

Kind Affirmations from some REAL people!

"Rich kept our Kindergarteners' attention for an entire hour!"

Mrs. Sue Gardner—Curriculum Coordinator,
Hayward, WI Public Schools

"Best Assembly I've seen in 26 years of teaching."

Paulette Lucas—Teacher of Gifted Students, Kishwaukee School, Garden Prairie, IL

"Rich not only integrates the School's core values into the presentation, he models respect and compassion with students."

Mrs. Sherrill Durham—principal Fredericksburg, TX

"Rich developed great rapport with the bi-lingual students, when he sang translations in Spanish!"

Ms. Salome North—Riverdahl School - Rockford, IL

"Rich Rubietta has a special gift of being able to engage even the most reserved children."

Sigmund Kolano—St. Peter School,
Kenosha, WI

"The best part was seeing the facial expressions of the children and the energetic participation of our Staff with the songs and movements. You did a great job holding everyone's attention and keeping us guessing what was coming next!"

Mrs. Jennifer Ezop—
Hilltop School,
Mc Henry, IL

"Rich Rubietta brings an unusual depth of professional experience and sensitivity to his interactive Music Programs. His music is universal and appropriate for all children and teachers.

"Rich brings positive messages through programs that are rich in inspiration, musical instrumental skill, vocal virtuosity and contemporary issues. Being an educator who holds a Doctorate in Music from Northwestern University myself, I am especially appreciative of Rich's gifts."

Dr. Christopher Morris—St. Gilbert School,
Grayslake, IL

Additional Services

SongShop®

Children uncover their own creative gifts in this group songwriting experience that incorporates Reading, Writing, History and Music. Inspiring heroes & heroines are "sung to life" and a Location-Recording can be made for posterity.

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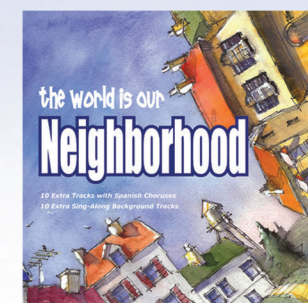
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Singing at the Library! with Children & Families



Interactive Music events with Rich Rubietta

Illinois Arts Council Touring Artist



Featuring music from the CD,
The World is our Neighborhood
and the Parents' Choice-Approved
Room 4U & Me CD



Children and adults love to move and sing along with Rich's fun music!

With ten years of touring Public Schools and four years of classroom experience, Rich creates a warm and inviting learning environment. Children and adults feel safe and inspired to be playful with his catchy songs and with each other.

The message is always, "We ARE the show!" and children are invited up to help on many of these fun, physically active songs. Ideal for students preK – 5th grade.

More than just a performance, Rich's Music Assemblies and Family Concerts encourage interaction, facilitating an experience of community and the feeling of "Family."

These sing-able songs are immediately accessible, but also have important social themes that can be unpacked as we grow and reflect.

Children love singing & moving to this music, and adults love that their kids are learning vital life lessons and character-building hints.

Songs that encourage learning

CDs like Room 4U & Me and The World is Our Neighborhood are chock full of Music with solid messages that inspire kids to think about their potential and being the best person they can be. No matter who is watching!

Rich can bring a small PA and Projection system, to encourage visual learning and Reading skills. Lyrics and images for each song can be projected on his screen.

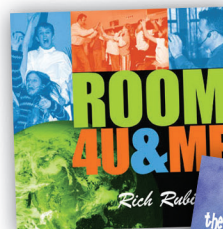
Here are some Sample songs for early Elementaries, that always elicit a great response from children. Bi-lingual renditions (English & Spanish) are noted with an asterisk.

Flowers are Red —a new twist on a classic, participatory song, by Harry Chapin

Don't Play with Bruno—a fun story-song and example of rejection answered with kindness

Funky Monkey—most requested song, with Verses encouraging respect for self and others *

Headin' Home—a young boy runs away from home but can't escape responsibility



Cow Says Moo—interactive rhyming song *

Clap your Feet—a song that eventually had to be written. "It's good exercise too" Sofia Bella- 5

Let's Eat Bugs—a chance to learn a BIG word and how much of the world gets their protein!" *

Arachnophobia —autobiographical song, with a cameo appearance from Miss Muffet

Bear Hug—a chance to interact with your neighbors, without actually touching them! *

Glad Dance—a side-to-side Jig: "I'm so glad to be alive, I'll jump up & clap your hand!" *

The World is Our Neighborhood—a slower song, with an eye toward the world community

Peace Like a River—an active and interactive version of a traditional fable! *

May You Find Sleep Tonight—a lullaby for all the children of the world

Vida Buena—a little boy discovers a different kind of "good life," when he moves to an actual Chicago street called Avenida Buena. *

An mp3 of any of these songs can be emailed, upon request

Meet Rich Rubietta

- Graduate of Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois with a BA in Music
- Graduate of York Community High School, Elmhurst, IL
- Married to Jane Rubietta who is an Author, Speaker and Homemaker
- Together they have three children and make their home in Grayslake, Illinois.
- Rich's CD Room 4U & Me, received a "Parent's Choice Approved" Award.
- Rich has been on the ArtsTour Roster with the Illinois Arts Council since 2002

