

Local author publishes novel

From a very early age Regina Edwards Drumm, a resident of Pennellville, loved to read. There were so many great books that she read growing up, but her real love affair was with the romance novel. Besides reading what she could get her hands on, she began filling up lots of notebooks with tales of her own.

Back then... it seemed like a farfetched dream to grow up and be a romance novelist. That dream was better known as a fairytale. So Drumm needed to do the next best thing, find a career path that would allow her to write. While in high school she wrote for her school newspaper, yearbook and local hometown paper. This led her to be a communications major in college. Thus began her twenty plus year career as a marketing and public

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relations professional.

Still unable to give up chasing the dream of writing that great novel, a good friend of Drumm's suggested that they join a local writers group. Central New York Romance Writers welcomed them with open arms. This group of incredible writers was eager to share their knowledge and secrets to success with them. It was through this group that

Drumm learned the finer art of writing a novel and what was involved in the publishing industry.

Now, after many years of learning and creating that novel, Drumm is pleased to have published her debut novel, "You Still Love Me," book one of the Wayward Wives Club Series, now available on amazon.com and barnesandnoble.com. Drumm enjoys creating stories that warm your heart and

bring families together. She writes both contemporary and historical romances. Her second book is scheduled to be released the beginning of June, 2012.

If you would like to learn more about Drumm and her books, visit her website at www.reginaedwardsdrumm.com. She also has a blog, "A way with words," where she discusses her journey to getting published.

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