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Enter the TWILIGHT ZONE

By Ashley Pacheco-Arrospide

Our Twilight Zone lock-in was so much fun. We got to spend all night in the library. There was a photo booth and games to play. It was a great chance to meet new people that have the same interest as you!

Thank you so much to Mrs. Cheryl and Mrs. Donna for the chance to do the lock-in! Also a special thanks to all the parent volunteers who helped out and made it possible for us to have our Twilight Zone Lock-in.



Picture Shenanigans



Special points of interest:

- Twilight Zone Lock-in at Bowman
- Morning Star Novel by Elizabeth Taylor
- NaNoWriMo Young Writers Program
- Teen Art
- Book Review: The Fault in our Stars



Dungeons & Dragon Campaign



Knitting and Crochet



Snacks!



Board Games with Friends



Virtual Reality Gaming



Save the date!

Ugly

Festive Party!

December 21st at 5:30 pm at the Bowman Library



NaNoWriMo Young Writer's Program by Victoria Nielans

I love to write. My problem, is that I can never commit and finish something that I have started unless I have a deadline. And self imposed deadlines never seem to work for me. Which is why I usually write for other people. And it is the reason I look forward to NaNoWriMo each year. I have a set word count that I have to get every day. And at the end, I have an entire novel. Usually I just do it on my own. But I have decided that this year I am going to open up to doing this a bit more publicly. And I invite you to join me. Go to ywp.nanowrimo.org and commit to writing a novel this November. Don't think it is still to early to join, NaNo prep season is in full swing. Start outlining and figuring out your characters if you are a planning person. You can

even upload a cover photo if you so desire. If you prefer to fly by the seat of your pants you can see what other people are doing and buddy up to participate in word sprints or word wars. If you prefer to spend some time offline, during November the Bowman Library will be hosting a NaNo meeting on Tuesdays in November at 6pm. There will be a kickoff meeting on October 30th and a finishing party on December 4th. Join us to talk about your novel and write with us.

Morning Star

A novel by Elizabeth Taylor
Read the prologue by scanning the qr code.

<https://tinyurl.com/yacwwhe6>



Fall 2018 Teen Events!

Bowman Library

Teen Sketch & Draw - 1st & 3rd Mondays @ 6-7 pm
Join us as we share our art and learn together. Materials provided. All art styles welcome.

Teen Advisory Board - 2nd Mondays @ 6-7 pm
Bowman's planning group, open to middle & high school students for library programs & events. Call Donna Hughes at 540-869-9000 x215

Game Night - 3rd Fridays @ 5:30-8 pm
Middle & High school students stop by to play console, tabletop & computer games. Enjoy snacks!

Anime & Pocky - 4th Mondays @ 6-7:30 pm
Join us for Anime and Pocky from September through December for anime titles selected by our Teen Advisory Board.

NaNoWriMo Young Writer's Program

Tuesdays in November at 6 pm
Participate in National Novel Writing Month! Kick off party on October 30, ending celebration on December 4.

Handley Library

Teen Advisory Board - 4th Monday @ 4:30 pm.
Hang out and share ideas for Handley's teen programs. Call 540-662-9041 x21

Graphic Novel Club - 3rd Thursday @ 6-8pm
Chat about your favorite DC and Marvel characters and enjoy snacks with our friends from Four Color Fantasies.

Drawesome - Thursdays @ 6pm
Participate in a creative art challenge of the week using materials provided.

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Teen Art

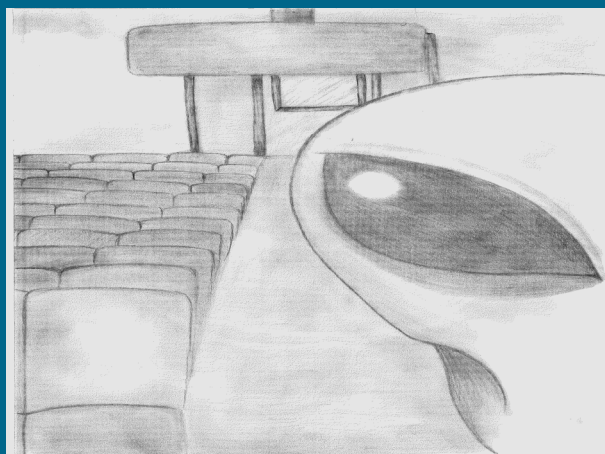


Digital Art by Mary Costello

Painting by
Natalie Snyder



The challenge on October 11th for Drawesome at Handley Library was to draw an alien driving. Here is what Mirranda created!



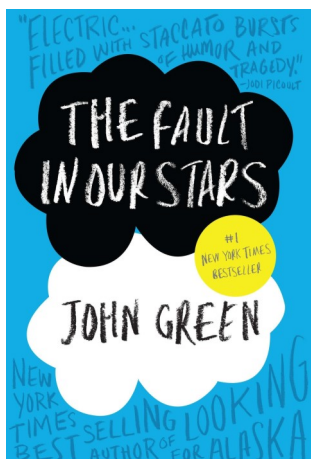
Teen Artists!

Looking to meet with other art enthusiasts?

Teen Sketch and Draw meets at the Bowman Library on the 1st & 3rd Mondays @ 6pm

Drawesome meets at the Handley Library on Thursdays @ 6pm

The Fault in Our Stars



Author: John Green
Book Review by Ella Drury

I have recently finished reading John Green's "The Fault In Our Stars" and can call it nothing short of magnificent. The narration has such a lyrical and, there's no other word for it. *Poetic sound, the writing is magnificent, and the characters, in my opinion, are relatable to any teen. I can't recommend it enough.*

In case you would like to consider reading it for yourself, I'll give you a brief plot summary:

Hazel, a 16-year-old cancer patient, meets and falls in love with Augustus Waters, a similarly affected teen from her support group. They share a sarcastic sense of humor, and most of all, a love of books, especially Hazel's all-time favorite,

"An Imperial Affliction" by Peter Van Houten. When Gus scores an invitation to meet the reclusive author, he and Hazel embark on the journey of their brief lives.

If I still haven't convinced you then, seriously, just, like, borrow it from a friend or the library and see for yourself! You won't regret it, I promise!