



# Press Release

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## **“Go Figure” Exhibit Opening at A.C. Gilbert’s Discovery Village**

Salem, OR – Gigantic storybooks will be taking over the second floor of the Gilbert House as part of “Go Figure!”, the newest exhibit at A.C. Gilbert’s Discovery Village. Starting in September, children will have the opportunity to walk through the pages of some of their favorite stories and solve problems with Arthur, Goldilocks and the Three Bears and other beloved characters. The kids-sized books will transform the room into a world where visitors young and old can explore simple math concepts and engage in fun and productive play.

Developed by the Minnesota Children’s Museum and the American Library Association, “Go Figure!” is a welcome addition to the Village’s hands-on programs and exhibits. Five storybooks create the backdrop for this exhibit, including *Arthur’s Pet Business* by Marc Brown, *The Doorbell Rang* by Pat Hutchins, *The Quilt* by Ann Jonas, *Frog and Toad Are Friends* by Arnold Lobel and *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* by James Marshall.

Children ages two to seven will enjoy this exhibit, which is designed to introduce children to early math concepts in a non-threatening way. Parents will like participating in the activities and learning new ways to encourage their child’s natural curiosity. All text is presented in English and Spanish for parents and kids to explore, experience and learn math together.

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“Go Figure!” joins many other interactive exhibits in the sciences, arts and humanities at A.C. Gilbert’s Discovery Village, Salem’s treasured children’s museum. For more information about the Village, call 503-371-3631.

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