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The Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Clown Ambassadors of Reading make a special appearance at Gwinnett County Public Library

SUWANEE, GEORGIA (19 August 2008) – This week the *Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Clown Ambassadors of Reading* will make special appearances at two branches of the Gwinnett County Public Library.

The clown ambassador's will be performing at the Suwanee branch on Thursday, August 21 at 10 am, located at 361 Main Street in Suwanee, and the Grayson branch on Friday, August 22 at 10 am, located at 700 Grayson Parkway in Grayson.

Each performance will be a 45 minute *Dr. Seuss If I Ran the Circus* act performed by the clowns from the Ringling Brother's troupe. Each child will receive a clown nose and small gift. Everyone is welcome, and the performances are free to the community.

Dave and Cherie Gregg serve as the official *Ambassadors of Laughter*. They travel from city to city in their van as Ambassadors of Laughter for *The Greatest Show On Earth*<sup>®</sup>. Together they help represent *Ringling Brothers* by performing at schools, charities and other special events.

“Clowning is a universal language that transcends culture and age and I feel its a great honor and thrill to be part of a 138 year old living history that is so woven into America’s traditions,” said Dave Gregg.

The Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus will be appearing at the Gwinnett Center in September.

The **Gwinnett County Public Library** is a 14 branch library system in Gwinnett County, Georgia. The library’s mission is to support the community’s informational, educational, and recreational interests with convenient, creative, customer-friendly access to materials and services.

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