

The OLGC Library

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May Library Newsletter

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History of the Buddy Poppy Program

The OLGC Library would like to bring attention to the buddy poppy tradition in honor of Memorial Day. The Veterans of Foreign Wars designated the buddy poppy as a flower to remind the people of the sacrifices of the men and women who gave their lives during World War I and II. Buddy poppies are made by needy and disabled veterans and may help students learn history better. To learn more about buddy poppies, click here:

https://www.vfw.org/community/community-initiatives/buddy-poppy

Battle of the Books Program

Please wish our OLGC Battle of the Books Team the best of luck in the Battle of the Books Tournament this May 17 from 9 AM - 11 AM. The Tournament this year will be virtual and involves 17 schools. All group members read 12 books and partake in a trivia about the books themes, ideas, and facts.



"Literature is news that stays news"

-- Ezra Pound

"A Book is a dream that you hold in your hand"

Carpe Diem and Walk for Water Book Fair

- Neil Gaiman

The School Spring and Summer Reading Book Fair will be held at the Multi-Media Center from Monday, May 9th from 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM, Tuesday, May 10th from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM, Wednesday, May 11th from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM, Thursday, May 12th from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM, and Friday, May 13th from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM. The Fair will feature the books *Nya's Long Walk* (grades PreK-3rd) and *A Long for Water* by Linda Sue Park (grades 4th – 8th). These books bring attention to the initiative for bringing clean water to all parts of the world.





