

Summer Book Drive

It's as simple as **ONE, TWO, THREE!**

Invest in young children ► Invest in literacy ► Give a child a book!
Here are three ways you can help:

ONE

Stokes Partnership for Children is now accepting donations of new books for children ages birth to eight. Please, no coloring books. Books may be dropped off at the following locations:

- Stokes Family YMCA – King
- Little Italy Restaurant – King
- El Cabo – Walnut Cove
- Just Plain Country – Walnut Cove
- Artist's Way Café – Danbury
- The Ridge – Sandy Ridge
- Briggs Grocery – Lawsonville
- Stokes Partnership for Children – King

TWO

Donate to and visit our Scholastic Book Fair
August 9-14, 2010
King Public Library

THREE

BBQ for Books
August 27, 2010, 4:00 p.m.
Stokes Partnership for Children
Just \$10 for 1 pound barbeque, 8 pack of buns, slaw & sauce
Tickets sold in advance
Limited sales day of pick-up

The Summer Book Drive begins Monday, June 14, 2010 and ends August 27, 2010. Proceeds benefit SPC's Howard Mabe Book Fund, the Outreach for School Readiness program, preschool and kindergarten school readiness kits, the Little Folks Festival and much more.

For more information go to www.stokespfc.com or call 336-985-2676 or email: buildingfoundations@stokespfc.com.

Children take their first critical steps toward learning to read and write very early in life. Literacy doesn't begin at kindergarten—or even in preschool. Babies respond to adults talking to them; 1-year-olds point to pictures in books; and 2-year-olds chant nursery rhymes. These and other first steps lay the foundations for literacy. – National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)