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Library invites children to draw out their talents

Calling all young, budding artists? The Tennant Creek library is inviting children to draw a picture of what makes them happy and to write a short story about the picture.

Barkly Regional Council's town library is running the art competition as part of nation-wide activities for Children's Week.

Children's Week, which runs from October 18-26, celebrates the right of children to enjoy childhood. It is also a time for children to demonstrate their talents, skills and abilities.

Forms for the local art competition, to be launched on Wednesday, October 1, are available from the library on Peko Road and entrants have until October 22 to draw a picture, write a story and return the forms.

Library Coordinator Kylie Rose said the winner will be contacted by phone on Friday, October 24. So make sure phone details are included.

Kylie said the prize is two wonderful books, *The Dreadful Fluff* by Aaron Blabey and *Extra Time* by Morris Gleitzman which were both shortlisted for the Kids Reading Oz Choice (KROC) Awards, as well as an ABC for Kids Bumper Collection DVD.

All entries will be put on display in the library.

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