



FISHBOURNE READS

OUR READING FOR PLEASURE NEWSLETTER



Issue 8

Welcome to our 8th edition of 'Fishbourne Reads' with lots of exciting news and inspiration for your reading adventures at school and at home! We have lots of recommendations here for you to enjoy with so many recent publications which look AMAZING!

Hopefully by now you will have all spent some time in our library and seen the wonderful collection of books Mrs Whitaker has put together to mark World Earth Day.



We start with news from our wonderful Patron of Reading, Sophy Henn:

Well, it's been a busy month here! There was National Superhero Day, so I got to do lots of Pizazz type things and it was announced that I will be writing 3 more Pizazz books too, so Mrs Harris' global fame is assured!

I also got to help Steven Lenton celebrate the launch of his BRAND NEW BOOK, Genie and Teeny this week. There were sparkly badges, magic teapots, blue faces (via the magic of instagram filters) and laughs aplenty. It's a great emerging reader book, packed with illustrations and LOLs!!! And it's my book recommendation of the month!

Also I am just about to launch my brand new picture book, The Best Worst Day Ever! I am so excited about this book as the main character is named after my dad, and I am really pleased with how the illustrations and the colours have turned out, I REALLY hope you like it too! I have been chatting about it to people who write for magazines, people on the radio (@LearnRadioLive is brilliant and have LOTS of different programmes including an after school book club, check them out!) and I will be dashing about ALL over the place to create windows in lots of bookshops doing some virtual events too...maybe I could pop up at Fishbourne Primary if you're not too busy!

But even though that book is just about to come out I am half way through the next picture book! Righty ho, back to it and hopefully (EVERYTHING CROSSED) I will get to see you all soon.

Sophy Henn

We very much look forward to welcoming Sophy back to school when she can join us again. In the meantime, don't forget about our Sophy Henn post box where you can post any questions or fan mail! We will post these off to Sophy regularly on your behalf.



Genie and Teeny Make a Wish by Steve Lenton

When Grant the Genie is cast out of Genie World, he lands on Earth with a big, fat bump! Without a lamp to call home, he has to settle for an old cracked teapot instead.

Grant is very lonely until he meets the puppy, Teeny. Then Genie and Teeny are kidnapped by the evil purple-loving Lavinia Lavender, and find themselves on-course for a rollercoaster of an adventure - when all they really want is a place to call home...

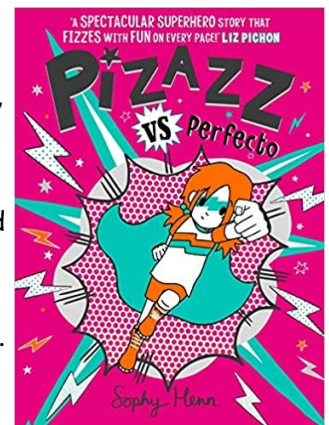


The Best Worst Day Ever by Sophy Henn

Having the WORST DAY EVER? Turn that frown upside down in this wiggling, hooting, roaring adventure from picture book superstar, Sophy Henn! Arthur is having the WORST DAY EVER. So he runs away - nearly to the end of the garden. But when it's time to go home, Arthur's journey back is full of surprises and he learns how to turn a stomp into a skip, a huff into a hoot and a roar into a song! Maybe Arthur's day isn't so bad after all...

Pizazz v's Perfecto (Volume 3) by Sophy Henn

HELLO! My name is PIZAZZ and I'm a superhero . . . You probably think that's really AWESOME, and while it can be, it's also REEEEEEEAAALLLLLY annoying. Even though I'm saving the world ALL THE TIME, there are still LOADS of bad guys about. Like super baddie PERFECTO! She's younger than me, and just . . . well, PERFECT! But I have a plan. Maybe I just need to be perfect too even more perfect than Perfecto. Easy-peasy, right?!



These three books will all be available in our school library and will be ready for you to take out as soon as they are published!

READING FOR
6 MINUTES A DAY
REDUCES STRESS
BY 68%.



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Rachel Renée Russell

DORK diaries

once upon a dork

COLOR ME IN!

Tales from a not-so-fabulous life

A DAY IN THE LIFE
OF A POO, A GNU, AND YOU

Linda Ward Beech

A new country. A strange city. A hidden wonder...

FLY ME HOME


POLLY HO-YEN

Feeling lost and alone in a strange new city, Leelu wishes she could fly away back home - her real home where her dad is, thousands of miles away. London is cold and grey and the neighbours are noisy and there's concrete everywhere. But Leelu is not alone; someone is leaving her gifts outside her house - wonders which give her curious magical powers.

*"Very funny, very touching, very truthful
a real laugh to read"*
Joanne Wilson

**THE BOY
WHO MADE
EVERYONE
LAUGH**

"Amazing"
Noel Fielding

 **Helen
Rutter**

KERRY
GODLIMAN