



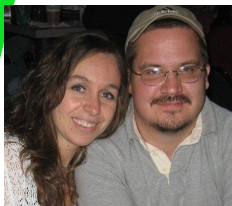
Bookadee Chatter

STORE HOURS

M-Th 10-5:30

Fri 10-7:00

Sat 10-4:00



Tora and Brian

Indie Bestsellers

CHILDREN'S TITLES

Goldilicious

Victoria Kann

The Book Thief

Markus Zusak

Twilight

Stephanie Meyer

ADULT TITLES

The Girl Who Played
With Fire

Stieg Larsson

Outliers

Malcolm Gladwell

The Guernsey Literary
and Potato Peel Pie
Society

Mary Ann Shaffer

The Girl With the
Dragon Tattoo

Stieg Larsson

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Tora Buffington, Owner

Opening Soon!!

The dream to own a children's bookstore started more than 12 months ago. To say the least, I was a 'scaredy cat' . . . or maybe a 'chicken'. Each fits just as well as the other! On March 1st of this year I summoned enough courage to speak with Forest City's pioneer children's bookstore owner about opening a business. After many chats, and lots of thinking and praying, I decided the time was right. Thus began a series of meetings, phone calls, and more meetings. All of which

gave me the tools I needed to get to where I am today . . . weeks away from opening my bookstore!!



The floor after it was scraped, sanded, and covered in three coats of poly.

The store front that we chose for Bookadee started out as a blank slate. I continually look at it as a chance for a 'creative out-

let'. There has been the need for a fair amount of 'elbow grease' to get the store ready for its debut. My husband, Brian, has put an immeasurable amount of sweat equity into the many beautification projects. We can't wait to show it off!

Thank you
Brian!!

I also want to thank all of our family and friends. We wouldn't be where we are today without your help and encouragement!

Our goal is to open the doors 8-28.

Bookadee's Backyard Beginnings

I can not take credit for the 'house' on the back wall of Bookadee. It was placed there by some other clever individual to whom I am very grateful. It has been an excellent inspiration!

The 'Backyard' can be used for birthday parties and

other small gatherings. A birthday party will need to be booked 3 weeks in advance. There will be 3 openings per Saturday starting in October.

Our 'Backyard' will also be used for story time. These will be held around holi-

days, events, and season changes. Our first story time will celebrate the change from Summer to Fall! Goodbye to mosquitos! Goodbye to hot and sticky weather! Hello pumpkins! Hello red, orange, and yellow!