



**SJA Battle of the Books  
2016 updates and changes!**

# *BATTLE OF THE BOOKS*

## *SCHEDULE CHANGES*

- ★ NEW DATES - READ 4 BOOKS BY **MON. JAN 25TH** TO EARN A HOT CHOCOLATE PARTY ON **FRIDAY JAN. 29TH!**
- ★ FINAL DEADLINE CHANGED:
- ★ READ 6 OR MORE BOOKS BY **FRI. FEB 26TH** TO QUALIFY FOR THE BATTLES ON **MARCH 14-16** AND THE **FINAL BATTLE ON FRI. MARCH 18TH.**
- ★ BOOK FORMS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY EACH DEADLINE LISTED TO QUALIFY

# *BOOK LISTS*

## *3rd & 4th Grade:*

- ★ *Indian in the Cupboard* by Lynne Banks
- ★ *Aliens Ate my Homework* by Bruce Coville
- ★ *Bunnicula: A Rabbit-Tale of Mystery* - Deborah Howe and James Howe\*\*
- ★ *How to Steal a Dog* - Barbara O'Connor\*\*
- ★ *Matilda* - Roald Dahl\*\*
- ★ *Shedderman Secret Identity (Shredderman Series #1)* - Wendelin Van Draanen\*\*
- ★ *Where the mountain meets the moon* - Grace Lin
- ★ *All Stations! Distress!: April 15, 1912: The Day the Titanic Sank* - Don Brown\*\*
- ★ *Secret Science Alliance and the Copycat Crook* - Eleanor Davis
- ★ *A Bear Named Trouble* - Marion Dane Bauer

# *BOOK LISTS 5th & 6th Grade:*

- ★ *The Watsons Go to Birmingham - 1963* by Christopher P. Curtis\*\*
- ★ *Where the Red Fern Grows* by Wilson Rawls\*\*
- ★ *Maniac Magee* by Jerry Spinelli\*\*
- ★ *The Maze Runner* by James Dashner \*\*
- ★ *Flush* by Carl Hiassen
- ★ *Small as an Elephant* by Jennifer Richard Jacobson
- ★ *The London Eye Mystery* by Siobhan Dowd
- ★ *Smile* by Raina Telgemeier
- ★ *I Survived the Titanic, 1912* by Lauren Trashes \*\*
- ★ *Unbroken (The Young Adult Adaptation): An Olympian's Journey from Airman to Castaway, to Captive* by Laura Hillenbrand\*\*

# ***BOOK LIST***

## ***7th & 8th Grade:***

- ★ *My Brother Sam is Dead* by James Lincoln Collier
- ★ *Elsewhere* by Gabrielle Zevin
- ★ *The Swap* by Megan Shull
- ★ *I Am Malala: The girl who stood up for Education and was shot by the Taliban* by Malala Yousafzai\*\*
- ★ *Just a Drop of Water* by Kerry O'Malley Cera
- ★ *Night* by Elie Wiesel (Changed from The Perfect Game)
- ★ *The Pigman* by Paul Zindel
- ★ *Under the Blood Red Sun* by Graham Salisbury
- ★ *I am the Cheese* by Robert Cormier
- ★ *And Then There Were None* by Agatha Christie\*\*