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BUDDING AUTHORS AT ST. URSULA CATHOLIC SCHOOL CELEBRATE PUBLISHED STORIES WITH A BOOK REVEAL

Grade 1 and 2 students at St. Ursula Catholic School recently wrote short stories through a self-publishing program known as *Story Jumper*.

"This was an exciting process for the students," says Principal Mary Ann McCrae. "They learned a great deal about writing and publishing storybooks and now our budding authors are going to celebrate with a book reveal."

Through a class fundraising initiative, the students were able to collect enough money to print two copies of each student's story – one for them to take home as a keepsake and one to become a permanent part of the collection in the St. Ursula Catholic School library.

A book reveal will be held next week. Three guest authors, Veronica Lloyd, Diane Lloyd and Carol Bryden, were instrumental in sparking the students' interest in becoming authors and will join the students for the celebration.

The book reveal will be held at St. Ursula Catholic School, 426 Lacroix Street, Chatham on Thursday, May 9 at 10:00 a.m.

Members of the media are welcome.