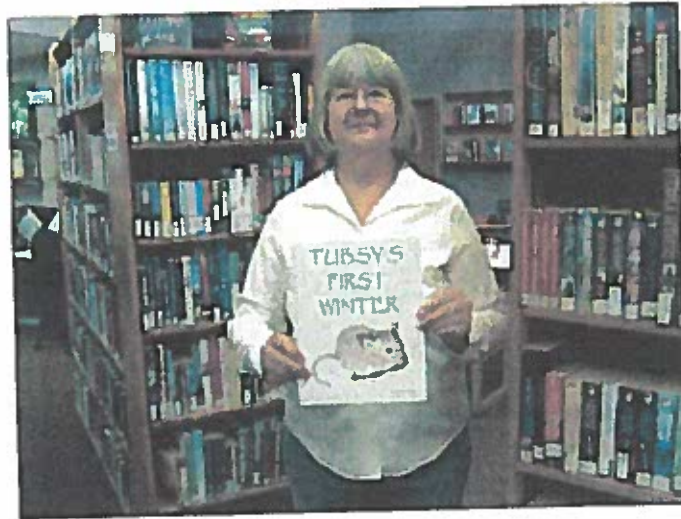


# Local Author Book Signing at Suring Public Library

Come join us on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at 10AM to meet local author Colleen Wicker. Colleen will be signing copies of her new book, "Tubsy's First Winter". The book costs \$12.00 and will be available for purchase that day. There will be refreshments as well as a prize drawing.

This event is "Funded by Thrivent Action Team"



The writing and illustration of Tubsy's First Winter began in 2014. Colleen Wicker and Mavis Suring, both of Suring, WI, decided to bring their talents together to create a children's book: Colleen as writer and Mavis as illustrator.

Colleen had writings published at age 11 in a children's magazine and also had several poems published in a TV guide and submitted poetry to the Times Herald of Oconto County over a four-year period. Publishing a children's book has been a lifelong desire of Colleen's.

Mavis created artwork and carvings since her youth. She has displayed her artwork at the Oconto County Youth Fair, receiving best of show for them more than once. She has also had paintings on display at Woodland Village Nursing Home of Suring for many years.