

# Youth Friends of the Library Newsletter

Vinita Public  
Library

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## Library After-School Policy

As the new school year approaches, the staff of Vinita Public Library is looking forward to serving many children and youth in the after-school hours.

It is important for library visitors, children and adults alike, to be informed about the library's policies on behavior and acceptable uses of the library facility.

The Vinita Public Library welcomes and encourages children to visit the Library, use library resources and services, and attend library programs. **Children not yet in third grade must be accompanied and closely supervised at all times by a parent or responsible adult caregiver while in the library.** Staff members are available to help and support children with normal library use; however, the Library is not able to provide short- or long-term child care, provide school supplies, or be responsible for unattended children. Children often leave the library and we cannot monitor them. Library staff cannot prevent children from interacting with or leaving with persons. Children of any age who are unable or unwilling to care for

themselves may not be left alone in the Library.

"Weekly Wednesdays" are hosted by Jewell Morgan from 3:00 to 5:00 pm, for games, crafts, and fun for third graders through high school. The Heritage Room will be closed to the general public during this time.

Vinita Public Library provides public Internet computers and Wi-Fi access. A parent or guardian must give written permission for their minor children to use the library's computers. Our Wi-Fi is unsecured and available to anyone upon acceptance of our Internet policy. Parents should discuss Internet safety with their children, as the library has no responsibility for use of personal devices.

Use of the Library requires respect for others who are also enjoying the library facilities and services. Behavior becomes unacceptable when it interferes with other persons' use of the library, when it could result in injury to oneself or others, or when it could result in loss or damage to customer or library property. Loud, disruptive conversations, profane or



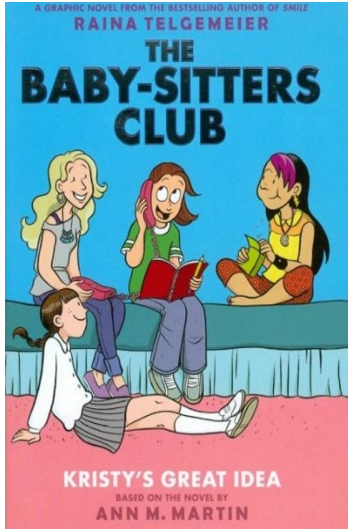
**1st day of classes**  
**Vinita** 8-17  
**Bluejacket** 8-15  
**Ketchum** 8-10  
**Welch** 8-18

abusive language are prohibited. No eating is permitted; drinks are allowed in covered containers only.

The library telephone will not be available to make or receive personal phone calls except in cases of true emergency as determined by the library staff. Cell phones may not be used in a way that disturbs anyone else using the library.

Everyone is invited to come by the library if they have any questions. Vinita Public Library is located at 215 West Illinois, Vinita, Oklahoma. The library's telephone number is 918-256-2115. Check our Facebook page often for up-to-date library news.

# Check it out!



## Kristy's Great Idea

### The Baby-Sitters Club Graphix #1

By Raina Telgemeier

This graphic novel adapted by Raina Telgemeier, the #1 *New York Times* bestselling, multiple Eisner Award-winning author of *Smile*, is now available in full color!

Kristy, Mary Anne, Claudia, and Stacey are best friends and founding members of The

Baby-sitters Club. Whatever comes up -- cranky toddlers, huge dogs, scary neighbors, prank calls -- you can count on them to save the day. Baby-sitting isn't always easy, and neither is dealing with strict parents, new families, fashion emergencies, and mysterious secrets. But no matter what, the BSC have what they need most: friendship.

Raina Telgemeier, using the signature style featured in her acclaimed graphic novels *Smile* and *Sisters*, perfectly captures all the drama and humor of the original novel!

# What's new.....

**The Last Star** by Richard Yancey

**Harry Potter and the Cursed Child—a play**  
by J. K. Rowling

**Goosebumps—Graphix #1- Creepy Creatures**  
by R. L. Stine

**Redeemed**  
by Margaret Haddix

**Dance of the Hours—Jack Sparrow #9**  
by Robb Kidd

**The Land of Stories #3—A Grimm Warning**  
By Chris Colfer

**A Turtle in Paradise**  
By Jennifer Holm

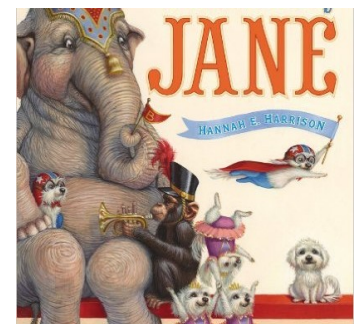
**Wendy Darling**  
By Colleen Oakes

## DVDs

**Glee—Final Season**  
**Tarzan II**

**Slam Dunk Ernest**  
**DragonBall Z: the legendary Super Saiyan Broly**

**The Last Airbender**  
**Dragonball Z: Second Coming Broly**



*Jane is ordinary.*

*Her family is extraordinary.*

*Can one little dog find her place in the circus, just by being herself?*