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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
And the recommendation goes to...**

Book Title: The Westing Game

Author: Ellen Raskin

Synopsis:

The Westing Game is about 16 heirs that gather to hear the reading of Sam Westing's will. The heirs are surprised to hear that one of them killed Sam Westing. Westing wants the heirs to play a game that will reveal who the murderer is.

Who is The MURDERER?

Why Recommended:

I recommend this book because it was a great story, characters and it's so realistic. I think people that like murder and mystery book will enjoy The Westing Game.

About the Author:

Ellen Raskin wrote and illustrated over a dozen award-winning books for children and young adults in her lifetime. Raskin was awarded the Newbery Medal for her book The Westing Game.

Submitted By

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Book Title:

Swindle

Author:

Gordan Korman

Synopsis:

A kid named Griffin Bing plans a sleepover in an abandoned house about to be demolished by morning, finds a rare Babe Ruth baseball card, hidden from the world. Until a mean collector named S. Wendell Pflomino, tricks him out of the card. Griffin puts together a team of "friends" to get the card back. And Griffin Bing, "the man with the plan" won't let it go without a fight.

Why Recommended:

I recommend this if you like a mysterious, funny, exciting, and almost impossible to stop reading, try the book Swindle and it might just be the right book for you!

About the Author:

Gordan Korman is an excellent author with details and lots of excitement in his writing!

Submitted By

Name:

Michael Klug

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Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Spy School

Author: Stuart Gibbs

Synopsis: Benjamin Ripley goes to a "science school," but it is secretly a training school for smart, and clever children who have potential to be spies. Although Benjamin is very smart, he may not be as skilled as the other kids in the school. He will have to prove to everyone else that he can be a spy.

Why Recommended: I recommend this book because it's funny, and enjoyable to read about Benjamin Ripley, and his surprising adventure.

About the Author: Stuart Gibbs has a wife and children. He lives in Los Angeles.

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Book Title: *Trouble in Nuala* (The Inspector de Silva Mysteries Book 1)

Author: Harriet Steel

Synopsis: A cozy mystery set in 1930s British colonial Ceylon (Sri Lanka now). Local Sinhalese police Inspector, Shanti de Silva, happily married to an expat Englishwoman, Jane, investigates the local British tea factory owner, a very nasty piece of work, and finds a shabby plantation and ill-used workers. Once this cruel owner is found dead, de Silva has to walk a fine line with both the man's friend and his lawyer as he works to solve the murder. With financial intrigue and worker issues to negotiate, and in spite of the interference of the assistant government agent, aptly named Clutterbuck, de Silva slowly and calmly ties everything together and we are left happily looking forward to the next two books in the series.

Why Recommended: A mistreated and frightened wife, a mistreated and dismissed worker, a car chase in a Daimler through the thronged streets of Nuala—all these add to the puzzle amid long-ago local color (the train from the capital to his home has to stop and wait for a herd of goats to cross the tracks; the climb through the jungle passes rubber trees, king coconuts, vines, creepers and slithering wildlife). De Silva's passion is raising roses and the gentleness of his gardening contrasts with the toughness of his hunt for the killer. Another amusing touch to this delightful look at long-ago life in Ceylon is De Silva's malapropisms, which his wife gently corrects ("a warning shot across the ship" is corrected to "across the bows, dear.")

A Little About The Author: British author Harriet Steel was a solicitor (lawyer) and had published four popular historical novels and a collection of

short stories before turning to crime fiction with this book, the first of the new Inspector de Silva Mysteries Series.

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Name: Kay Vreeland (over 21 category)

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Book Title: Lara: The Untold Love Story and the Inspiration for Dr. Zhivago

Author: Anna Pasternak

Synopsis:

For those of us who loved the timeless movie, Dr. Zhivago, this is a must-read book! In "Lara: The Untold Love Story and the Inspiration for Dr. Zhivago", Anna Pasternak presents an intimate look behind the scenes at Olga Ivinskaya, Boris Pasternak's lover and, in fact, the model for Yuri Zhivago's lover, Lara, in the book on which the movie Dr. Zhivago is based. Twice married and in an unhappy second marriage at the time they met, Boris was simply enchanted with Olga and could not resist her charm. Likewise, Olga, herself twice widowed, met Boris with open arms at any opportunity presented to her. Her dedication to this accomplished author in support of his literary work, not to mention her outward affection towards him, put her at great risk as their relationship grew. She was arrested, sent to prison, then was put into the Potma labor camp where she endured harsh conditions during her incarceration there. Though distance and time separated Boris and Olga, their love never faltered. Boris pursued his passion for writing, all the while pressing continuously for Olga's release. The book, Dr. Zhivago, was published in the 1950s first in Italy and is evidence of Boris' commitment to his writing, despite living as an exile in Russia, the country of his birth. It's interesting to note that while other countries soon followed in publishing the book, Dr. Zhivago, Boris' own country, Russia, did not publish his book until 1988.

Why Recommended:

Quite honestly, I picked up this book because my own daughter's name is Lara and the title simply caught my eye. Beyond that, I had always loved the movie Dr Zhivago and especially loved the music "Lara's Theme" (my daughter has two music boxes with that tune!). So it was only natural that I'd be interested in reading this book. I found the book to be so informative as far as the history of this period. The character portrayals, particularly those of Boris and Olga, were well-developed and interesting. I learned a great deal from this book and it now makes me want to see the movie, Dr. Zhivago, again.

About the Author:

Anna Pasternak is the granddaughter of Boris Pasternak's sister, Josephine. She chose to write this book in order to dispel some of the negativity that had been associated with Olga by various members of the Pasternak family. Instead of denouncing Olga as Boris' lowly mistress, Anna Pasternak hoped that by writing this book, she would be able to show that Olga was a courageous woman who actually encouraged and supported Boris in the accomplishment of writing Dr. Zhivago.

Submitted By

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Date: October 24, 2017 at 3:52:20 PM PDT

To: edmondslibfriends@gmail.com

Subject: **Kindle Raffle**

Book Title: Hillbilly Elegy

Author: J.D. Vance

Synopsis: A memoir of one man's path to understand both his own families way of life and the complicated culture of his background as a 'hillbilly' from Appalachia.

Vance shares his take on the culture of hillbillies and his own understanding of what is real and what is just tired stereotypes. He uses the word hillbilly with pride.

He was born in Kentucky into a poor family with a sister and mother. His father is absent and he only gets to know him as a teenager. However, as it is often part of this culture his close relationships with extended family and in particular his maternal grandparents who he knows as Mamaw and Papaw, deeply guide his life and to whom the book is dedicated.

Vance and his family move to Ohio to seek work and to break the cycle of poverty. His mother is often back and forth with boyfriends and husbands and often is addicted to drugs. With his sister and grandparents giving him unwavering support his unstable home life serves to both hold him back and is what in the end moves him forward.

His grandmother is a tough character who wouldn't care if you were shot or cussed out as long as you didn't hurt her grandson.

Struggling in school he eventually understands that education is the only path out of his endless life of poverty and vows to study hard to be eligible for college. Not being truly prepared for college, he decided to join the Marines and after four years he truly comes of age and gains the understanding and stability to go forward. He enrolls in college and eventually graduates from Yale Law School.

Vance carries a strong sense of family and shows pride in both his cultural background and the awareness and hard work needed to move forward.

A very good read.

Why Recommended: Often we limit our knowledge and the stretch of cultures we try to understand. This book allows a look into one man's life that shows how complex and rich his hillbilly culture truly is.

About the Author: J. D. Vance lives the story. He grew up in Appalachia and in Middletown, Ohio. His path to becoming both an author and investment banker were informed by his upbringing, his tour in the Marines and the education he struggled to receive. Now married living in California he is both a reflective and down to earth writer.

Sharon Van Kirk, definitely over 21

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About the Author: Stuart Gibbs has a wife and children. He lives in Los Angeles.

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"Birds of Passage"

Author: Denae Veselits

Synopsis: Nine kids struggle to survive the cruelty of their alcoholic, paranoid-schizophrenic father.

Why Recommended: Denae's autobiography sheds light upon the darkness of child abuse, as told by the seven remaining children who suffered mightily but triumphed boldly.

About the Author: Denae Veselits paints the light from her apartment in Browne's Addition, Spokane. She graduated from Eastern Washington University with a degree in Anthropology and Women's Studies. Art lovers from around the world enjoy her paintings. She takes time off to work with Alzheimer's patients, recovering alcoholics, and mentally disabled children.

Recommendation: From the opening line "I knew I should not be in the room," the author(s) of "Birds of Passage" skillfully slam the reader back in time to the 1950s and 60s. Welcome to Greenacres, Washington just outside Spokane. The nine Veselits kids live under the cruel regime of their alcoholic, paranoid-schizophrenic father. You thought YOU endured a miserable childhood? You didn't. Frank Veselits turned the lives of his offspring and their mom into a bizarre house of horrors. The six sisters and three brothers walked home from school every day knowing their dad would be ready and waiting to abuse and humiliate them. Waiting to falsely accuse of a meaningless infraction of his strict rules. Waiting to ridicule and dominate before the other family members. Waiting to make ridiculous demands. Waiting to sexually abuse them. Frank, unable and unwilling to earn a decent living, subjected his family to the darkest levels of poverty, where insufficient shelter and constant hunger overlapped the scarring dysfunction of fear, negligence, abuse and despair.

Denae is the primary author (that's Denae on the front cover, stiff and scared, balancing high in the air on the upraised palm of her father). Her siblings generously share their own crippling memories. Their experiences – we hear from each sister and brother by name throughout the book – engage the reader story by story. We hear about the mythical kingdom beneath the evil witch Hazel's strawberry fields. We learn about the Mysterious Can of Sauerkraut. The high society tea party. The black tooth fillings, the ugly glitter glasses. The landfill voyeurism. And sadly, Denae reveals to us the worst day of their lives.

So many memories. But admittedly, says one sister, "we can't tell you the whole truth because none of us really knows what it is." She continues: "Memories destabilize you, paralyze you, make you crazy and sometimes even kill you."

Denae's artistic prose and that of her siblings come together, oftentimes reluctantly so, for a beautiful and wondrous read. This autobiography defines audacity. Their stories are touching, sad, gritty, and sprinkled with numerous literary morsels.. Did I mention the book is sometimes laugh-out-loud funny? The surviving siblings leaned on one another, learned from each other, to become the skilled artists and inspirational professionals they are today. "Birds of Passage" is a triumph.

Submitted by: Don LaPoint Age: 64

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Unfinished Angel

Author: Sharon Creech

Synopsis: In the beginning of the book Zola and her dad come to Switzerland to open a school. Zola meets an angel that doesn't know how to speak correctly. (Example: "Have people's brains fallen out of their heads?") In the end the angel and Zola have to figure out many problems together.

Why Recommended: I think you should read the Unfinished Angel because it is funny and because it is an adventure, but not too much. (that is what I like)

About the Author: She has won a Newberry award for Walk to Moons. She has written Walk to Moons, Absolutely Normal Chaos, Pleasing the Ghost, Chasing Redbird, Bloomability, The Wanderer; love that dog, hate that cat, a fine, fine school, Ruby Holler, heartbeat.

Submitted By

Name: Gabriella Krones age 9

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Book Title: Smile

Author: Raina Telgemeire

Synopsis:

Raina has an accident coming home from girl scouts
and knocks out her 2 front teeth and has to go through
several years of dental treatment

Why Recommended:

because it tells about her life story

About the Author:

She grew up in San Francisco then moved to New York City

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Name: Julie Gibson

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Book Title: _____

Sisters

Author: _____

Raina Telgemeier

Synopsis:

Raina and her family go on a trip to her cousins house and on the way back from their cousin house they find their old pet snake. And Raina has a change of heart.

Why Recommended:

because it tells a tale that I can sort of relate to and it shows how much people change

About the Author:

she is the author of Drama, Smile, Ghosts and The Baby sitters club

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Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: The Land of Stories Book 5 An Author's Odyssey

Author: Chris Colfer

Synopsis:

The school Conner and Alex the main characters went to is having a retirement party for their 6th grade teacher and after the party their teacher goes into her old classroom and then out of thin air Alex and Conner appear and talk to their old teacher and get Conner's binder of short stories so that they can gather up the characters from the stories to create their own army so that they can fight the bad guys and girls to save the fairy tale world

Why Recommended:

because of it being like a fairy tale of real people and it being so much fun to read also if you read the first you have to read all of them

About the Author:

his he is a New York ^{Times} best selling author and a Golden Globe winning actor and he has 5 other books.

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Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Anne of Green Gables

Author: L.M. Montgomery

Synopsis: Anne of Green Gables is about a ^{sixty-year} old bachelor who lives at Green Gables ^{named Matthew} with his sister Marilla who want an orphan boy to help Matthew with the work around the house but they end up with a talkitive and sweet girl named Anne Shirley. As time goes on Anne Shirley turns into a little trouble maker, while Marilla and Matthew are having a hard time deciding if they should keep Anne or send her away to the orphanage.

Why Recommended:

I think this book should be recommended because it has amazing characters and it makes you hold your breath word for word and laugh out loud.

About the Author:

Lucy Maud Montgomery (L.M. Montgomery) was born November 30, 1874 in New London, Prince Edward Island, and died April 24, 1942 Toronto, Canada. L.M. Montgomery published her best known series beginning with Anne of Green Gables in 1908.

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Name: Audrey Mitchell

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: warriors rise of sorig

Author: Erin hunter

Synopsis: a tiny cat is constantly
bullyd by his brother sokes and his
ses + er Rudy.

he leave his home and is attackt
by Tiger paw and is saved by Bluefur.
Then he goes to the and City

Why Recommended:

It is thrilling and scary

About the Author: I like the warriors
series

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Name: Darcee Johns

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Rules of the Road

Author: Joan Bauer

Synopsis: Jenna Butler is the best employee at Gladstones shoes, she can sell anybody anything. But her family problems are harder to handle. So when Madeline Gladstone the owner of Gladstone shoes hire Jenna as her driver. Jenna takes the job. And that begins a cross-country adventure from Chicago to Dallas, where they learn a lot about life and the rules of the road.

Why Recommended:

It's a suspenseful story with a lot of loving moments. Jenna really does learn the rules of life. A lot of memorable scenes. (pretty funny)

About the Author:

Joan Bauer is an American writer of young adult literature. She has won 2 awards John Newberry Medal and Golden Kite Award for fiction.

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Name: Adrianna Alvarez

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Thea Stilton and the mystery in Paris

Author: Stilton Stilton

Synopsis:

The 4 girls are going to visit Paris. They are in the apartment, suddenly Julie comes in. They came here because Julie has a dance studio. One morning, Julie went to her studio and she found the studio without her dresses. You will see what happens! Will they find out who it is?

Why Recommended:

I recommend this book because it is an interesting book and a fun book for kids.

About the Author:

Stilton is a family that write lots of books. Both brothers hate each other. Academy, the school she went to was Mouseford.

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Name: Martina Landa

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From: Rebekah Walton

Date: October 27, 2017 at 22:15:23 PDT

To: "edmondslibfriends@gmail.com" <edmondslibfriends@gmail.com>

Subject: **Kindle Raffle**

The Thousand Dollar Fish by Paul Hutchens

A gang of boys known as the Sugar Creek Gang go on a camping trip out in the woods. While they are on that camping trip they encounter a mystery surrounding the ice cellar. In the ice cellar are fish with loads of cash stuffed inside of them. Together the gang must find out the mystery surrounding the cash while not getting found out by the criminal who is hiding this cash.

I would recommend this book because it was one of favorite books growing up and it is also a mystery and I love mysteries.

Paul Hutchens was a Baptist minister who had six brothers, he always said they were the original Sugar Creek Gang. After preaching for quite sometime he fell sick with tuberculosis and during that time he wrote all of his books including the series called the Sugar Creek Gang, which this book is a part of, he had one

Book Recommendation

By Jillian Hatzenbeler, age 9.

Sherwood Elementary School - grade 4

Serafina and the Black Cloak, by Robert Beatty

If you like a magical adventurous mysteries with a strong female main character then you will love this book and the others in its series.

The book is about a twelve year old girl who lives in the basement of Biltmore Estate Mansion. Serafina's father was one of the original builders of Biltmore Mansion. He didn't have a home, so he started living in the basement with his daughter, Serafina. Serafina must stay hidden because know one upstairs knows she exists. If she is found, she could get taken away.

One night, Serafina was hunting rats in the mansion and she heard a little girl screaming then a man's voice saying, "I'm not going to hurt you." The man took the little girl to a room with all sorts of twisted hallways. He was wearing a magical black cloak. The man stole the little girls' soul with the help of his magic cloak snaking around the girl until she disappeared.

To save the little girl and other children, Serafina, bravely lures the evil man into a graveyard where an angel statue with a sharp sword awaits. Will she be able to destroy the man and his cloak or will she get sucked in herself?

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: Earthquake Terror

Author: Peg Kehret

Synopsis:

The Palmer family goes to Maggie island to have a nice relaxin vacation but then Mrs. palmer breaks her ankle so Mr. and Mrs. palmer go to the hospital leaving the kids alone on the island a little while later the big earthquake hits and much more tragety is waiting to happen so please read the amazing book.

Why Recommended:

The reason why I reaccomend this book is beacause it's always thrilling you and once you start reading it you cant stop. Also the character are so cool.

About the Author:

she lives on a ten-acre wild life sanctuary near Mount Rainier National park in Washington. She has 2 children and 4 grandchildren. She has won alot of children's choice awards. she loves to read. And she helps animal rescue groups.

Submitted By

Name: Julie Gibson

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: Earthquake Terror

Author: Peg Kehret

Synopsis:

This story is about a boy and a girl that
our terrified on a camping trip.

Why Recommended:

It very intresting

About the Author:

I thing the author is grate

I like how they use really good words
to deserime it.

Submitted By

Name: Jadyn Josey

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Earthquake Terror

Author: Peg Kehret

Synopsis: The Palmer family goes on a trip to Magpie Island. There ~~are~~ is Jonathan, Abby, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, and Moose the dog. They think it will be a picnic on the beach. Read the book to find out what happens next!

Why Recommended: It is very adventurous.

About the Author: Peg Kehret lives on a ten-acre wildlife sanctuary near Mount Rainer National Park in WA State.

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Name: Kira Dockter

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Book Title:

Ghosts

Author:

Raina Telgemeire

Synopsis:

For her little sister healthy cat and her family moved to Bahía de la Luna from California, in the new town there neighbors tell them the town has ghosts there that lead to problems and sadness read to see

Why Recommended:

because it has a good back story and it tells also about a mexican tale

About the Author:

She is also the author of drama, smile sisters, and The baby-sitters-club

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Name:

Julie Gibson

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: THE BABY-SITTERS CLUB: The truth about Stacey

Author: Rainy Telgemeier

Synopsis:

Stacey the new girl in town joins a baby sitting club run by Kristy, Claudia, and Mary Anne. Stacey the new girl moved from New York City and is suffering from diabetes. In this exciting book they face many challenges.

Why Recommended:

because it a really good book on how Friendship builds so fast and how it grows apart

About the Author:

Is #1 New York Times best selling, and multiple Eisner Award-winning creator of smile and Sisterswitch are both based on her childhood.

Submitted By

Name: Julie Gibson

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Book Title: Took: A Ghost Story

Author: Mary Downing Hahn

Synopsis:

Daniel is not happy that his family moved. His sister, Erica got a doll that looks just like her, so Erica calls her doll "Little Erica". Daniel is annoyed that Erica is paying more attention to her doll than him. Kids at school keep telling Daniel about some old witch who lives in the mountains, and Daniel does not believe it. One day Daniel follows his sister and her doll into the woods. Daniel grabbed his sister's arm, " Lets go" he told his sister. Erica dropped her doll and begged to get her doll but Daniel would not let her. One day Erica goes missing. No one

find any clues. Do you think you know where Erica is? Read the book to find out!

Why Recommended:

I recommend this book because it makes you never want to finish it, even after the book ends. I would recommend the book to anyone who likes mystery, suspense, science fiction, or fantasy.

A Little About The Author:

Mary Downing Hahn writes young adult novels, and she used to be a librarian. She is best known for her ghost stories and mystery books. She first published a book in 1979.

Submitted From

Name: Emily Ratigan

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ds Library Presents:
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Book Title:

Smile

Author:

Raina Telgimiar

Synopsis:

Smile by Raina Telgimiar is about a girl who trips when running and one of her too front teeth the other goes up in her gums. So up until high school she has all this crazy metal in her mouth. There's drama about boy and mean friends.

Why Recommended:

I think other should read it ~~because~~ because it's an exciting adventure about a girl.

About the Author:

Raina Telgimier is the #1 New York Times best seller creator of Smile, Sister Drama, and Ghosts. Raina lives in San Francisco Bay area.

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To: "edmondslibfriends@gmail.com" <edmondslibfriends@gmail.com>
Subject: **Kindle Raffle**

Book Title: Entwined

Author: Heather Dixon

Synopsis:

Entwined is a retelling of the beautiful story of the twelve dancing princesses. The eldest sister Azalea loves dancing and feels responsible for her younger sisters. Thrown into mourning by the death of their mother and forbidden to dance, they find a way to dance despite the odds. A dark fate hides beneath the castle and Azalea must protect her sisters and kingdom from a terrible curse, while finding time for love.

Why Recommended:

This book appeals to any lover of fairy tales or happy endings. Each princess has a separate personality and individual charms and the reader will find putting this book down an impossibility. I could not stop smiling and laughing and swooning at the way the characters danced across the page. The dark themes of the story follow the traditional ways of fairy tales and while scary in their own right they are offset by the charm and lightheartedness of the romance and humor of the rest of the book. It's a story about families and love and bonds that cannot be broken.

About the Author:

Heather Dixon grew up in a large family with four brothers and six sisters. She is a storyboard artist as well as a writer and lives in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Submitted By:
Deborah Walton

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Is the Edmunds Library Presents:
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Book Title: "The Red Badge of Courage"

Author: Stephen Crane

Synopsis: Henry Fleming dreams of war and knights in shining armor. He asks his mother if he can enlist and she begs him not to do it. He enlists anyway and expects her to say something about coming home with his shield on it. As he goes off he feels brave and respected. He and the rest of the army are encamped for a long time. While there he starts to question himself and whether he will run away from battle. The army ~~soon~~ finally moves to attack the Confederate army. They move forward and back for a while and then the Confederate army attacks. Henry and his comrades fight them off. Soon the Confederates charge again. Henry, seeing other soldiers retreating, runs with them. Alone and in a daze, he wanders about thinking he can never face his comrades. He soon runs across a dead soldier with ants ~~crawling~~ crawling up and down his body. Scared and ~~to~~ lonely he soon runs across a group of wounded trying to ~~to~~ get out of the war. He joins them and sees one soldier from his regiment die. ~~to~~ Then ~~upon~~ being questioned to where his wound is he leaves the group. Later he sees everyone retreating and joins with them hoping to make it seem as if he just ran. One man hits him in the head with his rifle. Dazed and staggering he finds his way back to his group where he says he got shot to save his life. Joined back up with his group they later fight another battle against the Confederates. His fear gone, he fights like a well oiled machine. He rescues the flag from a Union flag bearer who dropped it when he was killed. Their officer volunteers them to attack a position and they get right up to the target only to fall short. Another soldier says that one of the higher officers noticed them and congratulated them for their bravery.

Why Recommended:

It was a really good book and I really enjoyed reading it. It gave me a greater understanding of what each soldier's life was like. It showed mental aspects more than physical.

About the Author:

Stephen Crane started writing when he was four. He was a newspaper ~~and~~ journalist. However, he never saw the war as he was born in 1871. He interviewed veterans for this book, but they couldn't provide enough thoughts so he used his imagination. He died at age 24.

Submitted By

Name: Nathanial Holt

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: diary of a winky kid: dark

Author: JEFF KIRBY

Synopsis:
JEFF KIRBY WHO LIVES IN
ENGLEWOOD AND IS IN MIDDLE SCHOOL.
HE HAS A WIFE & LIVES BECAUSE
HE LIVES WITH A PIG.

Why Recommended:
because it is funny and keeps
you entertained

About the Author:

JEFF LIVES IN WASHINGTON WITH HIS
WIFE AND TWO KIDS. HIS FAMILY OWNS
A BOOK STORE CALLED AN UNWINKY STORE.

Submitted By

Name: Lidlow

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
And the recommendation goes to....**

Book Title: Because of Winn-Dixie

Author: Kate DiCamille

Synopsis: A girl named Opal goes to a grocery store for some food, and comes back with a dog. They do a ton of random things and create a strong bond.

Why Recommended: It's an amazing book because it's a cute story about the relationship between a dog and a girl.

About the Author: Kate DiCamillo has won several medals for her books, and I love how deep her books are. I definitely recommend it.

Submitted By

Name: Harper Wright

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Title: Junie B, First Grader (at last)

Author: Barbara Park

→ Synopsis: This book is about Junie B. starting a whole new school year! She is very nervous because she has to get used to a new teacher and new people in her class. Soon enough school starts! During class Mr. Scary (the teacher) wrote some words on the chalk board. Junie tried to read the words but she couldn't see anything! She went to the nurse and looked at an E chart. Junie couldn't read some of the big E's. Will she get glasses? Yes, she will! During show and tell, she's nervous to tell about her glasses. Finally, it is time for her to share. She stands up there scared, she took a deep breath and said "I'm getting glasses!" Everyone was looking shocked, then someone said "That's so cool!" Junie looked at the crowd and saw her new friend Herb! My favorite part was when Junie was looking at the E chart.

→ Why recommended: I recommend this book because she is scared that people will laugh at her reputation, but her friend actually liked her getting glasses!

→ About the Author: Barbara Park

Her middle-grade novels which include *Skinnybones*, *The Kid in the Red Jacket*, *Mick Hartle Was Here*, and *The Graduation of Jake Moon*, have won forty children's book awards. She lives in Arizona with her husband Richard.

→ Submitted By: Jessica Saleska 9 years old

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title:

67's noer

Author:

CHRISTOPHER POLONI

Synopsis:

about a farm boy = erogo. He lives
with his uncle Garrow, and while
he is in the kitchen he sees a very
unusual egg

Why Recommended:

because it has an amazing
and long story

About the Author:

CHRISTOPHER POLONI was 19 years old
when he made the first book

Submitted By

Name:

APRIL BRADY

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: American girl Saige

Author: Jessie Hass

Synopsis:

Saige is about a girl
that just moved
and she's like a cowgirl,
and she likes art

Why Recommended:

because its about a cowgirl that's
likes art

About the Author:

She loves horses

Submitted By

Name: Non Gillespie

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title:

Public School Superhero

Author:

James Patterson

Synopsis:

There is a boy named Kenney wright who is a superhero that saves his school from danger. and something amazing happens and you will have to read the book to find out.

Why Recommended:

I recommend it because the author does graphic novels and has good pictures

About the Author:

the Author makes the books easy to read and funneey

Submitted By

Name:

Ethan Delsignore

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: Wonder

Author: R.J. Palacio

Synopsis: This book tells about a kid named Auggie who was born with a deformed face. He has to face the fear of going to school. This story really shows that it is what's on the inside that counts.

Why Recommended:

Because it shows people the outside is not what matters it is the inside that counts.

About the Author:

R.J. Palacio based this book on when she saw a girl with a deformed face.

Submitted By

Name: Riley Chan age 11

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: Brotherband Chronicles The Invaders

Author: John Flanagan

Synopsis: Hal leaves Skandia. He gets more people. They attack Zavak and his crew.

Why Recommended: It is exciting and emotional.

About the Author: He lives in Australia

Submitted By

Name: Ben Browne

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title:

Diary of a wimpy kid Rodrick

Author:

Jeff Kinney

Synopsis:

Diary of a wimpy kid Rodrick rules is about the beginning of the school for Greg Heffly.

Why Recommended:

Because it is very good.

About the Author:

Jeff Kinney is my favorite author. He writes a lot of good books.

Submitted By

Name:

Logan Fahey

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:

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Book Title: Magic Tree House Dinosaurs Before

Author: Mary Pope Osborne Park

Synopsis: Jack and Annie find a magic tree house. they figure it can transport them back in time and a T-Rex attacks them.

Why Recommended:

I like it because and then it brings Jack and Annie they get

About the Author:

When Mary Pope Osborne I like reading stuff was stuff from

Submitted By long ago

Name: Peter Groesbeck

Email:

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to...

Book Title: Rainbow magic whitney the whale

Author: Daisy Meadows

Synopsis: It is about a fairy and sum badgie.

Why Recommended: I would recommend it because it is about my fafret see animoll.

About the Author: It is a misterey.

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Phone Number: _____

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**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: All's Faire in Middle School

Author: Victoria Jamieson

Synopsis: in this book the main character is Emogene, her parents work at a renaissance fair and she has been home schooled her whole life. But one day she has an idea that if she does middle school in a real school then she will earn her place as a knight. In her school year there are ups and downs and her struggles are mainly about being popular but she realizes it is better to be nice than popular.

Why Recommended: Because it tells a good lesson and it is really interesting and gets you more intrigued as you read on.

About the Author: Victoria Jamieson made the graphic novel roller girl and writes and illustrates books for children. But before all of that she was a Proud Renaissance Faire groupie.

Submitted By

Name: Grace Janeway

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: The Hunger Games

Author: Suzanne Collins

Synopsis: The hunger games is about a 16 year old girl who lives in the seam of district 12. Katniss Everdeen feeds and supports her family after the tragic death of her father. Could you imagine illegally hunting just so you can eat? Katniss has to also worry about being taken from her 12 year old sister Prim, and her mother, to go into the Hunger Games. The hunger games are when 2 tributes from each district are taken to a arena to fight to the death until there is one victor.

Why Recommended:

I recommend this book because it shows that girls are as powerful as men. And that to survive you must be smart. It also shows that love can portray a role in survival.

About the Author:

Suzanne Collins is the author of the best selling books Underland Chronicles and Gregor the Overlander. Suzanne portrays her creativity through this novel.

Submitted By

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Phone Number: _____

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Ella Diaries Ballet Backflip

Author: _____

Synopsis:

In the book Ella Diaries Ballet Backflip tells about Ella's Diary, Her best friend Zoe and the difference between Jimnastics and Ballet.

Why Recommended:

I would recomend this book because I used to do Ballet and It made me more intrested in doing Jimnastics

About the Author:

Meredith Costain was born on 1955 in west Crippsland, She made the book in 2015 she is 65 right now

Submitted By

Name: Elodie #10 Hebert age 9

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Ella Diaries Pony School Showdown

Author: _____

Synopsis:

In the book Pony School Showdown tells about a girl named Ella and her enemy and her enemy's friends Priny and Jade. Also it talks about how she want to join Horse camp with her best friend

Why Recommended:

I recomend this book because I really want a horse and Ella is alot like me.

About the Author:

Meredith Costain loved books she made her first series Ella diaries.

Submitted By

Name: Elodie #10 age 9

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
And the recommendation goes to....**

Book Title: Shiloh

Author: Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Synopsis:
A boy named Marty finds
a dog, but it's not his.

Why Recommended:
It's you have a lot of emotions
when you read this, I love
it a lot.

About the Author:
The same thing happened
to her in her life.

Submitted By

Name: Payton Ross

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
And the recommendation goes to....**

Book Title: Diary of a Wimpy Kid The Long Haul

Author: Jeff Kinney

Synopsis:

It's about a boy, named Greg,
who goes on a road trip.

Why Recommended:

It's a very, very funny
book and creative.

About the Author:

Jeff Kinney writes a series
called Diary of a Wimpy Kid.
He also got the kids choice award.

Submitted By

Name: Payton Ross

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: sisters

Author: Raina Telgemeier

Synopsis: The book sisters is really good because there is drama, action, humor, and it's reality. If you like graphic novels, then I think you would like this book.

Why Recommended: Because it's funny and reality

About the Author: The only books that I know she's written is "Drama", "sisters", "smile", and "ghost".

Submitted By

Name: Jordan Paladeau 134 under

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**Books of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title: The girl with the silver eyes

Author: Willow Davis Roberts

Synopsis:

In the book The girl with the silver eyes tells about a girl that can move things without touching them. She is different from everyone else but 4 people, and becomes friends with them and how they go on their quest together.

Why Recommended:

I recommend it because it shows that everyone is different but you should except them.

About the Author:

Writes interesting stories and exciting stories! ♡

Submitted By

Name: Annika Wilson

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: The 14th gold fish

Author: Jennifer L Holm

Synopsis:

In the Book The 14th gold fish tells about a girl and a grandpa on a quest. It was very interesting and if you like stories with a little bit of the future than this is your book, if you like science than this is also your book.

Why Recommended:

It interest me more in science and might interest you in science more too.

About the Author:

She has won many awards on her books

Submitted By

Name: Annika Wilson

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Phone Number: _____

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Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: The Sasquatch escape

Author: Suzanne Selfors

Synopsis:

As Ben got into his ^{Grandpa's} car
he was determined to stay at home.
But since his parents were busy he
had to stay with Grandpa in buttonville.
later on, he finds magical creatures everywhere
including a runaway Sasquatch.

Why Recommended:

I ^{would} recommend this book to anyone who likes
fantasy and funny characters.

About the Author:

The Author really captures peoples
attention. She's a great Author.

Submitted By

Name: Daniel Conaty (Con-a-tie)

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Books of the Edmonds Library Presents: And the recommendation goes to....

Book Title: Hidden Figures

Author: Margot Lee Shefferly

Synopsis:

Hidden Figures is about 4 women who worked as computers (the people who did all of the mathematical calculations) for the NACA (now known as NASA). These women suffered and fought through segregation, racism, and were treated as less respected people because they were women and not men. At the NACA in Hampton, Virginia, the four women helped with the launch of the Apollo 11, getting the first man to walk on the moon.

Why Recommended:

I recommend this book because although racism isn't as bad as it was, people should learn about what other people did to other people so we can know not to do this ever again.

About the Author:

The author grew up in Hampton Virginia right where this story took place. The author is Margot Lee Shefferly. She also knew many of the characters in Hidden Figures.

Submitted By

Name: Nicole Janeway

**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
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Book Title:

Savvy

Author:

Ingrid Law

Synopsis:

about a girl minding at her 13th birthday party. A SAVVY is some of like a special power + but can be almost anything. the main part is trying to get her stamps back from the town

Why Recommended:

a fast & interesting story

About the Author:

a natural born storyteller who created a vibrant world that readers will definitely like

Submitted By

Name:

Guiden Lead

**Friends of the Edmonds Library Presents:
And the recommendation goes to....**

Book Title: dog man: a tale of two kitties

Author: DAV PILKEY

Synopsis: about a dog leader cop who fights the worlds worst cop. Peter. Peter gets a cloning device. he makes a small version of himself.

Why Recommended:

a great story and great drawings

About the Author:

he created Captain Underpants when he was in second grade (he is also the author of Captain Underpants)

Submitted By

Name: Gideon brydy