

Reading & Writing Festival



Middle school students engaged in a variety of small group sessions aimed at inspiring and motivating their creative spirits.



Scott Reintgen, Guest Author and Kevin Cordi, Storyteller



Area middle school students fueled their passion for reading and writing at the 33rd annual Reading and Writing Festival held at Kent State University. Guest author, **Scott Reintgen**, shared inspiring words regarding his life and successes while reminding students to not be afraid to fail. Scott is the author of the *Nyxia*, *Ashlords*, and *Tailspinners* series and his latest novel is *The Problem with Prophecies*. Students were entertained by storyteller, writer and teacher, **Kevin Cordi**, who provided an opening tale to the audience. Students also participated in small group sessions including topics such as Book Jeopardy, Journalism Interview, Poetry Alive, Book Breakout and Drama to name a few.

