



Readers Rally Club with Ms. Davis in the Media Center Every Monday from 8:20-8:50 Starting September 30

What is Readers Rally?

Readers Rally is a reading quiz bowl style competition for students in grades 4-5. Students read books from a pre-determined list and answer questions about those books. Each Gwinnett County school may send one team of ten players or less to the event.

How is the list of books determined?

Elementary school teams have a list of 15 books created every year by a Gwinnett committee of media specialists, teachers, and parents.

Are students required to read all 15 books?

No. When competing, only 5 members of the team answer questions about a book. Students answer questions according to the books they have read.

How do you get the books?

The books are available at Britt Elementary for check out, most public libraries and of course you can buy them online.

How do you determine the top 10 students to participate at the county competition?

In January all Readers Rally Club members will take a test over all the books. The top 10 scores will determine who competes in the county tournament.

When and where is the Readers Rally competition event?

It is held on Saturday, February 22 at Peachtree Ridge High School, 1555 Old Peachtree Road Suwanee. It is typically held from 8 am - 12 pm.

Are parents required to stay for the event?

Yes. A parent or guardian will travel from room to room with the students and watch the tournament! It's really great to see these kids compete.

Are awards earned for Readers Rally?

Yes, each school will get a plaque for participating. Individual students on winning teams will each receive a medal and a book. Trophies will be given to 1st place winning schools from each division.

Do winners go on to another competition?

Yes, the top 4 elementary school teams will compete in the championship rounds. More information on that if we need it! ☺

You do not have to change your morning routine. If you ride the bus or are a car-rider you will continue with your normal routine.

Participating in the Readers Rally Club is a privilege. We will discuss sportsmanship, etiquette, and of course the books. Each student is responsible for maintaining respectful behavior while participating. If inappropriate behavior is observed, the student will be given a warning and moved to time out. If the behavior occurs again, a note will be sent home. If the behavior occurs for a third time, that student will be dismissed from Readers Rally Club for the rest of the year.

If you are interested in joining the Readers Rally Club, please fill out the bottom portion and **return it to Shannon Davis in the Media Center no later than Friday, September 20.**

If you have any questions or concerns, please email me.

Thank you for your time,

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Here is the list of books:

Title	Author	Genre	Pages
Ada's Violin: the Story of the Recycled Orchestra of Paraguay	Hood, Susan	Realistic Fiction	40
At the Bottom of the World	Nye, Bill	Mystery/Adventure	247
Ban This Book	Gratz, Alan	Realistic Fiction	255
Barbed Wire Baseball	Moss, Marissa	Historical Fiction/Biography	39
Beauty and the Beak: How Science, Technology, and a 3D-Printed Beak Rescued a Bald Eagle	Rose, Deborah Lee	Non-Fiction	40
Found	Haddix, Margaret Peterson	Fantasy	314
Framed	Ponti, James	Mystery/Realistic Fiction	292
Hello, Universe	Kelly, Erin Entrada	Realistic Fiction	313
Hero Two Doors Down, The	Robinson, Sharon	Historical Fiction	202
Last Kids on Earth, The	Brailler, Max	Humor/Fantasy	225
Lions & Liars	Beasley, Kate	Realistic Fiction	288
Miscalculations of Lightning Girl	McAnulty, Stacy	Realistic Fiction	293
Poppy	Avi	Adventure/Fantasy	156
Tapper Twins Go To War (with Each Other)	Rodkey, Geoff	Humor/Realistic Fiction	219
Pie	Weeks, Sarah	Humor/Realistic Fiction	183

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Please fill out the information below:

Student Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Parent Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Parent email address: _____

_____ Yes, my child will be participating in the Britt Readers Rally Club.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

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