

Explorer Library News

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3RD TRIMESTER
2015/2016

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Eagle Book Club
- Picture Book of the Trimester
- Summer Reading Opportunities

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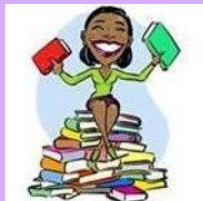
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Top 15 Requested Titles

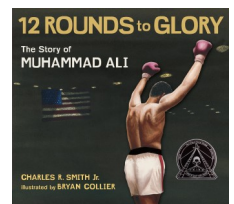
<u>TITLE</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>
<i>Smile</i>	Telgemeier
<i>Sisters</i>	Telgemeier
<i>The 5th Wave</i>	Yancey
<i>Cabin Fever</i>	Kinney
<i>Long Haul</i>	Kinney
<i>Drama</i>	Telgemeier
<i>Wonder</i>	Palacio
<i>Anya's Ghost</i>	Brosigol
<i>Greg Heffley's Journal</i>	Kinney
<i>The Testing</i>	Charbonneau
<i>Hard Luck</i>	Kinney
<i>The Marvels</i>	Selznick
<i>Michael Vey: Prisoner of Cell 25</i>	Evans
<i>Never Say Die</i>	Hobbs
<i>Sunny Side Up</i>	Holm

CELEBRATE PICTURE BOOKS!

It's been great celebrating picture books with you this year. I would like to share 2 books with you this trimester; *The Lemonade Club* by Patricia Polacco and *Twelve Rounds to Glory: The Story of Muhammad Ali* by Charles Smith.

I chose *The Lemonade Club* because this year a couple of students shaved their heads to honor kids with cancer. I thought this was such a brave and admirable thing to do. It reminded me that a picture book can be a useful tool for teaching about compassion, dealing with hardships, grief, and many other real life challenges.

My next choice was a picture book biography of Muhammed Ali, in honor of his recent passing. He was one of the positive images of my childhood. I so craved to see people like me in my world, especially positive roles. And I think it's marvelous that all readers can have access to his story.



THE EAGLE BOOK CLUB WINNERS

D, Baumgardner, R. Belmont, J. Becerra-Vicente, L. D. Buchmiller, T. Ceesay, E. Chen, Dabir, K. Granados, C. Leon-Cardenas, A. Keyser, T. Korchemny, B. Marroquin-Mercado, V. Panaysyuk, D. Paris, R. Ramirez-Sanchez, A. Thomson, The top 5 most read books this year are: *Never Say Die*, *War Brothers*, *Dork Diaries: Tales from a not-so-dorky-drama queen*, *Fat Boy vs. the Cheerleaders*, and *The Unlikely Hero of Room 13B*. 132-6th graders participated, 57-7th graders and 42-8th graders for a total of 231 Explorer students this year. Way to go Eagles!

Summer Reading Opportunities

[30 Books to gobble up this summer - LA Times](#)

[Everett Public Library Summer Program](#)

[Half priced Books Summer Program](#)

[Library of Congress Summer Teen Program](#)

[Mrs. Jackson's Picks](#)

[Publisher's Weekly Best Summer Books 2016](#)

[Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge](#)

[Sno-isle Summer Reading Program](#)

[Summer Reading @ Amazon](#)

[Summer Reading from The Horn Book](#)

[University Bookstore Summer Program](#)

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3rd Trimester Lessons

MSD Databases, Search Engines, and Research Tools	Reading Advocacy	Destiny Usage	Other
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Creating Citations ◆ EBSCO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Booktalks for reluctant readers ◆ Voting for Award Nominees ◆ BOGO Bookfair ◆ Summer Reading Presentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Skills Review Quiz 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Parent University—Importance of Summer Reading ◆ SBA Testing ◆ STAR Testing in Math & Reading

3rd Trimester Classes

Grade Level	Weekly	Bi-Weekly
6th	11	0
7th	0	11
8th	0	11
Combo	2	5

Statistics by Trimester

Trimester	Circulations	Reserves	Textbook Checkouts	Unscheduled Visitors
1	9029	345	1626	2640
2	8653	374	389	3104
3	6281	174	485	2240
	23,963	893	2500	7984