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### EVALUATION

**Please take a few moments to reflect upon Roni's recent author presentation at your school/library and share your experience with others via this questionnaire.**

1. What was unique about Roni's presentation?  
*(My Nana's Remedies/Los remedios de mi nana and/or Hip, Hip, Hooray, It's Monsoon Day!/¡Ajúa, ya llegó el chubasco!)*

Hip, Hip, Hooray, It's Monsoon Day! contains events and images that children of the desert southwest immediately recognize. The faces of our Third and Fourth Graders lit up over and over again as, with each turn of a page, they discovered their own life experiences celebrated. Roni has a warm conversational style that invites children to actively engage in her presentation. The audience made many lively connections, not only to the content of her story, but also to her as an author role model and human being.

2. Why would you recommend this presentation to your colleagues/fellow educators? (Please include surrounding areas, even out-of-state)

Roni was well prepared to present. The content of her presentation was varied, interactive, and the right length for the age of the audience. The children participated enthusiastically in the multi-sensory activities she had planned for them at the end of her presentation.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Leanne Yoder

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Location & Date of Presentation: Cavett Elementary School, March 25, 2010.