

Fairview Book Reviews

Fairview Students: Do you have a favorite book? Or did you read a great book over the summer? Share it with the school and get a chance to win a prize. There are two ways to be a winner.

*See your name in Print:

- Submit the title of the book using the Fairview Book Reviews form (see the Falconpost links or email us) and get your name and book title published in the Falconpost. This will be a once a month feature.

*Win a prize: Write a short review of the book (review must follow guidelines)

- All students writing a review will receive a small prize
- Your name will be entered in a monthly drawing for a prize and the chance to have your name and your review read by Frau Mulligan during the morning announcements and we will publish your review in the Falconpost. There will two age categories: K-2 and 3-6.

First Drawing will be last week of Oct, then one to follow every month

*For every review you write, you will have your name entered in a drawing for a grand prize awarded at the end of the school year.

The Fairview Book Reviews form can be found on the Fairview website, as a falconpost link, and in the office. You can email it back to us at the emails listed below. Or you can put it in the Fairview Book Reviews box outside of the office. Download it, fill it out and send it in today!!!

Guidelines for review

For Kindergarteners- you can tell your parents what you think about the book and they can help you write it. Try to tell us what the story is about (a summary) and what you thought of the book. You could even draw a picture if you like. Give 5 stars if you liked it or just one if you did not.

1st-6th graders: Your review should be written neatly in your own handwriting. It must be in complete sentences. Students should try to follow these guidelines but especially for 3-6th graders.

Here is a fun website to act as a goal and guideline:
<http://www.spaghettibookclub.org/>

The components of the review are:

- 1) A **brief summary** and specifically what is **your favorite part**
- 2 Tell us **what you thought** of the book and **rate** the book from 1 to 5 using this star system.
1 ★ = terrible (is there such a thing??? Only you can say)
2 ★★ = not so bad, but not that great
3 ★★★ = an average book
4 ★★★★ = a good book
5 ★★★★★ = the best book ever!!

We look forward to hearing from you and reading your reviews. Becky Dietrich (Beccadietrich@hotmail.com) and Amy Koshoffer (Koshoffer@hotmail.com)

To Parents: if you are interested in donating money or prizes for this effort, we would gladly accept your donations. We are also going to have a bookfair at Joseph Beth on Oct 24th. You can find a voucher for shopping at Joseph Beth as a Falconpost link. Present this coupon when you purchase books on the 24th of October and 20% of the profits from the sale will come back to Fairview to help fund this program. Tracy Morgan of Saturday Night Live and 30Rock will be at the store signing his book and there will be a costume masquerade as well. A great time for all and a great cause!!

