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Kendrick Library



Bookish Banter Week 9

Welcome to the latest edition of the library newsletter. As we finish the last week of Term 5 we hope that you all enjoy the upcoming week away from school work and are able to relax despite the restrictions on our lifestyles at the present time. Remember to be kind to yourselves and those around you. Above all, read lots of

books & don't forget to tell us about

them!

Book of the Week Becoming Dinah by Kit De Waal

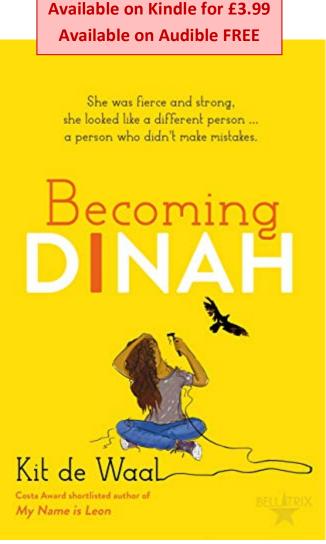


Shortlisted for the 2020 Children's Book Award.

Dinah's whole world is upside down, dead things and angry men and cuts all over her head that are beginning to sting....

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Seventeen-year-old Dinah needs to leave her home, the weird commune where she grew up. She needs a whole new identity, starting with how she looks, starting with shaving off her hair, her 'crowning glory'. She has to do it quickly, because she has to go now.



What are you reading?



Ms. Nolte looks extremely comfortable and relaxed reading her copy of *The Woman Upstairs* by Claire Messud. The story is about Nora Eldridge who has always been a good girl: a good daughter, colleague, friend, and employee. One day a perfect boy enters her classroom and Nora is admitted into the

charmed circle of his family. Liberation from her old life is not quite

what it seems, and she is about to suffer a betrayal monstrous than more anything she could have imagined. Ms. Nolte says, 'I really enjoy reading books by women writers and this was no exception. Claire Messud writes with such intelligence and emotion fierce rage, heart breaking sadness but also humour at times. It isn't a "pretty read" but that's



precisely why it's so hard to put down.'

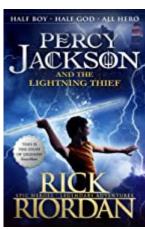
Thank you Ms. Nolte and we really hope you enjoyed your birthday on Wednesday.

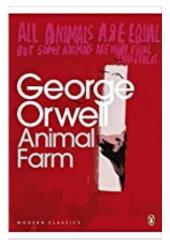
Guess the Title and Author - Answers

- 1. P P by MM (Private Peaceful By Michael Morpurgo)
- 2. A F by EC (Artemis Foul by Eoin Colfer)
- 3. S P by DL (Skullduggery Pleasant by Derek Landy)
- 4. L R by JW (Lola Rose by Jacqueline Wilson)
- 5. TLT by RR (The Lightening Thief by Rick Riordan)
- 6. T by SM (Twilight by Stephenie Mayer)
- 7. A F by GO (Animal Farm by George Orwell)
- 8. L W by LMA (Little Women by Louisa May Alcott)









Fantasy Quiz - Answers

- 1. Percy Jackson (Katie Gardner)
- 2. Percy Jackson (Porkpie)
- 3. Lord of the Rings (Helm Hammerhand)
- 4. Percy Jackson (Lee Fletcher)
- 5. Percy Jackson (Pollux)
- 6. His Dark Materials (Marisa Coulter)
- 7. Lord of the Rings (Hamfast)
- 8. Lord of the Rings (Shadowfax)
- 9. A Song of Ice and Fire (Janos Slynt)
- 10. A Song of Ice and Fire (Unella)

- 11. Lord of the Rings (Witch-King of Angmar)
- 12. Percy Jackson (Megaera)
- 13. A Song of Ice and Fire (Hot Pie)
- 14. A Song of Ice and Fire (Val)
- 15. Lord of the Rings (Balin)
- 16. A Song of Ice and Fire (Selyse)
- 17. His Dark Materials (Will Parry)
- 18. A Song of Ice and Fire (Bronn)

Funny Book Titles

Monkey Shines by Bob Boone
Why Cars Stop by M.T. Tank
Turtle Racing by Eubie Quick
Military Rule by Marshall Law
I Like Liquor by Ethyl Alcohol

I Love Crowds by Morris Merrier

Off To Market by Tobias A. Pigg

A Great Plenty by E. Nuff

Mosquito Bites by Ivan Itch

My Lost Causes by Noah Veil

Get Out There! by Sally Forth

Red Vegetables by B. Troot

Irish Flooring by Lynn O'Leum

Highway Travel by Dusty Rhodes

Keep it Clean! by Armand Hammer

I Hit the Wall by Isadore There



Falling Trees by Tim Burr



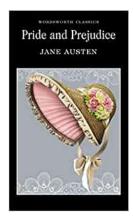
Grave Mistakes by Paul Bearer



It's a Shocker by Alec Tricity

Quiz - Test your knowledge

See how many you can answer without looking them up! Answers next week.



1. In *Pride and Prejudice*, who does Jane Bennet marry?

- 2. Name all four March sisters in Louisa May Alcott's *Little Women*.
- 3. Which Sally Rooney novel has recently been adapted into a BBC Three drama?
- 4. What is the name of Harper Lee's second novel, published in 2015?



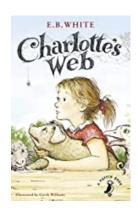
5. In *The Great Gatsby*, which Long Island village does Jay Gatsby live in?

- 6. What is the name of the fourth book in the Harry Potter series?
- 7. From which country is Aesop's Fables believed to originate?



8. What is the novel *Frankenstein*'s alternative title?

- 9. Which Emily Bronte novel is the inspiration for a Kate Bush song?
- 10. The Hunger Games series was written by which author?
- 11. George Orwell's Nineteen Eighty-Four was published in what year?



12. What is the name of the pig in E.B. White's Charlotte's Web?

- 13. How many novels did Roald Dahl write?
- 14. Name all three books in Phillip Pullman's His Dark Materials.
- 15. Who wrote *The Picture of Dorian Gray*?

Fun-Loving, Book-Reading Pets

We now have a huge list of literature-loving pets connected to the Kendrick Community......

Meet this week's feline friend:



Just for our wellbeing

The **SWAT** and **KSLT** teams have done a wonderful job of drawing our attention to **Mental Health Awareness Week** and giving us some fantastic ideas on how to focus on kindness to ourselves and to others.

From a librarian's perspective, what better way is there to be kind to yourself than by allocating some very important *me-time*, finding your favourite comfy reading spot and becoming lost in an amazing story or your most cherished book? Pure bliss! Be good to yourself and enjoy. ©









Just for fun!

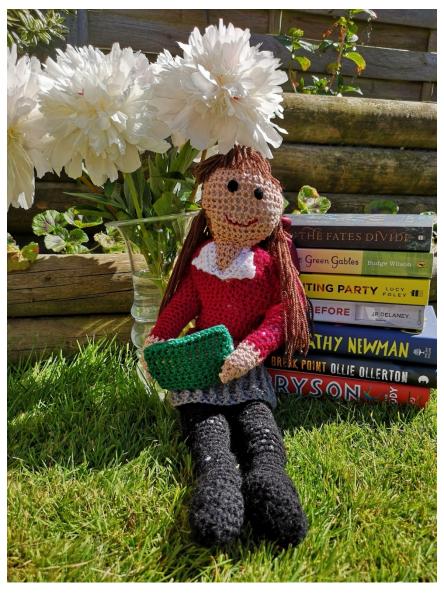
Please welcome our cute crocheted Kendrick Student doll!

She was lovingly handmade by a friend of Mrs. Cavaciuti during lockdown.

By the time we return to school we would like to announce a first name for Miss Kendrick before she takes up permanent residence in the Kendrick Library. *That's where you come in.* Please send in your name suggestions and we will announce the winner in the next few weeks.

There will be a small prize for the winning suggestion.





In other news...

Writing Competition:

Click on the link below to enter the National Book Token's writing competition. Deadline 28 May. Prize £200 National Book Token.

https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/big-

dreams?utm_source=nbt&utm_medium=email&utm_content=big-

dreams&utm_campaign=20200515_writing-competition

Kendrick Book Club:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/10qsEVK6Ij3MCXsDUTihPQ9HPBMzSrGco_1PeXNbdE_o/edit

Winner of the Classical Literature Infographic Challenge was Shravya (7V).

Congratulations Shravya!

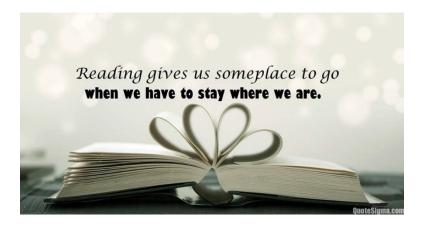
Enjoy the latest two Book Club vlogs below:

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Please e-mail us back with your Bookish Banter, selfies and pet pictures.

We'll send out another Corona-Library News next Friday!

Mrs. Cavaciuti & Mrs. Williamson