

**TomeCon - March 15, 2022**

**8:00 AM Registration Opens – 9:15 am - 5:00 pm Sessions**

The University of North Georgia, Gainesville Campus - 3820 Mundy Mill Rd, Oakwood, GA 30566

**Conference Guide - Club Tome (Grades 2-5)**

**8:00 AM**

Registration Opens  
(please arrive with ample time to go through the registration line)

**9:15 AM\***

Elementary Breakout Sessions \*\*

**10:15 AM\***

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**Zoom with the It List Author:** Margaret Peterson Haddix, Author of *Remarkables*

**11:15 AM\***

**GYM - Elementary Keynote: Alan Gratz**

**Noon**

**GYM - Lunch & Shopping**

**1:15 PM**

Elementary Awards Ceremony

Elementary Breakout Sessions \*\*

**2:15 PM**

Elementary Breakout Sessions \*\*

**Zoom with the It List Author:** Geoff Rodkey, Author of *We're Not From Here*

**3:15 PM**

Elementary Breakout Sessions \*\*

**4:15 PM- 5:00 PM**

**All Conference Author Book Signing (weather permitting)**

**9:00 -11:45 AM**

Competitions In Progress  
Reading Bowl Competition  
It List Book Talk Competition



**Keynote Speaker Alan Gratz**

**Detailed Schedule Key**

Elementary It List Author In-Person	Middle/High It List Author In-Person
Elementary It List Author Zoom	Elementary It List Author Panel

**9:15 AM\***

Elementary Breakout Sessions = Gym, Student Center, Health Sciences (HS) Building & Marth Nesbitt (MN)

<b>Student Center Ballroom</b> Kate Hannigan, It List Author of <i>Cape "Superheroes &amp; You"</i>		<b>HS Building Lanier Room</b> JL Epslin, It List Author of <i>96 Miles "Anyone Can Write"</i>		<b>MN 4100</b> Patrice McLaurin "Come On, Let's Publish Your Book!"
<b>MN 4105</b> Joey Wieser "How to Create a Graphic Novel"	<b>MN 3110 A</b> Kathy Church "Snakes Alive!"	<b>MN 3201</b> Michael Owens "Writing for Children"	<b>MN 3203</b> Shelli Johannes "Science Stories - Experiments with Your Fiction Stories"	<b>MN 3204</b> Dana Doss "Building a Brand"
<b>MN 3212</b> Julie Clark "History Perspectives: Atlanta Nurse during the Civil War"	<b>MN 3211</b> "Interactive Escape the Box: Trapped in a Tome - Unlock Your Story"	<b>MN 3217</b> Gwen Napier "Story Weaving"	<b>MN 3218</b> Josie Bailey "Storytelling in the Virtual World and POETRY Reading with a TWIST"	<b>MN 3214</b> Charles de Andrade "Writing, Publishing and Marketing - An Author's Perspective"
<b>GYM Shopping</b> Hugh Mills Physical Education Building Books, Vendors, Swag, Raffle Tickets		<b>MN 2211</b> Elementary Book Talk (Pre-registered Competitors only)	<b>MN 3101 &amp; MN 3103</b> Reading Bowl Competition <b>All elementary teams report at 9:00 AM</b> Top Elementary Reading Bowl Teams	

**10:15 AM\***

Elementary Breakout Sessions = Gym, Performing Arts Center, Student Center, & Marth Nesbitt (MN)

<b>Performing Arts Center - CE Auditorium</b>  <b>Zoom with the It List Author:</b> Margaret Peterson Haddix, It List Author of <i>Remarkables</i>		<b>Student Center Ballroom</b> <b>Elementary It List Author Panel</b> <b>It List Author:</b> Kate Hannigan, Author of <i>Cape</i> <b>It List Author:</b> McCall Hoyle, Author of <i>Stella</i> <b>It List Author:</b> Alan Gratz, Author of <i>Ground Zero</i>		
<b>MN 3201</b> Michael Owens "Writing for Children"	<b>MN 3203</b> Shelli Johannes "Science Stories - Experiments with Your Fiction Stories"	<b>MN 3204</b> Dana Doss "Building a Brand"		
<b>MN 3212</b> Julie Clark "History Perspectives: Atlanta Nurse during the Civil War"	<b>MN 4100</b> Patrice McLaurin "Come On, Let's Publish Your Book!"	<b>Shopping</b> Hugh Mills Physical Education Building <b>GYM</b> Books, Vendors, Swag, Raffle Tickets		
<b>MN 3101 &amp; MN 3103</b> Reading Bowl Competition Top Elementary Reading Bowl Teams				

**11:15 AM\***

Hugh Mills Physical Education Building  
GYM  
**Elementary Keynote: Alan Gratz**

**MN 3101 & MN 3103**  
Possible OVERTIME: Reading Bowl Competition  
Top Elementary Reading Bowl Teams

**Noon**

**Lunch & Shopping**

Hugh Mills Physical Education Building GYM

\*\*\*Last Chance to enter the Raffle Basket drawings by 1:00 PM\*\*\*

**1:15 PM**

Performing Arts Center - CE Auditorium  
**Elementary Awards Ceremony**

(open to students who participating in competitions only)

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<b>MN 3104</b> Pat Smith "Snowballs, Dinosaurs, and Riches"	<b>MN 3105</b> Stacey Reece "Lessons In Landing A Job!"	<b>MN 2211</b> Casey Ryals "A Map for your Future"		

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<b>MN 3214</b> Donna Barron "The Man who Carved Stone Mountain"	<b>**Last Chance** Shopping Raffle Basket Winner Pick-Up (winners posted at 2:30 PM)</b> <b>Hugh Mills Physical Education Building GYM</b> Books, Vendors, & Swag			

**4:15 PM**

**All Conference Author Book Signing - Sidewalk in front of Gym & Martha Nesbitt**