

# TAB Newsletter

## Tie-Dye at the Library

If you missed our first tie-dyeing event back in January, you're in luck because it's back by popular demand! On Thursday, September 18, you can travel back in time to the 60's and 70's by creating tie-dye, an iconic and retro



style. While your t-shirt is soaking, stick around for the TAB meeting which is scheduled at 6:30

pm. All participants must bring a white t-shirt to tie-dye! RSVP online, by phone, or in person.

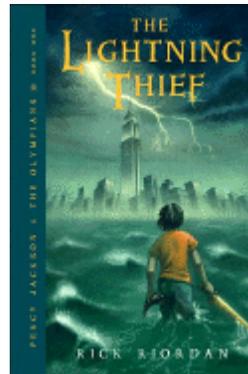
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### *The Lightning Thief* Book Review

One moment, Percy Jackson is a normal boy. The next, his teacher is a centaur, his best friend is a satyr, his father is a Greek god, and he's running from monsters. At a special camp for heroes he finds out who his father is and is accused

of stealing Zeus' lightning bolt. The camp sends him on a quest along with two of his friends to find and return the lightning bolt. The Lightning Thief is a hilarious modern-day Greek mythology story. I give this book 5 out of 5 stars.



*Submitted by Blaire De Wilde Kohler*

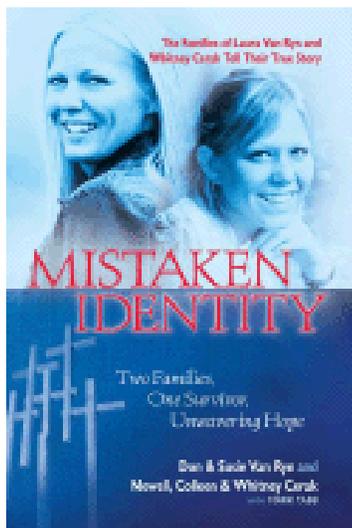
### Manga Corner

This time I'm reviewing *+anima*, a great story where a select number of kids have the power to transform into animals called *+anima*. They are just kids circling the world in search of more *+anima*. The main characters are Husky and Cooro. Husky turns into a mermaid and Cooro can grow wings on cue. In their journey they meet up with Senri, a *+anima* who can turn his arm into a bear's arm. I won't give away anymore, you'll have to read it yourself. I give it 4.5 out of 5 stars.

*Submitted by Josh McGrath*

Check out our blog!  
[roplteens.blogspot.com](http://roplteens.blogspot.com)

## Mistaken Identity Book Review



*Mistaken Identity: Two Families, One Survivor, Unwavering Hope* by Don & Susie Van Ryn, and Newell, Colleen, & Whitney Cerak 617.481 V

This piece of nonfiction is a true account of an astonishing tragedy which struck a small community in Michigan. A van of college students from an evangelical Indiana university were returning home on the freeway when their van was struck by a truck that crossed the median. Only one college student survived the horrific accident,

but the wrong family was mistakenly told that their daughter was the survivor. Only after five weeks of mistaken identity was it realized that the girl who survived was actually Whitney, not Laura. If you enjoy reading tearjerkers or wish to read a piece of nonfiction, this is the book for you. The unwavering faith of both families was the cornerstone that kept the family strong and is powerful to read of. Recommended for grades 9 & up.

*Submitted by Stephanie Malosh*

## Celebrity Quiz

- 1.) What is the name of Jamie Lynn Spears baby?
  - a.) Katelyn
  - b.) Maddie Briann
  - c.) Honor
  - d.) Jessica
- 2.) What is the title of the Jonas Brothers new CD?
  - a.) Burnin Up
  - b.) Jonas Brothers
  - c.) A Little Bit Longer
  - d.) Breakout
- 3.) Which hip-hop dancer won this season of So You Think You Can Dance?
  - a.) Joshua
  - b.) Twitch
  - c.) Will
  - d.) Comfort
- 4.) Which 'Dark Knight' star got into a car crash just weeks after the movies hit premiere?
  - a.) Christian Bale
  - b.) Maggie Gyllenhaal
  - c.) Morgan Freeman
  - d.) Heath Ledger
- 5.) When does HSM 3 come out in theatres?
  - a.) December 31st, 2008
  - b.) October 24th, 2008
  - c.) November 2nd, 2009
  - d.) October 12th, 2008
- 6.) How old is Lindsay Lohan's brother?
  - a.) 22
  - b.) 5
  - c.) 67
  - d.) 12
- 7.) Who is Hayden Panettiere dating?
  - a.) Stephen Colletti
  - b.) Milo Ventimiglia
  - c.) Jesse McCartney
  - d.) Chris Brown
- 8.) Which Disney Channel rocker is best buds with Selena Gomez?
  - a.) Demi Lovato
  - b.) Joe Jonas
  - c.) Nick Jonas
  - d.) All of the Above

*Submitted by Anika Sundheimer*

Answers: 1) b, 2) c, 3) a, 4) c, 5) b, 6) d, 7) b, 8) d

## Gamerz Heaven by Maki Murakami Manga Review



Kaito Suzuki is a video game obsessed ninth grader. After school one day, on his way to his game system, a package catches his eye. Upon opening it, he finds a game called Gamerz Heaven. Putting in the game, not only does he find himself playing it, he finds himself playing in it! Kaito must

protect Navigator or "Nata" from all the monsters out to get him. Kaito can't do this alone though. He gets his friend Kyoko to help him through the game. Grab your controller and join Kaito and Kyoko as they travel through the World of Gamerz Heaven.

*Submitted by Brittany Burke*

## Gaiaonline.com Game Review

This game review is not on a console but the Internet. It is called gaiaonline.com. It is a great way to spend 6 hours. Your teen librarian has one too, her username is library teacher. Gaia online has many users and is growing rapidly. It currently is a favorite Web site to many people and is giving

MySpace a run for its money. It has games, friends, mail, profiles, and the things we call avatars. You can customize your avatar with items you buy with the gold you earn in games or forums. Overall I give this game 5 out of 5 stars.

*Submitted by Josh McGrath*

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5 out of 5 stars!"



## You Must Be Joking by Paul Brewer Jokes

Q: How does a Pokemon sneeze?

A: Pik-achu!

Q: Why did the lawyer leave the courtroom in his underwear?

A: He lost his law-suit.

Q: What would happen if you flushed yourself down the toilet?

A: You'd be committing sewer-cide.

Q: What happened to the man

who ran away with the circus?

A: The police eventually caught up with him and made him bring it back.

Q: What was not served on the Titanic?

A: Lifesavers and root beer floats.

Q: What kind of food takes you to court?

A: Sue-shi.

Q: Did you hear about the man who ate yeast and shoe polish each night before bed?

A: Every morning he would rise and shine.

Q: What does a cannibal order when he goes out to a restaurant?

A: The waiter.

*Submitted by Scott Hejka*

# September 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5 Raven Rally @ ROHS 4:30-6:30	6
7	8	9	10	11 Teen Video Games 6:30-8:30	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 TAB Meeting & Tie-Dye 6:30-8:00	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Teen Movie Night: Speed Racer 6:30-8:45	26	27 Tween Video Games 2:30-3:45 Ages 7-11
28	29	30				
<b>Banned Books Week</b>						