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Panthers Against Destructive Decision in the Library

Mary Ann Rasmussen -According to dictionary.reference.com, the definition of suicide is as follows: the intentional taking of one's own life. Though when you honest to God sit down and start thinking about it, is it really all that simple? In my personal opinion the answer is no, it's not that simple. Certain events have to happen to make that person feel as if the world would be bettered if they were to not exist. Whether it be bullying through a social media, texting, or the old school way (bullying in person). But no matter which form the bullying takes, it takes a toll on the person's state of mind on how they see themselves. The bullying may cause a shift in how they see themselves physically or how valuable their life really is.

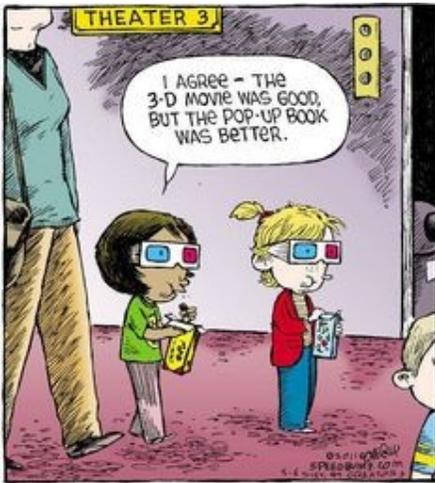
Your words and _____ actions can affect someone's one knows everything about going on in their life that no be considerate and kind with before it's too late. Always re-

life completely. The truth is, is that not anyone. There will always be something one knows about. In other words, always your words and think about your actions member, everything has a ripple effect.



Law's ~ Movies Based off Books

Karisa Law ~ The past week I read the book *The Fault in Our Stars*, and after seeing the movie twice in theaters, I really much preferred the book. There were several details that played a role in the book but were not even mentioned in the movie. Hazels best friend Kaitlyn was not mentioned in the movie, when she knew Augustus in the book and was very supportive of Hazel's decision to talk to him. Although the actors in the movie did a fantastic job playing their roles, you just can not match the expression of details in the book. This was the very first book I've ever read that actually made me cry during several parts in the story, and the movie is a tear-jerker also. I really liked the details of the dinner that Augustus and Hazel shared outside in Amsterdam and how romantic it was but in the movie they had dinner inside a restaurant and I did not like how they changed it. Both the movie and the book were written very well but if I had my choice, book or movie, I would definitely choose book. I read the entire book in one day because it was so addicting to read, I could not put it down. I very much hope they do make a second story that tells about Hazels life after Augustus passed away but I do not think there will be a sequel to this story. If you have only watched the movie, I recommend to read the book also because it has more detail and is better than the movie because of this.



Meyer's Sports Book

Matthew Meyer~ In the book *Miracle on 49th Street*, 12 year old Molly just wants to find her dad that she never had. Eager to meet him, she finds out who he is and where he is. She soon finds out that there will be a problem with this because what she finds out is that he's in the NBA. That doesn't stop her though. Come to the library and pick up a copy of *Miracle on 49th Street*! You'll love it!



Long Column

Andrew Long—Hi my name is Andrew and I work in the library 2nd hour. I like working in the library because my mom works in a library also. It is really fun to work in the library. I feel calm and always have a smile on my face.



“The More that you read,
The More things you will Know.
The more that you Learn,
The more places you'll GO”

Dr. Seuss



Andrew's Comedies

Andrew Thomas ~ Hi, I'm Andrew and I like to laugh, like a lot. Some of the books that I enjoy the most are the ones that make me roll around my floor like a madman. Life can and will be stressful sometimes, so this year I will be recommending books that you can relax and laugh with. Nothing serious, not a bunch of drama, just some plain goodhearted fun!

My all-time favorite read has to be *The Importance of Being Earnest* by Oscar Wilde. This comedy by, in my opinion, the wittiest man who ever lived, is the funniest thing I've ever read. I made the mistake of reading this during SSR one time and could not withhold my giggles as I received numerous stares from across the room. In it, there are two men both living with an alias of Earnest. Women fall in love with them for their "exotic" names, but it becomes extremely hard to keep their secrets... and women. Though it sounds serious, but hilarity ensues as they try and keep their secrets. Be warned, some of the humor is hard to get and some big words are used, but it is all leading towards the goal of poking fun at "high-class" living. Go check out *The Importance of Being Earnest* at 822.8!

"The Answers you seek may be found at the library"

THE LIBRARY WORKER

Kimberly Waldrup ~ What a great way to start off my day, by being a library worker. I think being in the library everyday 2nd hour is a way to get the day started. Coming here in the mornings always puts a smile on face and I know I can be myself. I have never been a person who loves to read a book unless I just had to. Being a library worker I am around the books all the time and I know what is popular and not, so I'm going to for sure start to read a lot more. I also love helping others, so if you come in 2nd hour I would gladly help you find the book perfect for you. So come in 2nd hour and join us!

Interview with a Patron

Panther Pages: What brings you to the library more often?

Tatum Wertin: Books

PP:What is your favorite thing about the library?

TW: Jolly Ranchers

PP:What do you think about the selection of books in the library?

TW: Fantastic

PP:What do you do most here in the library?

TW: Eat and talk to Coop

PP:Does the library suit your needs?

TW: OMG! It Exceeds them.

Skinner's Suggestions

Zach Skinner—The McGraw-Hill ACT book is up to date with the latest practice test, study tips and more. It has 6 full-length practice tests, four in the book and two online. A free customizable test planner app. Hundreds of sample questions and explanations. Along with strategies to help you answer every type of ACT question. This makes this a great way to get prepared. The Gruber's complete ACT guide 2015 is the easiest, and fastest way to improve your score. It gives you a way to see an example of the test you are going to have to take as a junior. Don't be behind when it comes to time to get ready for the ACT. Come on in and get started now!



Library Website Check it Out

Interview with a Patron

Panther Pages: What brings you to the library more often?

Colin Thomas: Either to use the computer or to get a book.

PP:What is your favorite thing about the library?

CT: I like the quite atmosphere of the library

PP:What do you think about the selection of books in the library?

CT: I have never had a problem finding a book at the library, so I think it is a good selection

PP:What do you do most here in the library?

CT: Work on the computer

PP:Does the library suit your needs?

CT: Yes



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There is no foot
too small
that it cannot leave an
imprint
on this
WORLD.

Saydi's Spot

Saydi Taylor- This book is about a young girl who committed suicide. After her death her friends found thirteen videos of her. In these videos she gave them thirteen reasons why she

killed herself. After they got through all the videos they understood why she would do such a thing.



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