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**Kristi Yamaguchi to read from her new children's book to support literacy  
at Palo Alto fundraiser**

*Over 300 participants will attend Mad Hatter's Tea fundraiser  
to benefit Bring Me A Book on May 21, 2011*

Mountain View, Calif., May 11, 2011 – On Saturday, May 21, 2011 from 2-4 PM, over 300 guests will participate in the Mad Hatter's Tea, an Alice In Wonderland themed fundraiser, to be held in a private garden in Palo Alto for Bring Me A Book, an award winning literacy nonprofit headquartered in Mountain View, CA.

The Mad Hatter's Tea will be highlighted by Olympic gold medalist and Bay Area resident, Kristi Yamaguchi, who will be reading and signing copies of her inspiring children's book "Dream Big, Little Pig!" The event will feature special activities for children of all ages, including treats from Peet's Coffee and Tea, Draeger's, Whole Foods and mini card themed cupcakes from Sprinkles Cupcakes.

"I'm excited, and proud, to be a part of this wonderful event. It's the perfect opportunity to help shine the spotlight on the vital role that we all have to play in promoting and improving early childhood literacy," says Kristi Yamaguchi. *Dream Big Little Pig* is all about overcoming obstacles and pursuing your dreams. *Bring Me A Book* provides kids with the resources they'll need to make those dreams come true."

**Bring Me A Book's mission** is to provide easy access to the best children's books and inspire reading aloud to children. By providing libraries of high quality children's books and read aloud workshops to underserved communities, Bring Me A Book inspires reading aloud to children, the most important factor in determining a child's future success in reading.

**About Bring Me A Book**

Bring Me A Book is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides easy access to the best children's books and inspires reading aloud to children. Bring Me A Book places libraries of books in state funded preschools, elementary schools and community centers and provides a First Teachers literacy training workshop for parents, teachers and caregivers. For more information, visit [www.bringmeabook.org](http://www.bringmeabook.org).

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