

WINTER 2018



# The Victor Teen Read

## Happy Winter!



December—check out a Teen Top Ten book!

We hope everyone is having a great holiday season!



We have some fun events coming up in January and February. Join us after hours for the Teen Murder Mystery Game (back by popular demand) on January 12th. We're excited about Bad Art Night February 16th—bring a lack of artistic skill and your sense of adventure. Hilarity will ensue!

We are always looking for book review submissions for the newsletter. Do you have a photo, art project or poem you'd like to share? We'd love to include it in the next issue. Please

send any submissions to Dori by email ([deisenstat@pls-net.org](mailto:deisenstat@pls-net.org)) or drop it off in the library.

Thanks for reading!

See you in the library,  
Krystina and Dori  
December 2018



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### Library Hours

Monday 10am-8pm  
Tuesday 10am-8pm  
Wednesday 10am-8pm  
Thursday 10am-8pm  
Friday 10am-6pm  
Saturday 10am-4pm  
Sunday 12pm-4pm

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# What We're Reading...



**KRYSTINA** recently read **Grace and Fury**, by Tracy Banghart:

“In a world where women have no rights, sisters Serina and Nomi Tessaro face two very different fates: one in the palace, the other in prison.

Serina has been groomed her whole life to become a Grace - someone to stand by the heir to the throne as a shining, subjugated example of the perfect woman. But when her headstrong and rebellious younger sister, Nomi, catches the heir's eye, it's Serina who takes the fall for the dangerous secret that Nomi has been hiding.

Now trapped in a life she never wanted, Nomi has only one way to save Serina: surrender to her role as a Grace until she can use her position to release her sister. This is easier said than done. A traitor walks the halls of the palace, and deception lurks in every corner. But Serina is running out of time, imprisoned on an island where she must fight to the death to survive and one wrong move could cost her everything.”

**DORI** recently read **Dumplin'**, by Julie Murphy:

“Self-proclaimed fat girl Willowdean Dickson (dubbed “Dumplin'” by her former beauty queen mom) has always been at home in her own skin. Her thoughts on having the ultimate bikini body? Put a bikini on your body.

With her all-American beauty best friend, Ellen, by her side, things have always worked . . . until Will takes a job at Harpy's, the local fast-food joint. There she meets Private School Bo, a hot former jock. Will isn't surprised to find herself attracted to Bo. But she is surprised when he seems to like her back.

Instead of finding new heights of self-assurance in her relationship with Bo, Will starts to doubt herself. So she sets out to take back her confidence by doing the most horrifying thing she can imagine: entering the Miss Clover City beauty pageant—along with several other unlikely candidates—to show the world that she deserves to be up there as much as any girl does.”

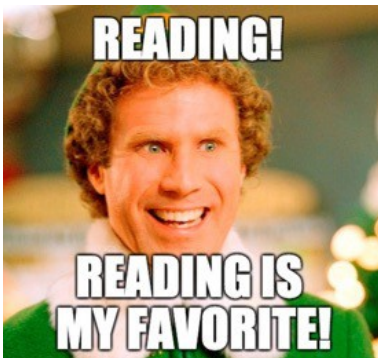
Along the way, she'll shock the hell out of Clover City—and maybe herself most of all.”

**Want to know what we thought? Ask us! Or, ask us for other book recommendations.**

## Wanted: Teen Reviewers

Want to tell others about a book you've read?

Want to see your review in print and **earn community service hours** at the same time?



We are looking for teens, grades 7-12, to write reviews for this newsletter. You will receive community service hours for the time spent writing the review.

### Instructions:

- Write a thoughtful review for a book you read. Any book, graphic novel, or audiobook is eligible. It can be a fiction, non-fiction, young adult, adult, or children's book (as long as it is a book that interests you)
- Send the review by email to Dori at [deisenstat@pls-net.org](mailto:deisenstat@pls-net.org) OR print the review and drop it off at VFL. Please include your name, age or grade, and contact

info (email and phone).

- Unless you tell us otherwise, we will print your name with the review. If you don't want your name listed, please let us know.



# What's New?

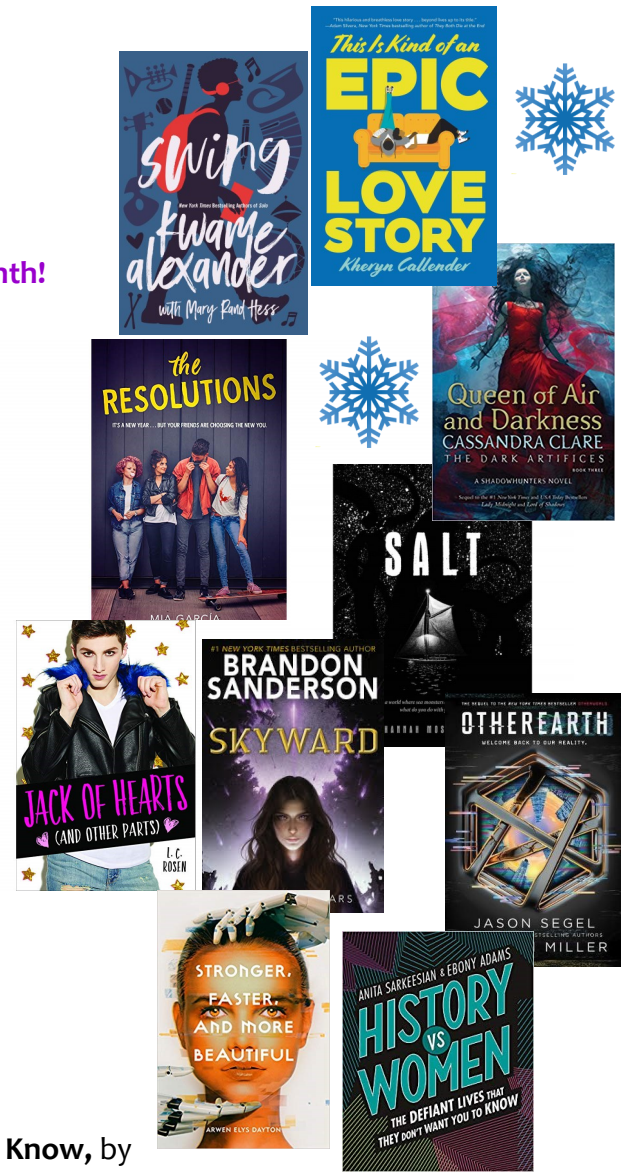


## ...to read

New young adult books that just arrived in the library this month!

### FICTION:

- Swing, by Kwame Alexander
- This is Kind of an Epic Love Story, by Kheryn Callender
- Queen of Air and Darkness, by Cassandra Clare
- The Resolutions, by Mia Garcia
- Salt, by Hannah Moskowitz
- Jack of Hearts (and other parts), by Lev Rosen
- Skyward, by Brandon Sanderson
- Otherearth, by Jason Segel
- Stronger, Faster, and More Beautiful, by Arwen Dayton
- Eat, Brains, Love, by Jeff Hart
- Undead with Benefits, by Jeff Hart
- Girls on the Line, by Jennifer Liu
- Dr. Bird's Advice for Sad Poets, by Evan Roskos
- Fantastic Beasts, The Crimes of Grindelwald, by J. K. Rowling
- Anna and the Apocalypse, by Katharine Turner
- Broken Lands, by Jonathan Mayberry

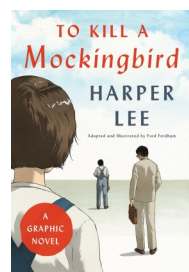


### NONFICTION:

- History vs. Women: The Defiant Lives They Don't Want You To Know, by Anita Sarkeesian
- Teen Trailblazers: 30 Fearless Girls Who Changed the World Before They Were 20, by Jennifer Calvert

### GRAPHIC NOVELS:

- To Kill a Mockingbird, by Harper Lee
- Frau Faust 5, by Kore Yamazaki
- My Hero Academia 16, Red Riot, by Kohei Horikoshi
- Runaways 2, Best Friends Forever, by Rainbow Rowell



## ...to watch

- Christopher Robin
- Crazy Rich Asians
- Dog Days
- Incredibles 2
- Mission Impossible: Fallout
- Searching
- Smallfoot
- The Big Bang Theory, Season 11
- DC's Legends of Tomorrow, Seasons 1-3



## TEEN MURDER MYSTERY GAME



Join us after hours for a live action murder mystery game! A crime has been committed in the library, and it's up to you to gather clues and solve the mystery.

Food will be provided.

For teens in grades 7 - 12

**SATURDAY 1/12 4-6pm**

## TEEN BAD ART NIGHT



Join us after hours for a competition to see who can make the worst piece of art!

Food will be provided.

For teens in grades 7 - 12

**SATURDAY 2/16 4-6pm**

## TASTE TEST

### EXTRAVAGANZA TASTE TEST



We'll be comparing different brands of our favorite snacks, including cookies, chips, soda, and maybe even PIZZA!

For teens in grades 7 - 12

**WEDNESDAY 2/20 3-4pm**

## BOOK TO MOVIE BOOK CLUB



Let's talk about books that have been made into movies! Read the book and/or watch the movie on your own, then join us to discuss both!

1/25: To All the Boys I've Loved Before by Jenny Han

2/22 Dumplin' by Julie Murphy

As always, there will be snacks!

For teens in grades 7 - 12

**FRIDAY 1/25 & 2/22, 6-6:45**

## TEEN ADVISORY BOARD



Help make decisions about library programs and materials, while earning volunteer hours and socializing.

Of course we'll have snacks!

For teens in grades 7 - 12

**FRIDAY 1/25 & 2/22, 6:45—7:30pm**

# TEEN EVENT CALENDAR

Please register for programs online at [victorfarmingtonlibrary.org](http://victorfarmingtonlibrary.org)

or by calling us at 585-924-2637

### JANUARY

**Sat 1/12: 4-6pm** Teen Murder Mystery Game

**Fri 1/25: 6-6:45** Book to Movie Book Club

**Fri 1/25: 6:45-7:30** Teen Advisory Board

### FEBRUARY

**Sat 2/16: 4-6pm** Teen Bad Art Night

**Wed 2/20: 3-4pm** Teen Taste Test Extravaganza

**Fri 2/22: 6-6:45** Book to Movie Book Club

**Fri 2/22: 6:45-7:30** Teen Advisory Board

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### Want to receive this newsletter by email?

Sign up in the library or

email Dori at [deisenstat@pls-net.org](mailto:deisenstat@pls-net.org)

and ask to be added to the teen email list