

Performing Books™



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Los Angeles Central Library, Mark Taper Auditorium
630 W. 5th Street, Downtown Los Angeles
For children ages 4 through 10 and families
2:00 p.m. & 3:00 p.m.

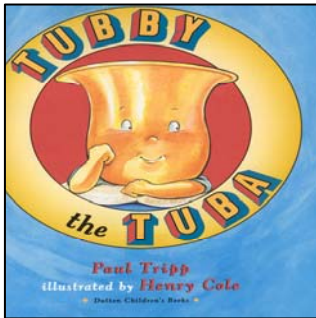
Saturday, October 17, 2009

Tubby the Tuba by Paul Tripp, illustrated by Henry Cole

*Peter Kors ~ Storyteller *Chuck Koontz ~ Tuba

Alan Steinberger ~ Synthesizer

In this beloved children's story, Tubby the Tuba is tired of just repeating *oompah, oompah*. Then he meets Frog and together they show the orchestra that tubas can play melodies as well as other instruments.

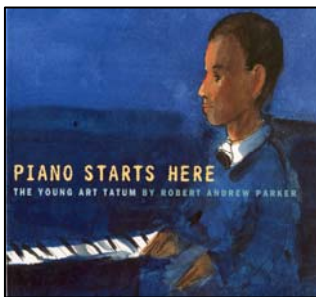


Saturday, November 7, 2009

Piano Starts Here: The Young Art Tatum by Robert Andre Parker

*Chris Dawson ~ Jazz Pianist *Gerald James ~ Storyteller

As the young Art Tatum's vision begins to fade, he learns to play the piano by listening to his mother's player piano. Through the power of music he forgets that he is blind and goes on to become a legendary "giant of jazz."



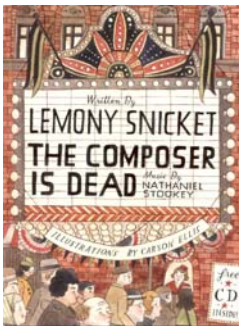
Saturday, December 5, 2009

The Composer is Dead by Lemony Snicket, illustrated by Carson Ellis

*Keith Berger ~ Mime Artist *David Prather ~ Storyteller

Alan Steinberger ~ Synthesizer

The Composer is dead and the Inspector must investigate all the instruments in the Orchestra to find out who is responsible.



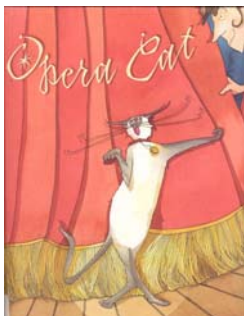
Saturday, January 23, 2010

Opera Cat by Tess Weaver

Heather Calvete ~ Opera Singer *Linda Zoolalian ~ Pianist

Peter Kors ~ Storyteller

Alma the cat loves opera and has an extraordinary singing voice. When opera diva Madame SoSo loses her voice, Alma steps in to save the day.



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