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Presenter/s	Title	Description	Level	Threads
Paula Inman	Bill Martin Award Nominees 201	The Bill Martin, Jr. Picture Book Award committee will present the titles nominated for the 2010 award including ways to use the books in the classroom.	PreK - 3	Literature & Authors
Jan Percial, Rita Shogren & Reading Circle Commissioners	Bucket List Books for 2009	Jan Percival and other Reading Circle Commissioners will talk about their favorite books, so far, for 2009. There will be books for K-12. See what books should be on your library shelf or in the hands of your students.	K-12	Books & Authors, Motivation
Elizabeth Patterson	On the Wings of Words: Bill Martin, Jr.'s Lessons on Literacy Teaching	Although Bill Martin, Jr., a native Kansan, died over five years ago, his professional legacy, believing in literacy teachers and the power of language in the classroom, endures. A careful look at his life history reveals insights into quality literacy teaching in this era of increased standards and accountability.	PreK-3	Fluency, Struggling readers, Literature & Authors, Motivation
Alicia Thomas	WWW: Wonderful Web 2.0 and Wikis	Come to learn about great (free) online tools that you can use in your classroom! We will discuss web tools such as voicethread.com, wordle.net, and wikis and ways to integrate those tools into your literacy program.	K-12	Technology, Motivation, Information literacy

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Lynette Wescott, Karen Cook, Shay Sievert	Reading Through Ancient History	This session will give you ideas and resources to teach reading and social studies through quality resources. We will also address how MTSS can be met by using various resources, activities, and instructional models. Three teachers will share lessons, materials, and experiences to meet the demands of state standards in reading and social studies, while meeting the needs of all learners.	Gr 6-8	Comprehension, Information literacy, Content areas, Struggling readers
Carolyn Carlson, Ph.D	Building the Foundation for Literacy: Activities to Develop the Language Skills of Children	There is a strong link between oral language and literacy skills. Therefore, it is important that children have a strong oral language foundation for literacy skills to be acquired more easily. Session attendees will engage in a discussion about language and literacy and will participate in four activities to develop oral language, helping to create the foundation for literacy.	PreK-3	Vocabulary, Early literacy