

108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. CON. RES. 334

Expressing the sense of Congress that “Kids Love a Mystery Month” should be established.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 20, 2003

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. MEEKS of New York) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that “Kids Love a Mystery Month” should be established.

Whereas knowledge, wisdom, and children are the greatest assets of a democracy;

Whereas books enable one generation to pass on its knowledge and wisdom to the next;

Whereas learning to read is one of the greatest privileges the Nation extends to its children;

Whereas children most often choose mysteries as their favorite books;

Whereas the Mystery Writers of America sponsors “Kids Love a Mystery”, an outreach program designed to bring

mystery writers and children together to encourage literacy and the love of reading; and

Whereas the Mystery Writers of America recognizes the value in designating a month to celebrate the importance of reading for children and has chosen the month of October each year to observe “Kids Love a Mystery Month”: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of Congress that—

3 (1) “Kids Love a Mystery Month” should be es-
4 tablished; and

5 (2) the President should issue a proclamation
6 encouraging the people of the United States and in-
7 terested groups to observe such a month with appro-
8 priate programs and activities.

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