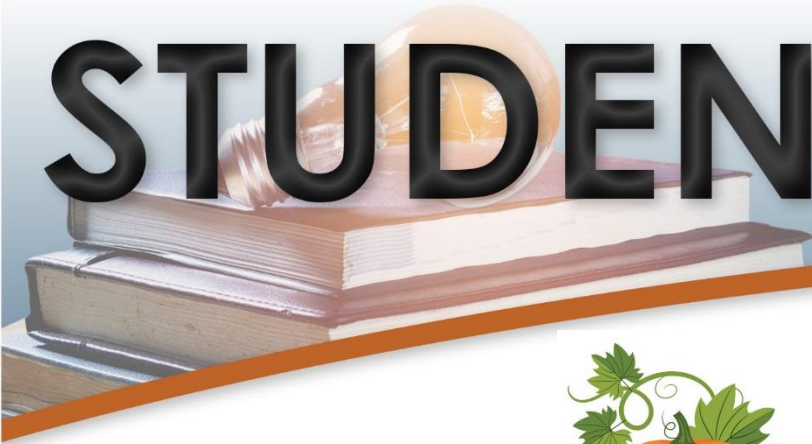




# STUDENT NEWS



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## Happy Fall, Students!



With over 300 books and 47,000 minutes read, another summer of reading has come to an end. We had 32 students sign up for the 2021 Reading Colors Your World Summer Reading Program this year! Our weekly book discussions were a great way to share what everyone was reading and to get ideas of what to read next. We also had weekly drawings for prizes!



Thank you to all the participants who challenged themselves to reach their reading goals this summer. And now it's time to announce the 2021 Summer Reading Program winners...

### Grand Prize: Stephanie Beaton!

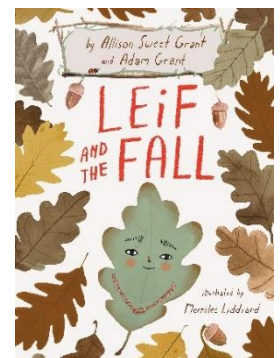
Congratulations, Stephanie! We hope you enjoy your new iPad mini!

### Runner-up: Samson Courtney!

Congratulations, Samson! We hope you like your new Amazon Fire HD!

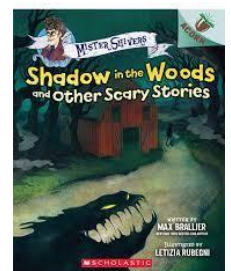
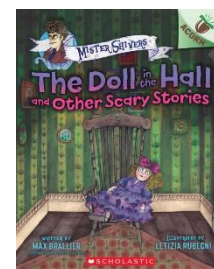
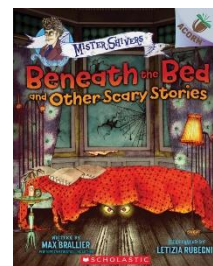
## FUN & SPOOKY READS FOR FALL

**Leif and the Fall** by Grant, Allison Sweet. **DB100822**. It is autumn and a very worried leaf named Leif is afraid to fall. With the help of his friend Laurel, Leif uses the resources around him in hopes of softening his landing. For grades K-3. 2020.



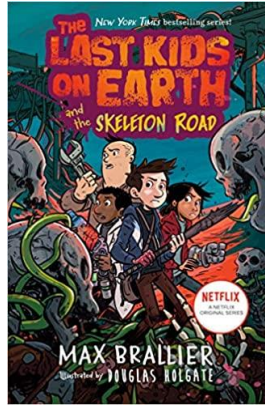
**The Truth About Dragons** by Zollars, Jaime. **DB100922**. A girl's frightening and exciting first day of school is full of prowling dragons that aren't quite what they seem. For grades K-3. 2020.

**Mister Shivers: 2-3** by Brallier, Max. **DB102849**. Two collections of creepy tales that range from a boy's encounter in a dark forest to a scary doll watching the movements of a first-time babysitter. For grades K-3. 2021. Sequel to Mister Shivers: 1. **DB098570**.



**The Last Kids on Earth and the Skeleton Road** by Brallier, Max.

**DB100868.** Now wielding the Midnight Blade, Jack Sullivan and the gang are furiously searching for the villainous Thrull and his skeleton army. But soon they are pursued by a new threat. Sequel to *The Last Kids on Earth and the Midnight Blade* (DB 97080). For grades 3-6. 2020.



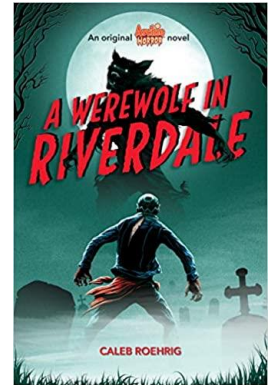
house itself has awakened and it won't be satisfied until it's devoured all the people inside. For grades 4-7. 2019.

**The Mary Shelley Club** by Moldavsky, Goldy. **DB103614.** Scholarship student Rachel keeps to herself at Manchester Prep, preferring the company of horror films to trust fund babies. When a prank puts her on the radar of a mysterious student society, the Mary Shelley Club, they subject her to escalating Fear Tests that catch the attention of a serial killer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2021.

**Bridge of Souls. Cassidy Blake: 3** by Schwab, Victoria. **DB103659.** Nothing can prepare Cass for New Orleans, a city of ghost tours and tombs, raucous music, magic, and grisly local legends. But the city's biggest surprise is a foe Cass never expected to face: a servant of Death itself. Sequel to *Tunnel of Bones* (DB 97079). For grades 4-7 and older readers. 2021.

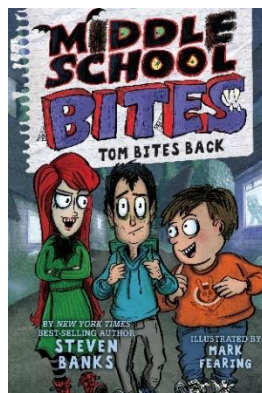
**A Werewolf in Riverdale: an original Archie Horror novel** by Roehrig, Caleb.

**DB100812.** Someone is viciously killing the citizens of Riverdale. After waking up in a cemetery naked, Jughead has visions of disembowelment and begins to suspect that he is the killer--and a werewolf! Violence. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2020.



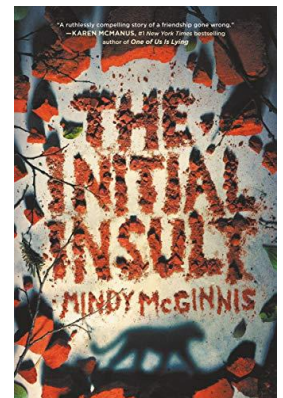
**Tom Bites Back: Middle School Bites**

by Banks, Steven. **DB100820.** Eleven-year-old Tom, a Vam-Wolf-Zom, meets the ancient vampire who bit him, and convinces her to teach him such important things as how to fly and how to hypnotize people. Sequel to *Middle School Bites* (DB 98731). For grades 4-7. 2020.



**The Initial Insult** by McGinnis, Mindy.

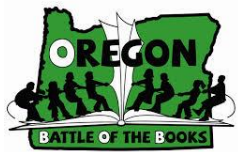
**DB103611.** Ostracized by the elite community of Amontillado after the disappearance of her parents, Tress organizes a Halloween costume party at an abandoned house, where she launches a macabre plan to force a popular former friend to confess what she knows. For senior high and older readers. 2021.



**Scare Me: 1** by Alexander, K. R.

**DB100498.** Every year, the town of Happy Hills holds its haunted house contest in a spooky old manor. The scariest team wins. But this year the

## Oregon Battle of the Books



**2021-22.** If you are participating in Oregon Battle of the Books at your school, we have most of the books on the

OBOB list. Let us know if you would like a cartridge with all the titles.

### OBOB Picks Grades 3-5

**The Bookwanderers** by James, Anna.

**DB101051.** Eleven-year-old Tilly has found comfort in her grandparents' bookshop since her mother's disappearance. When she learns that she can bookwander into any stories, she decides to seek her mother. For grades 4-7. 2018.

**Stay** by Pyron, Bobbie. **DB097011.**

After her family moves into a shelter in a new city, Piper's life is turned upside down, however, she soon finds hope in new friendships and with a special dog, Baby. For grades 4-7.



### OBOB Picks Grades 6-8

**Archimancy** by J.A. White. **DB096894.**

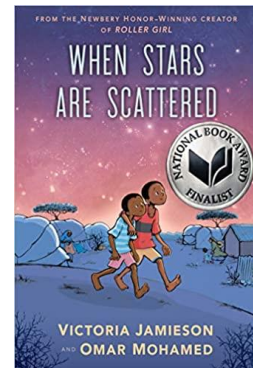
Cordelia Liu and her friend Benji see ghosts around Shadow School. Together with super-smart Agnes, the trio are determined to find out why the ghosts are there and if they can set them free. For grades 4-7. 2019.

**Genesis Begins Again** by Williams, Alicia. **DB103264.** Thirteen-year-old Genesis tries again and again to lighten her black skin, thinking it is the root of her family's troubles, before discovering

reasons to love herself as she is. For grades 5-8. 2019.

**When Stars Are Scattered** by Jamieson, Victoria & Mohamed, Omar.

**DB099879.** Omar and his younger brother live in a refugee camp in Kenya. When an opportunity for Omar to get an education comes along, he must decide between going to school every day or caring for his nonverbal brother. For grades 4-7. 2020.



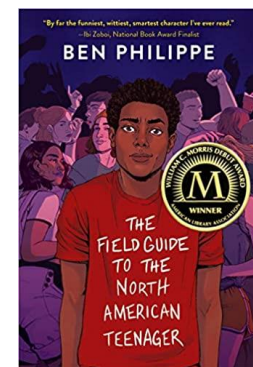
### OBOB Picks Grades 9-12

**Dry** by Shusterman, Neal & Jarrod.

**DB093017.** When the California drought escalates to catastrophic proportions, Alyssa's quiet suburban street spirals into a war zone in the hunt for water and then her parents go missing. For senior high and older readers. 2018.

**The Field Guide to the North American Teenager** by Philippe, Ben.

**DB093774.** When Norris, a black French Canadian, starts his junior year at an Austin, Texas, high school, he views his fellow students as cliché from "a bad '90s teen movie." For senior high and older readers. 2019.



**Lovely War** by Berry, Julie. **DB094119.** Four very different lives are intertwined in stories told by the goddess Aphrodite. There is hope, heartbreak, and the lesson that war is no match for the transcendent power of love. For senior high and older readers. 2019.



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**The Croods: A New Age.**

**DVD0427.** The prehistoric family the Croods are challenged by a rival family who claim to be better and more evolved. Starring Nicolas Cage, Emma Stone, Ryan Reynolds, and Cloris Leachman. 2020. Rated PG.



**Dora and the Lost City of Gold.**

**DVD0443.** Dora, a teenage explorer, leads her friends on an adventure to save her parents and solve the mystery behind a lost city of gold. Starring Isabela Merced, Eugenio Derbez, Michael Pena, and Eva Longoria. 2019. Rated PG.

**Maleficent, Mistress of Evil.**

**DVD0447.** Maleficent and her goddaughter Aurora begin to question the complex family ties that bind them as they are pulled in different directions by impending nuptials, unexpected allies, and dark new forces at play. Starring Angelina Jolie, Elle Fanning, and Michelle Pfeiffer. 2019. Rated PG. Sequel to **Maleficent.** **DVD0498.**

