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To Secondary School English Teachers:

I hope that some of you will be interested in bringing your students to hear a reading by the Canadian Fiction Writer W. P. KINSELLA on Thursday, November 24 at 12:30 in the College Boardroom. Although I have not heard Bill Kinsella read, I know that his stories are accessible, having laughed over many of them and been moved by several.

Kinsella is probably best known now as the recent winner of the Books in Canada award for best first novel. He won that for Shoeless Joe which has also won awards in the U.S.A. His other books include four collections of stories narrated by the fictitious character Silas Erminskin who lives on the Hobbema Reserve in Alberta.

Bill Kinsella's reading is sponsored by our English Department and the Canada Council. It is free and open to the public. If you are able to bring some students here, please contact me at local 380, preferably at least a few days before the reading takes place. I need to know the name of your school, the number of students who will attend, and the name of at least one teacher accompanying them. Kinsella is the only imported reader I have scheduled for the 1983/84 school year.

Cheers,

Ron Miles, Director  
Arts and Humanities

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