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Cookies

By Joanne Arulraj, age 9

Hello. My name is Joanne. Do you like cookies? IF you answered yes to that question, you are definitely in for a treat. I have a really cool story of cookies. So while you hear this story, sit back, relax and enjoy!

It was time for a Christmas party and I was baking cookies for our awesome Christmas party we have each year. I had just baked the dough, and I started to think of ideas to decorate the cookies.

After the dough had baked and all the cookies were in shapes like Christmas trees, stars and snowflakes, and they were put in the oven, I again started to brainstorm ideas in my head. I thought up a Christmas tree, a star, snowflakes and a bunch of other things.

Soon, I went to sleep and when I woke up an hour after that, I went to the bathroom to take a bath and what I saw in the mirror made me gasp. While I was sleeping I had decorated myself!! Then suddenly I had an idea. When our guests arrived, I told them to decorate themselves with frosting and sprinkles. When the last person was decorated, everyone headed out the door onto the street for the fabulous parade. Everywhere we went people laughed and cheered for us. As soon as we got to my house my parents were very surprised at me because I was covered in frosting and so was everyone else, but it was very funny!!!

S now falls from the air.
A t last, Christmas is here.
N utcrackers dance around the room on Christmas Eve.
T rees on the Common light up the night.
A ll the children are waiting for Santa Claus to come.

SAMANTHA MACINNIS

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Books! Movies!



The Adventures of Tintin Movie Review
By Smudge

The Adventures of Tintin was an exciting movie with a lot of mystery. It is totally action-packed with some funny parts mixed in. Although very exciting, the movie has 1 murder and a few inappropriate parts. The movie characters are Tintin, a boy who solves mysteries, a totally drunk Captain, Snowy the dog, and a few other characters. If I rated this, I would rate it E through E10_. If you want to watch Tintin, it is now in theaters. Hope You Enjoy It!

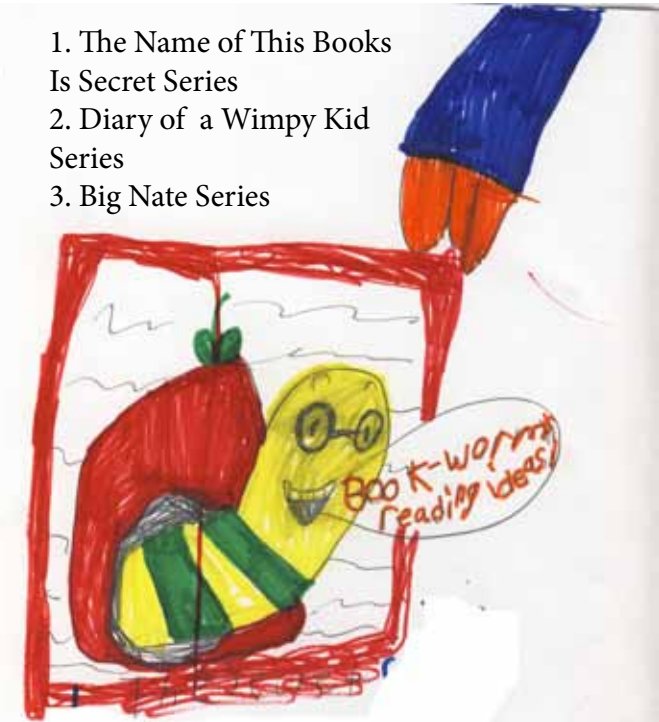
Wimpy Kid: Roderick Rules Review

By Nick Toth
Wimpy Kid Roderick Rules is a good movie. Many interesting and funny things happen in it, like Greg getting his journal back from his brother Roderick. Based on the book, the talent show also happens in the movie. If you have not yet seen the movie, or seen the first one, get the movie on DVD now. It can be checked out at the Wilmington Memorial Library.



Bookworm Reading Ideas

1. The Name of This Books Is Secret Series
2. Diary of a Wimpy Kid Series
3. Big Nate Series





Up to Down

1. fastest animal on land
2. national bird of U.S.A.
5. carries baby in pouch and is most often found in Australia

Left to Right

3. has tusks and its color is gray

Down to Up

4. king of the jungle
7. baby of a dog
8. biggest animal in the cat family

Right to Left

6. loves cheese

(Answers on next page)

Winter

by Sukethram Sivakumar, Grade 4

Wow! Look at the snowflakes!

Ice is very slippery.

No season is as cold as winter.

The snow makes my bones freeze and rattle

Every kid likes to play with snowballs

Reindeer pull Santa's sleigh on Christmas Eve.



Drawing by Aurora



Drawing by Bookworm



Answers to Animal Crossword

1. Cheetah
2. Eagle
3. Elephant
4. Lion
5. Kangaroo
6. Mouse
7. Puppy
8. Tiger

A Pumpkin Pie Bike

By Joanne Arulraj, Age 9

Hi! I'm Joanne. Do you ever get bored of riding the same old bike again and again? If you answered yes to that question, I've got a story for you. I'm going to tell you about my very famous bike called the pumpkin pie bike. I call it PPB for short. Now I'm going to tell you about the 5 cool features that I think are really cool.

The first feature is that there you'll see a lot of colored buttons. Each button has its own power. The red button will change your bike into different colors. And the pink button can bring you to any place, any time.

The second feature is that depending on your mood the seat will change in different colors. So if you are feeling pleasant the seat will turn into a dark apricot. And if you're feeling mad, the seat will change into a dark red.

The third feature is when you are hungry, you don't have to pedal all the way home. Just push the handle bar lightly and presto! You can make and heat any food in less than 1 minute.

Another super cool feature is that if you are busy, just give a list of what you want the bike to do and in about 30 minutes the bike will do it all for you.

The next feature is that the bike can display your interests. If you are interested in art, you'll have everything you need to be an artist. So if you think that you want this bike, you better buy it soon or it will definitely sell out!

The Devil Santa
by Michael Champoux

Once upon a time in a faraway land, there was a Santa. Not just any Santa. It was a DEVIL Santa. I have heard rumors about him, but the day I saw him for myself. I will never see correct again.





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