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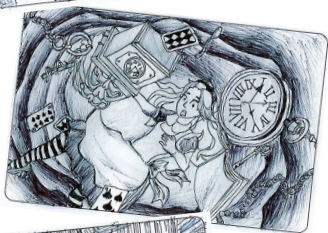
WHS library
newsletter #10



Welcome to the WHHS library newsletter. Keeping you up-to-date with all the latest library news!

Book Token Designs

Well done to all those who submitted artwork for the National Book Tokens competition. We have some very talented artists!

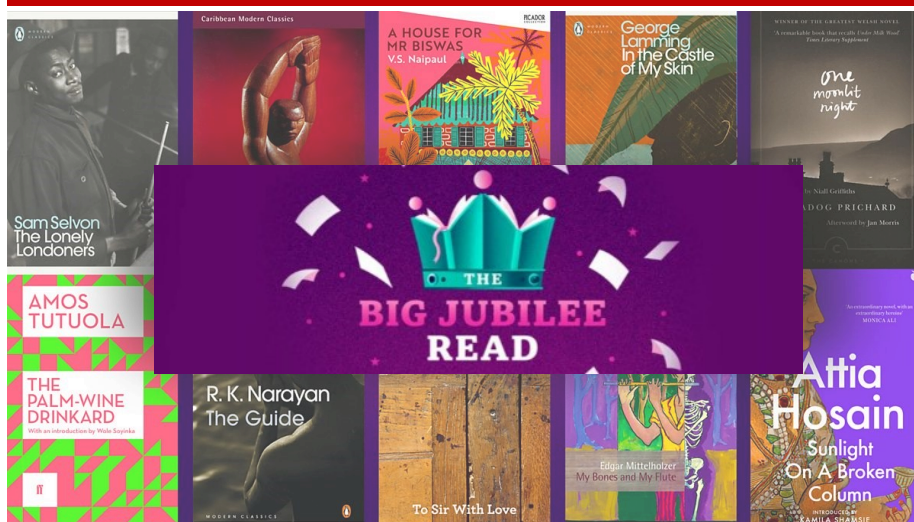


Thank You!

Thank you for supporting our Book Fair event. It was a huge success and we were able to purchase **£150 worth of free books for our library!**



The Big Jubilee Read



BBC Arts and The Reading Agency have announced the titles for the Big Jubilee Read, a reading for pleasure campaign celebrating great reads from celebrated authors from across the Commonwealth to coincide with Her Majesty The Queen's Platinum Jubilee. [Click image to view all 70 titles](#) which consist of 10 books through each decade.

Mental Health Awareness Week 2022



This year, the theme is loneliness. Loneliness is often described as when we feel we do not have the meaningful relationships we want around us. Although loneliness is not a mental health problem, it is an experience that can affect our mental health.

[Click here](#) for a list of books to support mental health awareness



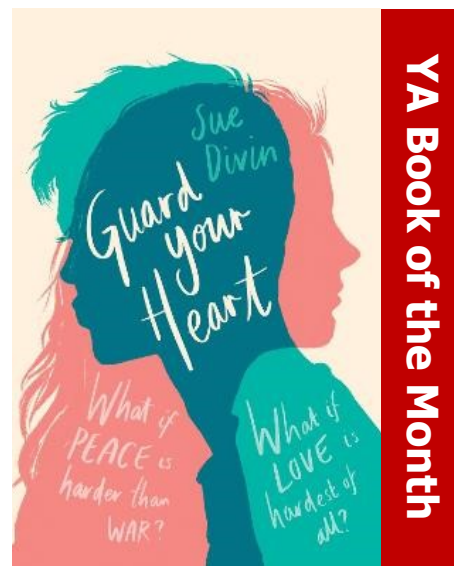
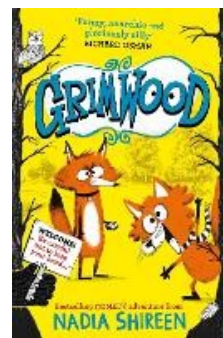
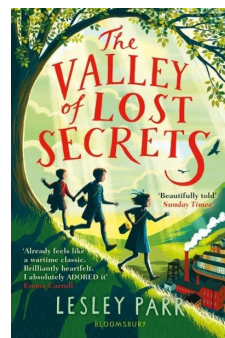
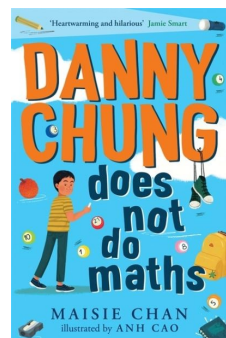
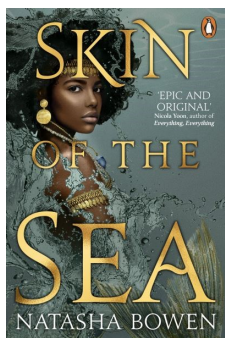
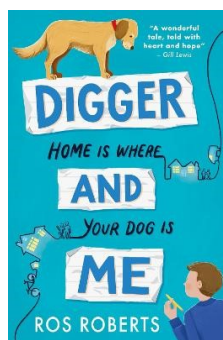
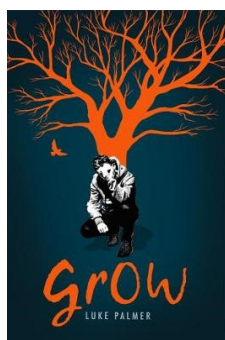
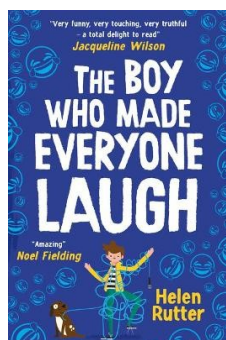
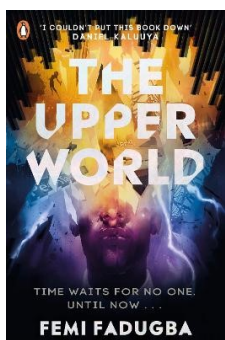
Branford Boase Award Shortlist

The Branford Boase Award is awarded annually for an outstanding first novel to a first-time writer of a book for young people.

As ever, the subject matter is very broad and there are books for readers aged 7 to 17: family dramas, fantasy adventure, science fiction and anarchic comedy.



Click on the covers to find out more



Guard Your Heart by Sue Divin Derry. Summer 2016. Aidan and Iona, now eighteen. Aidan is Catholic, Irish, and Republican. Iona is Protestant and British, At a post-exam party, Aidan wanders alone across the Peace Bridge and becomes the victim of a brutal sectarian attack. Iona witnessed the attack; picked up Aidan's phone and filmed what happened, and gets in touch with him to return the phone. When the two meet, alone and on neutral territory, the differences between them seem insurmountable. Despite their differences and the secrets they have to keep from each other, there is mutual intrigue, and their friendship grows. But it seems like everything is keeping them apart, when all they want is to be together.

Carnegie 2022 shortlisted

When The Sky Falls by Phil Earle

It's 1940, and Joseph has been packed off to stay with Mrs F, a gruff woman with no great fondness for children. To Joseph's amazement, she owns the rundown city zoo where Joseph meets Adonis, a huge silverback gorilla. Adonis is ferociously strong and dangerous, but Joseph finds he has an affinity with the lonely beast. But when the bombs begin to fall, it is up to Joseph to guard Adonis's cage should it be damaged by a blast. Will Joseph be ready to pull the trigger if it comes to it?



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