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NEWBURYPORT LITERARY FESTIVAL THANKFUL FOR SUPPORT OF COMMUNITY

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The NLF took place April 24 – 25, 2009 with its largest turnout of authors and attendees. We would again like to acknowledge this year's honorees who were Dottie LaFrance, head librarian for the Newburyport Public Library for the past 30 years, and David McPhail, acclaimed children's author and illustrator and Newburyport native, as well as each and every acclaimed author who presented.

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“This was our greatest festival yet,” stated Vicki Hendrickson, NLF chairperson. “I want to thank each and every one of our sponsors for their generous support. We could not have organized such a wonderful festival without the support of our sponsors and members of the Newburyport community.”

Mark your calendar now for the 5th Annual Newburyport Literary Festival to take place on April 23 – 24, 2010. To learn more, please visit www.newburyportliteraryfestival.org.

The Newburyport Literary Festival (NLF), organized by the Newburyport Literary Association, annually celebrates the joy of reading and writing as well as the love of books. The NLF gathers distinguished short story writers, children's authors, biographers, nature writers, critics, screenwriters, poets, novelists, and journalists – who read and discuss their work in venues throughout Newburyport's historic downtown.

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