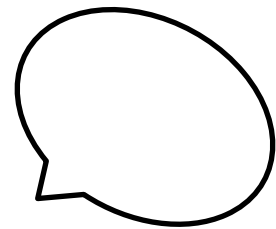


HHSS Library News

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New Books @ HHSS

Layover by David Bell
Heart of the Moors by Holly Black
Fireblood by Elly Blake
Empire of Wild by Cherie Dimaline
Stepsister by Jennifer Donnelly
Wicked Saints by Emily A Duncan
Bringing Down the Duke by Evie Dunmore
The Reluctant Fundamentalist by Mohsin Hamid
Home Front Girls by Suzanne Hays & Loretta Nyhan
The Woman in the White Kimono by Ana Johns
The Map of Salt and Stars by Zeyn Joukhadar
The Institute by Stephen King
Spin the Dawn by Elizabeth Lim
The Nanny by Gilly MacMillan
Edgar: An Autobiography by Edgar Martinez
Crow Winter by Karen McBride
Highway of Tears by Jessica McDiarmid
The Starless Sea by Erin Morgenstern
Cilka's Journey by Heather Morris
Love at First Like by Hannah Orenstein
The Merciful Crow by Margaret Owen
Vow of Thieves by Mary E Pearson
Disappearing Earth by Julia Phillips
Wilder Girls by Rory Power
The Flight Girls by Noelle Salazar
Bloodleaf by Crystal Smith
Red at the Bone by Jacqueline Woodson
Frankly in Love by David Yoon
As Many Nows As I Can Get by Shana Youngdahl
We Are Displaced by Malala Yousafzai

Everybody's Talking

Cold Race: An extreme marathon held in the northeast part of Russia is known as the world's coldest race. It occurred in Oymyakon (where temperatures often dip below -50° Celsius during the winter). Although frostbite is a concern in this part of the world it didn't stop 16 runners from participating in the event in January 2019. Organizers plan to run the event again next year.

Barbie Obsession: A Japanese woman named Azusa Sakamoto didn't get a chance to play with Barbie dolls as a little girl because they weren't well known in her home country. She didn't know much about the doll until she acquired a Barbie lunchbox when she was in her mid-teens. Currently residing in California, she now owns an extensive collection of Barbie paraphernalia.

Did You Know...

Aptly Named: Glass-winged butterflies get their name from the fact that their wings are transparent. They don't have the beautiful coloration of many butterflies, but transparent wings also mean predatory birds have great difficulty seeing the butterflies.

Long Life: When world-famous physicist Stephen Hawking was diagnosed with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis in 1963, his life expectancy was two years, based on prediction models at the time. He died in 2018 at the age of 76, the most famous person to have lived with ALS.

New Arms: Starfish have the ability to regenerate their limbs and sometimes even their bodies. That's because they possess a special type of cells and most of their vital organs are in their arms.



On the Lighter Side

Parent: "Why are you doing so poorly in history?"

Child: "The teacher keeps asking me about stuff that happened way before I was born!"

Which planet is like the circus? Saturn – because it has three rings.

What did one mind reader say to the other mind reader?
"You're just find. How am I?"

Quotes of the Month

"Dreams are necessary to life." Anais Nin

"We are an intelligent species and the use of our intelligence quite properly gives us pleasure." Carl Sagan



HHSS Husky Series Book Club

The library at Huron Heights sponsors one book club – the Husky Series. Looking forward to meeting

with you December 16th, 2019 for the first meeting of the year. We will be meeting during the 2nd half of your lunch in the library. Please speak with Miss Reoch for further information.

The Writers Corner

Do you enjoy writing? Ever consider submitting your work to a writing festival? If not, take a look at these possibilities!!

www.tnq.ca/wildwriters

www.alicemunrofestival.ca

www.bookfestwindsor.com

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