

# THE **BODACIOUS**

## BOOK SHOW II The World Tour

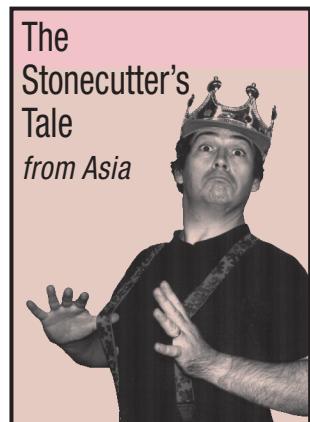
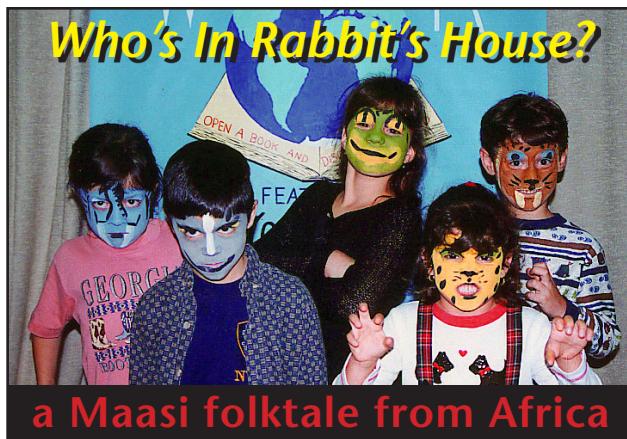


*Open a book and  
discover the world!*

Join Bob Bookmark and Rita Digest  
on an adventurous exploration of  
great books from around the world.

**The Perfect Show for PARP or Any Reading Program**

*Featuring multi-cultural folktales brought to life  
through exciting audience participation.*



*All that PLUS  
the game kids  
love to play:*

The “Have You  
**READ It?**”  
*Game*



Teachers, PTAs and Students agree these shows really motivate kids to read!

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# The Bodacious Book Show Is Back to Tour the World through Books



Students will be excited to hear that The Bodacious Book Show has come back to their school with all their favorite characters in brand new scenes on a tour of the world through books.

The game kids love to play returns as Bob Bookmark & Rita Digest host **The “Have You READ It?” Game Show Travel Edition** — completely involving the audience with questions about books from other countries, adventure tales, and folktales from around the world.

**Beatrice the Bookworm** is here for younger students with a special version of her favorite book, “The Very Hungry Caterpillar”, in which she turns into a butterfly right on stage!

**Professor Fineprint** is back, amazed to discover just what you can find between the covers of a book.

And the wisdom of world literature comes to life on stage with the help of the audience in two wonderful folktales from other cultures.

First we meet **“The Stonecutter”**, who becomes a Mountain before learning how important it is to be yourself, in a magical tale from Asia.

Then there is a spectacular version of the traditional African story, **“Who’s In Rabbit’s House?”**, from a book by Verna Aardema. Volunteer actors from the audience are transformed on stage with makeup into animals, while the entire audience joins together to become the “Long One” hiding in Rabbit’s house.

By the end of this show everyone will agree that whenever you open a book, you can discover the world!

## The Bodacious Book Show II — World Tour Reading List

Here’s a partial list of some of the best books in the world — with visions of other lands, travel adventures to take you around the world, fantastic folktales and visits to imaginary worlds.

Madeline  
Ferdinand  
The Grinch Who Stole Christmas  
Abiyoyo  
The Polar Express  
Anansi the Spider  
Hans Christian Anderson  
Legend of Bluebonnet  
Mufaro’s Beautiful Daughters  
Lon Po Po  
James and the Giant Peach  
Hunchback of Notre Dame  
Around the World in 80 Days  
Peter Pan  
The Adventures of Tom Sawyer

Curious George  
The Five Chinese Brothers  
Winnie the Pooh  
Make Way for Ducklings  
Strega Nona  
John Henry  
The Stonecutter  
Who’s In Rabbit’s House  
Why Mosquitoes Buzz ...  
The Rough-Faced Girl  
Sherlock Holmes  
Tales of the Arabian Nights  
The Jungle Book  
The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe  
The Legend of Sleepy Hollow



Students who have seen our Book Show know how fun it is and want to be a part of it. You can use that enthusiasm to encourage them to read the wonderful books here so they’ll know the answers when the “Have You READ It?” Game Show comes to their school.