

## **Book Review Crewel:**

February 27, 2015

Every once in awhile, one of our student's will send a story in for the Raccoon Rambler. This book review was done by Broadcast Journalism student Madison Ramsey. In our reading society, we witness a lot of entertainment focusing on the prospect of time. From Doctor Who and the Whoovians to The Time Traveler's Wife, we simply cannot get enough of the one thing we don't get: Time. This breakout novel from Gennifer Albin is a perfect

fit for Time. Set in the dystopian world of Arras, *Crewel* centers on a young girl named Adelice, who is a Spinster and has the ability to alter and weave reality and time. We follow her journey through Arras, and her struggle in a controlling society where women don't matter. I was surprised by how utterly addicting *Crewel* is, with a complex yet so intriguing story line, and very well developed characters. I couldn't stop flipping the pages,

and before I knew it *Crewel* was finished, and I was off to the second book. I highly recommend *Crewel* to anyone in need of a book that deeply questions and accuses the element we all have that some are known to abuse called time. Packed with adventure and climatic events, along with the tragic lore of dystopian futures, *Crewel* is a magnificent read.

## V.A.S.E. Results:

This past Saturday, 46 FHS Art students competed at VASE – Visual Arts Scholastic Event.
36 works of art received a "4", the highest rating at VASE.
Congratulations to the following students as their artwork received a "4":

- Achaibar, Neha
- Anderson, Belle
- Bansal, Krishan

- Calandro, Ally
- Cruz, Nicole
- Diosdado, Lorena
- Drain, Hannah
- Embry, Zee
- Gallimore, Alex
- Howard, Zoe
- · Kim, Anna
- Lin, AmyMa, Leena
- Mair, Melissa

- McNutt, Matthew
- Mersman, Matt

The following students also qualified for State VASE happening on April 24-25 in Dallas:

- Anna Kim
- Sloane Moore
- Lauren Robinson

Way to go raccoons!

## Senior Meeting:

On March 4<sup>th</sup>, there will be a **very important**Senior Meeting. This meeting will take place during 2<sup>nd</sup> period towards the end of class in the FHS Auditorium.

The topics that will be covered will be:

- Counselor Graduation Checklist
- Graduation Supply Delivery (Cap, Gowns, Etc.)
- Community Service Hours
- Prom
- Senior Day (Practice and Sr. Day Info)
- Senior Parent Committee Activities
- Graduation Practice
- Graduation

If you miss this meeting due to a CTE Center class, or absence, all of this information will be on the FHS Senior Page of the website.

## **Upcoming Events:**

Feb. 27th: AP Test Registration Taking Place ONLINE until 3/25

Best Buddies Fund-raiser at PDQ (on Preston) 5 - 9 p.m.

End of the 4th Six Weeks

Blood Drive Sign Ups: Seniors Only Today

Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Boys Golf [Varsity & JV] BrookHaven Tournament Varsity & JV Softball: FHS vs. Little Elm HS JV Gold Baseball: FHS vs. Plano Jasper HS. Blood Drive Sign Ups: Open to everyone FHS Art Show Reception:

Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>: Girls Golf [Varsity & JV] Canyon Creek Tournament Varsity Tennis: FHS vs. LHS Soccer [All Levels]: FHS vs. LHS Softball [All Levels]: FHS vs. The Colony HS Blood Drive Sign Ups: Open to everyone

Mar. 4th: Senior Meeting in FHS Aud.

Mar. 5th: Varsity Track: Frisco ISD Track Meet

JV Tennis: Allen Tournament