

Library News

Welcome to the School Year!! In order to help our library please review the following:

Volunteers Wanted – We love our volunteers! You are needed to shelve books, check books out to students, and help with small projects in the library. We desperately need help at the following times:

Monday from 9:15 to 9:50, 12:40 to 1:20 and 2:15 to 2:55/ Tuesday from 9:50 to 10:30 and 12:40 to 1:20

PLEASE make sure you keep Puesta del Sol Library books separate from the KCLS library. If they are accidentally returned to KCLS it sometimes takes months for the book to make its way back to our library

Overdue books – Students with overdue or lost books need to wait to check out more books until their books are either returned or the lost book is paid for. Students may pick out a book and put it on hold until overdues are taken care of.

*The library is open every morning from 8:45 to 9:00 if a student wants to check out more often.

Lost books – It is our District's Library policy to give refunds for books that are lost, paid for, and then found again, if the book cost is \$20 or more. The refunds are issued during the current school year only.

THANK YOU to our wonderful Scholastic Book Fair chairmen who bring the Scholastic Book Fair to the library each fall! Thank you to all parents who support our school library with your donations and to Birthday Book Club (flyer coming soon).

Adult/Student Book Club – Once again 4th and 5th grade students are invited to participate in the Evening Book Club with an accompanying adult. **Our first meeting will be on Monday, October 28th, from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the library.** We meet once a month through March 30th. In order to understand how a book club works from start to finish, students are encouraged to attend all 5 meetings. Flyers will be available in the main office and will be handed out to students in October during class time.

Reading Challenges – Students are encouraged to participate in one of the two yearly Reading Challenges, created by Sra. Brody. The 2nd/3rd grade Reading Challenge is a bookmark listing 20 books in both English and Spanish. Students are encouraged to read 12 books on the list during the school year and win a bag of goodies given out at the end of year Awards Ceremony. 4th/5th grade Reading Challenge is a bookmark listing 20 books of a variety of genres in both English and Spanish. Students are encouraged to read 15 books on the list during the school year and win a bag of goodies given out at the end of year Awards Ceremony.

Global Reading Challenge – This is a KCLS sponsored program for 4th and 5th grade students interested in a reading competition. We will have 4 to 5 teams with 6 students on each team. Team members will be in charge of choosing one of the books that the KCLS brings to us, and then becoming an expert on the book. Flyers for this exciting competition will be given to students during class time and will also be in the office.

Have a great year!

Stacey Brody – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Librarian

Lisa Carpenter – Thursday, Friday Librarian

Giving students the opportunity to become effective users of ideas and information."