



January 11, 2023

Dear

The Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that supports creators of children's literature. Our regional team (which encompasses all of Georgia, Alabama, and the Florida panhandle) is striving to provide free programming around our region as well as scholarships for traditionally marginalized creators. By lowering or removing the financial barrier to attending conferences, we can offer access to agents, editors and authors--allowing everyone with an important story to tell a chance to hone their craft.

On March 25th, we will be holding our first in-person event in over 3 years. As a part of this event, we will be holding a silent auction specifically to raise funds for free programming and scholarships to future events. Will you consider supporting our mission by donating an item or basket for our silent auction? If you're not the proper person for this inquiry, can you point us in the right direction?

Please reply to this message to share a description of the item(s) and the estimated retail value before March 11th. Please also let us know if you would like a donation receipt for tax purposes. Depending on the number of items we receive, we may group donated items into baskets or other grouping as needed.

A volunteer will arrange to pick up your donation during the week leading up to March 25th.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

*Silent Auction Coordinators
SCBWI Southern Breeze Region*

Thank you for considering donating an item for our silent auction! We would be honored to have your support.