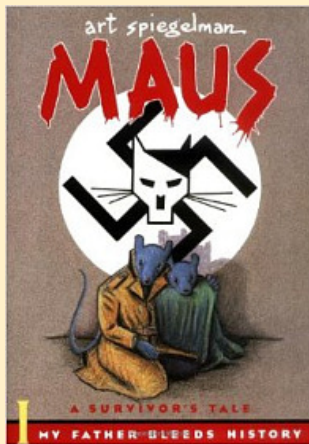




FHS 2016 Summer Reading Flyer



Choose one book. Read. Relax.



***Maus I, A Survivor's Tale: My Father Bleeds History* by Art Spiegelman**

Genre: Graphic Novel

Synopsis: This powerful graphic novel tells the story of a Holocaust survivor and his son in cartoon format.

Pricing: \$9.48 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content: implied sexual relations, portrays different nationalities as different cartoon animals, book deals with Holocaust and Nazi Germany, swastika on cover

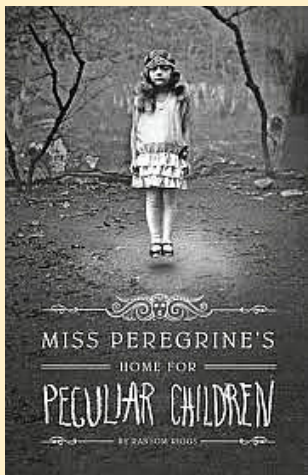
***Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children* by Ransom Riggs**

Genre: Fantasy

Synopsis: This spine-tingling fantasy follows Jacob as he journeys to an abandoned orphanage on a mysterious island. What--or who--will he find? Recommended for fans of Tim Burton who is directing the upcoming film.

Pricing: \$9.48 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content: strong language, violence, mysterious monsters



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***The Eye of Minds* by James Dashner**

Genre: Science Fiction

Synopsis: The author who brought you the #1 New York Times bestselling Maze Runner series now brings you an edge-of-your-seat adventure that takes you into a world of hyperadvanced technology, cyber terrorists, and gaming beyond your wildest dreams . . . and your worst nightmares.

Pricing: \$7.99 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content:

Mild language, "gaming" violence (not graphic,) monsters

***Brooklyn* by Colm Toibin**

Genre: Realistic fiction, historical fiction

Synopsis: Now an acclaimed film nominated for four Academy Awards including Best Picture, this novel is "a moving, deeply satisfying read" about a young Irish immigrant in Brooklyn in the early 1950s.

Pricing: \$8.92 on Amazon

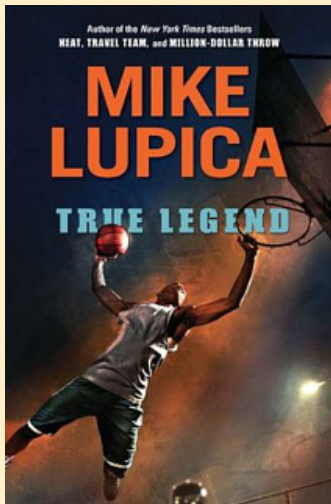
Potentially Controversial Content:

One sexual encounter (not graphic)



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True Legend by Mike Lupica

Genre: Realistic Fiction

Synopsis: There's a reason teammates call him "True." Because for basketball phenom Drew Robinson, there is nothing truer than his talent on the court. It's the kind that comes along once in a generation and is loaded with perks--and with problems. This novel is written by well-known sportswriter and former ESPN personality Mike Lupica.

Pricing: \$7.99 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content:
Nothing of concern

Out of My Mind by Sharon M. Draper

Genre: Realistic fiction

Synopsis: Melody is not like most people. She cannot walk or talk, but she has a photographic memory. She is smarter than most of the adults who try to diagnose her and smarter than her classmates in her integrated classroom—the very same classmates who dismiss her as mentally challenged. But Melody refuses to be defined by cerebral palsy. And she's determined to let everyone know it...somehow.

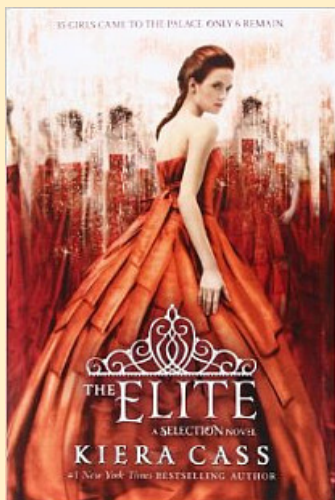
Pricing: \$4.85 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content:
Use of r-word, bullying (neither behavior is presented as appropriate)



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The Elite by Kiera Cass

Genre: Fantasy (Dystopian)

Synopsis: The second book in the bestselling Selection series will enchant teens who love *Divergent* and *The Bachelor*. The first book was on the summer reading list in 2015. In America Singer's world, a bride is chosen for the prince through an elaborate, televised competition. In *The Elite*, America is one of only six girls left in the running. But is it Prince Maxon—and life as the queen—that she wants? Or is it Aspen, her first love?

Pricing: \$8.48 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content: violence, kissing, caressing, drinking wine at a party

Legend by Marie Lu

Genre: Science Fiction (Dystopian)

Synopsis: What was once the western United States is now home to the Republic, a nation perpetually at war with its neighbors. Born into an elite family in one of the Republic's wealthiest districts, fifteen-year-old June is a prodigy being groomed for success in the Republic's highest military circles. Born into the slums, fifteen-year-old Day is the country's most wanted criminal. This is the first book in Marie Lu's debut series and is recommended for fans of the *Hunger Games*.

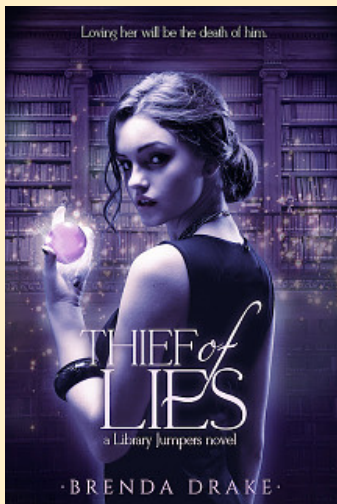
Pricing: \$6.02 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content: character witnesses mother's execution



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Thief of Lies by Brenda Drake

Genre: Fantasy

Synopsis: Gia Kearns would rather fight with boys than kiss them. That is, until Arik suddenly disappears. While examining one of his books, Gia unwittingly speaks the key that sucks her and her friends into a photograph and transports them into a Paris library where a magical adventure awaits. This book is the first in the *Library Jumpers* series.

Pricing: \$9.99 on Amazon

Potentially Controversial Content: fantasy/wizard book which involves characters using magic and traveling through portals found in library books

The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of Adventure, Heroism, and Treachery by Steve Sheinkin

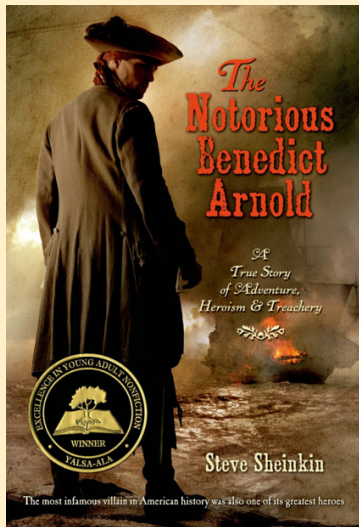
Genre: Non-fiction, biography, history

Synopsis: Most people know that Benedict Arnold was America's first, most notorious traitor. Few know that he was also one of its greatest Revolutionary War heroes. Steve Sheinkin introduces young readers to the real Arnold: reckless, heroic, and driven.

Pricing: \$9.25 on Amazon

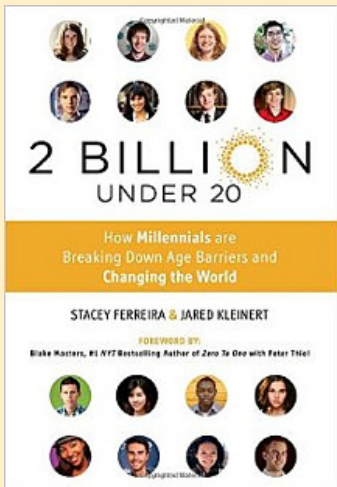
Potentially Controversial Content:

mild language, violence of war and duels, lashing scene, brief mention of drinking/taverns, mention of aphrodesiac/ nakedness, strip search of spy, sharing bed with wife



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***2 Billion Under 20: How Millennials Are Breaking Down Age Barriers and Changing the World* by Stacey Ferreira and Jared Kleinert**

Genre: Non-fiction

Synopsis: Young entrepreneurs Stacey Ferreira and Jared Kleinert have brought together seventy-five stories from ambitious young people like Paige McKenzie, who started her own YouTube channel at sixteen that now has more than 55 million views; Sam Mikulak, who's represented Team USA in the Olympics and is a seven-time NCAA champion in Men's Gymnastics; Jack Andraka, who developed an

early detection test for pancreatic cancer at fifteen; Tallia Storm, a Scottish singer who was discovered by and opened a concert for Elton John, on her way to signing a record deal with Virgin Records; Dau Jok, who escaped civil war in South Sudan to become captain of the University of Pennsylvania's Division 1 basketball team and founder of a nonprofit to help youth in his native country, and many other accomplished and inspiring Millennials from all walks of life.

Pricing: \$20.44 on Amazon (hardback,) \$12.99 Kindle

Potentially Controversial Content: Strong language, brief mention of illegal activity, coming out/LGBTQ narratives, discussion of GLAAD Spirit Day, discussion of bullying and suicide, discussion of eating disorder and obesity, discussion of mental illness, brief religious and non-religious viewpoints, author viewpoints/stories