



3,700 women and girls dressed as Rosie the Riveter to shatter a world record recently in Ypsilanti. Women from all over the state, and the rest of the country attended.

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Golden Books celebrates 75 years of publishing with U of M-D exhibit

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For many children, stories and images in Little Golden Books are some of their first memories of literature.

The popular series of children's stories includes titles such as "The Poky Little Puppy," "Scruffy the Tugboat" and "The Little Red Hen."

Book lovers of all ages can get a close-up look at the timeless illustrations inside those books at the Alfred Berkowitz Gallery, which will host one of the largest public showings of the illustration art, on The University of Michigan-Dearborn's campus. The exhibition runs Oct. 27 to Dec. 17.

On loan from The National Center for Children's Illustrated Literature, the exhibition includes 65 original masterpieces from Little Golden Books classics such as "The Poky Little Puppy," "Tootle," "Home for a Bunny," "The Color Kittens," "I Can Fly," and others. Famous illustrators included in the exhibit are Feodor Rojankovsky, Tibor Gergely, Gustaf Tenggren, Martin Provensen, Eloise Wilkin, Garth Williams, Richard Scarry, and more.

The guest speaker at the exhibition reception will be Diane Muldrow, the editorial director at Golden Books/Random House and editor of the Little Golden Books. The reception, set for 5 to 7:30 p.m. Nov. 3, is free and open to the public. Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be provided.

A second event, "Family Afternoon with



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An exhibition of illustrations from the popular Little Golden Books series of children's stories will be on display Oct. 27 to Dec. 16.

"Little Golden Books," takes place from 1 to 4 p.m. Nov. 18 in the Berkowitz Gallery. There will be crafts and activities for children in kindergarten through second grades plus readings from special guest visitors and light refreshments.

The Berkowitz Gallery is located on the third floor of the Mardigian Library on the U of M-Dearborn campus. The gallery will have extended hours for the exhibition. Visit library.umd.umich.edu/berkowitz to learn more.

The exhibition is part of the university's 2017 Young Authors' Festival that promotes literacy for children and their families. For more information about the 2017 festival, visit library.umd.umich.edu/yaf or contact Raya Samet at 313-593-4936 or rsamet@umich.edu.