

GRADES 6-8 SUMMER 2011 BOOKLIST

NONFICTION & BIOGRAPHY

- J 031.02 TIBB
Ripley's Believe It or Not! Enter if You Dare!
by Geoff Tibballs
- J 371.822 THOM
Three Cups of Tea by Sara L. Thomson
- J 639.978 MONT
Kakapo Rescue: Saving the World's Strangest Parrot
by Sy Montgomery
- J 644.109 ARON
Sugar Changed the World
by Marc Aronson
- J 652.8 BLAC
Mysterious Messages: A History of Codes and Ciphers
by Gary L. Blackwood
- J 792.842 GREE
Ballet for Martha: Making Appalachian Spring
by Jan Greenberg and Sandra Jordan
- J 920 STON
Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared to Dream
by Tanya Lee Stone

- J B Arnold
The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of
Adventure, Heroism & Treachery by Steve Sheinkin
- Y 688.7 STON
The Good the Bad and the Barbie by Tanya Lee Stone

- Y B Booth
Chasing Lincoln's Killer by James L. Swanson



Each year Frederick County Public Schools and Frederick County Public Libraries come together to pick the best book titles for the children in our community. Here are the most exciting books available for summer reading for students in grades 6 - 8.

Stop by your public library this summer and check one out!

FANTASY/SCIENCE FICTION

- J FIC BEC
Spacer and Rat by Margaret Bechard
- J FIC COT
Cosmic by Frank Cottrell
- J FIC GORD
Tunnels by Roderick Gordon (series)
- J FIC STEW
The Mysterious Benedict Society
by Trenton Lee Stewart (series)
- Y FIC CAR
Dragon's Keep by Janet Lee Carey
- Y FIC COLL
The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins (series)
- Y FIC FUNK
Reckless by Cornelia Funke
- Y FIC GIDW
A Tale Dark and Grimm by Adam Gidwitz
- Y FIC RIOR
The Red Pyramid by Rick Riordan (series)
- Y FIC WEST
Leviathan by Scott Westerfeld (series)

GRAPHIC NOVELS

- J FIC DEUT - GRAPHIC FORMAT
Hereville: How Mirka Got Her Sword by Barry Deutsch
- J FIC RENI - GRAPHIC NOVEL
The Unsinkable Walker Bean by Aaron Renier
- J FIC SHIG - GRAPHIC NOVEL
Meanwhile by Jason Shiga
- J B SIEGEL - GRAPHIC FORMAT
To Dance: A Memoir by Siena Cherson Siegel
- Y FIC HICK - GRAPHIC NOVEL
The War at Ellsmere by Faith Erin Hicks
- Y FIC KIM - GRAPHIC NOVEL
Brain Camp by Susan Kim
- Y FIC SMITH - GRAPHIC NOVEL
Tall Tales by Jeff Smith (series)
- Y FIC TENN - GRAPHIC NOVEL
Ghstopolis by Doug TenNapel
- Y FIC WARR - GRAPHIC NOVEL
The Lost Warrior by Dan Jolley (series)
- Y FIC YOLE - GRAPHIC NOVEL
Foiled by Jane Yolen

REALISTIC

- J FIC AMAT
Invisible Lines by Mary Amato
- J FIC BUTL
The Truth About the Truman School
by Dori Hillestad Butler
- J FIC FARR
Rules to Rock By by Josh Farrar
- J FIC HOLM
Operation Yes! by Sarah Holmes
- J FIC PREL
Bystander by James Preller
- J FIC SILB
Milo: Sticky Notes and Brain Freeze by Alan Silberberg
- Y FIC DRAP
Out of My Mind by Sharon Draper
- Y FIC KADO
Outside Beauty by Cynthia Kadohata
- Y FIC OPPE
Half Brother by Kenneth Oppel
- Y FIC ZARR
Sweethearts by Sara Zarr



HISTORICAL FICTION

- J FIC KENT
Medina Hill by Trilby Kent
- J FIC PATT
Best Friends Forever: A World War II Scrapbook
by Beverly Patt
- J FIC VAND
Moon Over Manifest by Claire Vanderpool
- J FIC WATT
No Moon by Irene Watts
- J FIC WILE
Countdown by Deborah Wiles
- J FIC WILL
One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia
- Y FIC GLEI
Once by Morris Gleitzman
- Y FIC PAUL
Woods Runner by Gary Paulson
- Y FIC PREU
Heart of a Samurai by Margi Preus
- Y FIC SMIT
Flygirl by Sherri L. Smith

Access these lists
online at
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www.fcpl.org

ADVENTURE/SURVIVAL

J FIC FLAN
The Ruins of Gorlan by John Flanagan (series)

J FIC MONE
Fish by Gregory Mone

J FIC RHOD
Ninth Ward by Jewel Rhodes

Y FIC BING
Shark Girl by Kelly L. Bingham

Y FIC BODE
The Compound by S.A. Bodeen

Y FIC GONZ
The Red Umbrella by Christina Gonzalez

Y FIC Hobb
Take Me to the River by Will Hobbs

Y FIC HORO
Stormbreaker by Anthony Horowitz (series)

Y FIC KORM
Juvie Three by Gordon Korman

Y FIC MULL
Trash by Andy Mulligan

SPORTS

J FIC GREE
Best of the Best: A Baseball Great Novel
by Tim Green

J FIC HELD
Roy Morelli Steps Up to the Plate
by Thatcher Heldring

J FIC RIPK
Hothead by Cal Ripken

Y FIC BLOO
Tangerine by Edward Bloor

Y FIC CHOA
Soccerland by Beth Choat

Y FIC COY
Crackback by John Coy

Y FIC DEUK
Payback Time by Carl Deuker

Y FIC FEIN
The Rivalry: Mystery at the Army Navy Game
by John Feinstein

Y FIC LUPI
Batboy by Mike Lupica

Y FIC MACK
Boost by Kathryn Mackel

SKINNY BOOKS/ QUICK READ

J FIC ANGL
The Strange Case of Origami Yoda
by Tom Angleberger

J FIC KINN
Diary of A Wimpy Kid: The Ugly Truth
by Jeff Kinney

J FIC LOWR
The Willoughbys by Lois Lowry

J FIC PAUL
Mudshark by Gary Paulsen

J FIC SONN
Dodger and Me by Jordan Sonnenblick

J FIC YOUN
Doodlebug : A Novel in Doodles
by Karen Romano Young

J MYS CARM
Patrick Carman's Skeleton Creek
by Patrick Carman

Y FIC ELL
The Breadwinner by Deborah Ellis

Y FIC HORO
The Switch by Anthony Horowitz

Y FIC SCHR
Vampire Kisses by Ellen Schreiber (series)



CLASSICS

J FIC DIC
Tiger Rising by Kate Dicamillo

J MYS RASK
The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin

Y FIC ARM
Sounder by William Armstrong

Y FIC CAR
Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card (series)

Y FIC FARM
The House of the Scorpion by Nancy Farmer

Y FIC HESS
Out of the Dust by Karen Hesse

Y FIC PAUL
Hatchet by Gary Paulsen

Y FIC PRA
The Wee Free Men by Terry Pratchett

Y FIC SPIN
Crash by Jerry Spinnelli

Y FIC TAY
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred Taylor

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MYSTERY/THRILLER

J FIC DELA
Revenge of the Witch by Joseph Delaney (series)

J FIC GRAB
The Smoky Corridor by Chris Grabenstein

J FIC HAHN
The Ghost of Crutchfield Hall
by Mary Downing Hahn

J MYS BALL
The Danger Box by Blue Balliet

J MYS SPRI
The Case of the Missing Marquess: An Enola
Holmes Mystery by Nancy Springer (series)

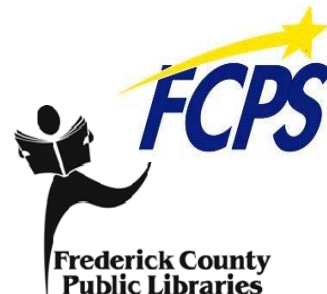
Y FIC CART
Heist Society by Ally Carter

Y FIC GRIS
Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer by John Grisham

Y FIC HESS
Brooklyn Bridge by Karen Hesse

Y FIC MORT
The Hunt for the Seventh
by Christine Morton-Shaw

FIC RUIZ
Prince of Mist by Carlos Ruiz Zafon



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