“Little things make big things. Big things make a difference.”

This event and the news about FIRE KEEPER’S DAUGHTER herald an extraordinary movement toward enfranchising our Native American friends, neighbors and fellow citizens. Thank you for this choice and for this event. I have shared the news with several friends whom I know will be as excited as I am.”

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Over 10,000
Rhode Islanders attended Center for the Book events, virtually or in person.

12,675
brand new books distributed to 140 schools, senior centers, libraries, churches, and community organizations.

OVER 6,000
Rhode Islanders read the 2022 Reading Across Rhode Island selection.

RI Youth Poetry Ambassador partner with Tina Cane, RI Poet Laureate.

Partner of Pell Center for International Relations and Public Policy at Salve Regina University.

Purchased all books from Rhode Island independent bookstores to support local businesses.

“I am thrilled that Angeline Boulley’s FIREKEEPER’S DAUGHTER has been chosen as the Reading Across RI 2022 book! If possible, I am requesting that our high school receive additional copies. The English department and I plan on making this our all-school summer reading book!”

“We loved HOW TO WIN A SLIME WAR! The students had so much fun making slime, discussing entrepreneurship and talking about what makes a good friend. Thanks for the books!”

“Thank you for a wonderful experience for my students today...it’s so powerful for students to see that authors are real people!”

“Thanks to your generous book donations I was able to have two groups of fourth graders join me for lunch over the past six weeks. The kids really are enjoying the story and were thrilled to learn that they get to keep their copy of the book to finish reading over the summer!”

“My principal and I want to do this as a staff morale builder since so many people joined us for STAMPED! I was so surprised at how many new people asked to join when I sent out the form yesterday!”

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