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#### **BOOK CHALLENGE**

So far this year, the 7th Grade Honors students have read 77 books! Way to go!

## **SCHOOL**

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#### **ALLITERATION SKITS**

If there's one thing the 7th Grade Honors English class loves to do, it's have a good time. While students were studying poetic devices during September, the students wrote and performed alliteration skits to show their talents at working together, creativity, writing, and performing in front of an audience.

People! People! Peter the Pastry Pirate has popped out of prison. Oh no, what does he plan to pirate? The princess's pink pickled popcorn. But doesn't Peter the Pastry Pirate steal pastries? Yes, but Peter thought the princess's pink pickled popcorn was prettier than the purple polka-dotted pineapple pastry. Peter's perfect plan has some particulars. Peter plans to pirate the princess's plump perfumed poppied peaches. Oh no! I, Peter the Pastry Pirate pirated the princess's pink pickled popcorn and perfumed pugged-puppy peaches. Hah! Perish you pirate! For I am the Princess Petunia. Prepare to be punched in the nose. My perfect plan is imperfectly putrid. Steal the princess's pink pickled popcorns and plum peaches puppies. Pooray! Pooray!





Upcoming! Next month 7th Grade Honors English students are invited to go meet Ally Condie, the author of the #1 New York Times and international best-selling MATCHED trilogy. It will be exciting to hear about her newest novel, "ATLANTIA, a story set in the future where humans have had to establish a colony underwater in order to survive.

# WRITING NARRATIVE SUMMARIES

What is a narrative summary? 7th Grade Honors English students learned how to write narrative summaries (the main ideas of a story from beginning, middle, to end, in your own words) by creating "Freeze Frame" Summaries. Students broke down traditional fairy tales into the main ideas and created a "tableau." Audience members had to guess, in just five freeze frames, the name of the fairy tale.



The Pied Piper

# DESCRIPTIVE WRITING: CAN YOU MATCH THE DEFINITION WITH ITS PICTURE?

The rocky giant looms over the people scurrying like insects below. The mountain gives them shade and protects them from the savage winds. But the mighty giant has been weathered for many years by the relentless rain and snow. He is always weary but he never gives up for his armor is almost impenetrable. Some bold people dare to try and reach the top but the giant gives mighty challenges to those who dare try and reach the peak. Nothing grows on or around him; all the plants fear him. However, he is not alone for other giants stand nearby. The others give way easily to the mighty winds and relentless rain. The rocky giant, though he stands alone, will stay for as long as he can.

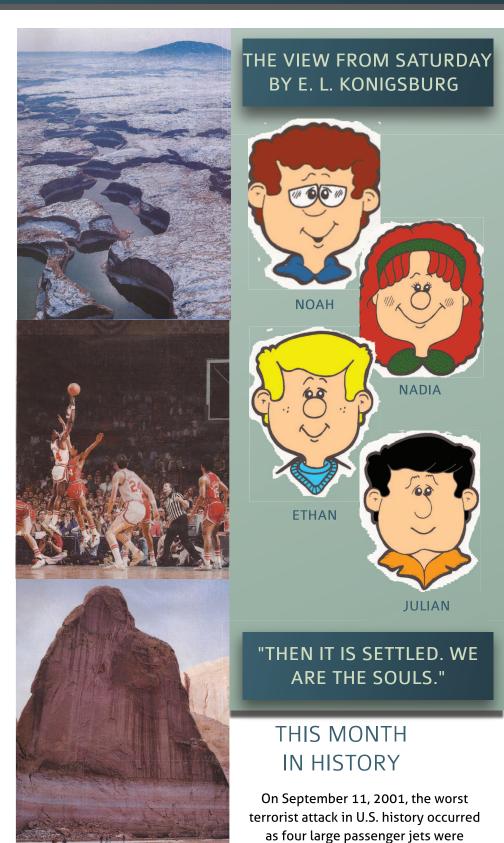
#### Caleb Hayward

"Player four has the ball!" the announcer booms. Number four barrels down the court, with a look of confidence on his face. The giant scoreboard shows a glowing one-zero, showing there is only ten seconds left of the game. The player is heavily guarded, but he doesn't stop. The ball seems to guide him through the many players on the court. The crowd cheers and hollers, thinking if they make enough noise the ball will magically go in. Number four sees an opening and everyone knows it. He takes on last look at the scoreboard. There is three seconds left. As he notices the player assigned to guard him approaching he jumps for the shot. The opposing team desperately tries to stop the ball from leaving his hands. The crowd draws in their breath and for the time, all is silent. The timer ticks away the seconds as the ball leaves player four's hands.

#### Grace Fillmore

The cold, frozen ground stayed firm under the growing sun. The heat given off started to melt the ice, making the sides jagged. A tiny stream trickled down from the top of the melting ice, making its way through. As the sun rose higher, the small stream grew larger. The stream, now a river, spread through the ice and etched its way through more space, making little tunnels throughout the frozen ground. Crack! The sun melted the bridge that was holding the ice together. A big piece of the ice shifted, then fell. The water burst through, and finally made its path.

Lindsey Oliverson



3,000 persons.

ALWAYS REMEMBER; NEVER FORGET.

hijacked then crashed, killing nearly