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Dynamic Duo to Appear at Conkey's Bookstore
Children's Picture Book Illustrators Team Up for Special Afternoon

Illustrators Marty Granius and Dennis Rockhill will team up to present a fun-filled demonstration on the art of the children's picture book on Saturday April 29th from 1-3 p.m. at Conkey's Bookstore, 226 E. College Ave. in Appleton, Wisconsin. A Q&A session and a discussion of the duo's creative process as well as the process of creating a children's picture book will also be presented.

Marty Granius is the illustrator of *Counting Coconuts / Contando cocos* (Raven Tree Press, 2004). He currently works with the Kimberly-Clark Corporation where his art graces paper towels, diapers and other K.C. products. Marty resides in Menasha, WI.

Dennis Rockhill is the illustrator of *Polar Slumber / Sueño polar* (Raven Tree Press, 2004) *Ocean Whisper / Susurro del oceano* (Raven Tree Press, 2005) and *Meadow Dance / Danza de la pradera* (2006). *Polar Slumber / Sueño polar* was chosen as a Children's BookSense 76 Pick and as a ForeWord Magazine Children's Book of the Year finalist. He lives in Green Bay, WI.

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