these additional copies and deliver them to the school. If orders total \$300 or more, (typically easily achieved) the visit is completely **FREE**. If not, we ask that the school make up the balance –something that we've rarely had to do!



Don't miss this excellent program!

JoAnn Dawson is a fascinating speaker who never fails to encourage and inspire everyone who hears her presentation. Please visit www.luckyfootseries.com for more info and contact JoAnn at 302-540-1852, 410-658-9677 or jdawson@fairwindsstables.com

