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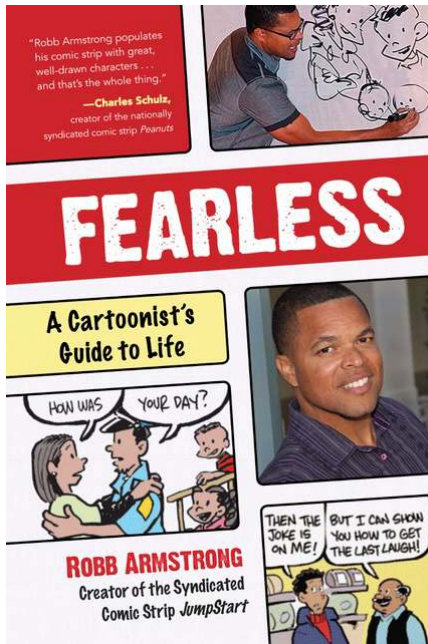
**Bookshelf Author Series**  
**at the Charles M. Schulz Museum and Research Center**  
**Saturday, April 29, 2:00 pm and Saturday, May 6, 1:00 pm**



**Paige Braddock, Author of *Jane's World*,**  
**to Speak and Sign Books,**  
**Saturday, April 29, 2:00 pm**

(Santa Rosa, CA) Paige Braddock, creator of the long-running comic strip, *Jane's World*, will speak about her work and sign books. There are currently 11 volumes of *Jane's World* in print. Braddock

published the first novel inspired by the comic series, [Jane's World: The Case of the Mail Order Bride](#), in June 2016 with Bold Strokes Books. She has also written a series of lesbian romance novels with this publisher under the pen name, Missouri Vaun. Braddock's other work includes her own line of graphic novels for children with Andrews McMeel Publishing titled, [Stinky Cecil in Operation Pond Rescue](#) and [Stinky Cecil in Terrarium Terror](#).



**Robb Armstrong, Author of *Fearless: A Cartoonist's Guide to Life*,  
to Speak and Sign Books  
Saturday, May 6, 1:00 pm**

[Robb Armstrong](#), the creator of the comic strip *JumpStart*, will talk about his latest book *Fearless: A Cartoonist's Guide to Life*. Armstrong's award-winning comic strip *JumpStart* has reached 80 million readers, is syndicated in more than 300 newspapers worldwide, and is considered the most widely syndicated comic strip from an African-American author in history. In his memoir, Armstrong weaves together his personal stories of his journey to success and hardship along the way.

**Tickets are free with Museum admission for both events and are available on a first come, first serve basis at the Museum starting at 10:00 am on the day of the event.**

**Look for the following upcoming *Bookshelf Author Series* events:**

- **Jean Hegland**, author of *Into the Forest*, May 27
- **Peter Coyote**, author of *The Rainman's Third Cure: An Irregular Education*, June 24

- **Jay Asher**, author of *Thirteen Reasons Why*, September 2

**The Bookshelf Author Series is being offered in conjunction with the Schulz Museum's newest exhibition, *It Was a Dark and Stormy Night*, which opened January 28 and runs through September 10, 2017.** This exhibition explores Charles Schulz's love of literature, displays rarely seen books from his personal library collection, and highlights many *Peanuts* comic strips where books and writing appear in the everyday lives of his characters. The now habitually parodied phrase, "It was a dark and stormy night," found new life with Schulz, who used the opener in his portrayal of Snoopy as the World Famous Author. Visitors can share in Snoopy's experience and step into the paw prints of the World Famous Author through an interactive typing display.

### **About the Charles M. Schulz Museum & Research Center**

The Charles M. Schulz Museum opened in August 2002 to fulfill its mission of preserving, displaying, and interpreting the art of Charles M. Schulz. The museum carries out this mission through changing exhibitions and programming that: build an understanding of cartoonists and cartoon art; illustrate the scope of Schulz's multi-faceted career; communicate the stories, inspirations and influences of Charles Schulz; and celebrate the life of Charles Schulz and the *Peanuts* characters.

### **LOCATION**

The Charles M. Schulz Museum is located 56 miles north of San Francisco by car on Highway 101. The Museum is located at 2301 Hardies Lane, Santa Rosa, California, 95403.

### **HOURS**

Weekdays Monday thru Friday (except Tuesdays\*) 11:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday & Sunday 10:00am – 5:00pm

\*Closed Tuesdays from Labor Day through Memorial Day

### **ADMISSION FEES**

Free – Museum Members, Children 3 and under

\$5.00 – Children 4-18, and college students with valid ID card

\$8.00 – Seniors 62+ with valid ID card

\$12.00 – Adults

For more information consult the Museum web site: [schulzmuseum.org](http://schulzmuseum.org)

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