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Do you like to write? Create puzzles? Draw comics? Perform interviews or give your opinion on anything from videogames to movies to books and technology? Then Newspaper Club might be the right club for you! Mondays from 3-4:00 room 127

Design Challenge

By Kora Eaton

The Bridge Challenge was that all the grades would build a bridge to try to make it hold the greatest weight. Whoever makes it hold the most pounds wins. The catch was it has to be free standing. I wonder what the next challenge will be?



TechFest Helpers

By: Christopher Pollick

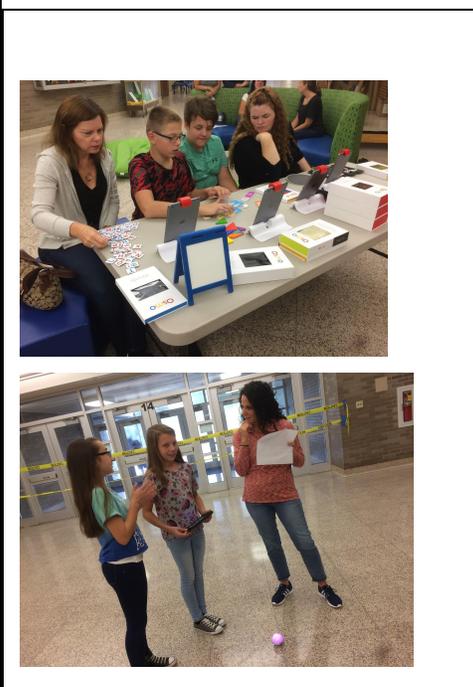
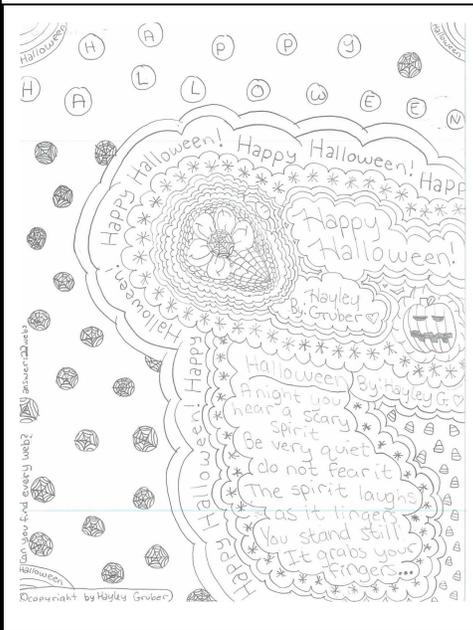
Some of Mrs. Shadish's and Mrs. Babish's former students went to the high school on Columbus Day to teach teachers about technology and how they can use it in class. Max Bridgeman, Roman Carlucci, Sharon Chen, Reaghan Cody, Bella Gold, Nick Gray, Amira Hall, Azure Humphries, Casey Lewis, Tyler Lewis, Ella Morelli, Jack Nan, Ethan Pletcher, Kyle Sherbondy, Christy Sundy, and myself attended.

The technology we used were Osmo Masterpiece, Littlebits, virtual reality headsets, 3d pens, Sphero, Beebots, and Snap Circuits. What we did was we showed the teachers how to use it, what it did, and how they can use it in class. I had a great time helping the teachers and am excited about using these technologies in class.

Did you know that 1 in 3 people in the U.S. have visited a Halloween haunted house this year?

Halloween riddle: what do you get if you divide the circumference of a jack-o-lantern by its diameter?

Answer: Pumpkin pi!



MOSHI MONSTERS

By: Kora Eaton

Moshi Monsters is a online game that you can play for free. When you play Moshi Monsters you can earn cash which in the game are called rocks. You can also explore Monstro City. As you play Moshi Monsters you will notice that you can do missions and become a super Moshi. When you are a super Moshi you can do more missions only super Moshis can do. But you can only be a super Moshi if you are a member, and if you want to be a member you need to pay. Hope you enjoy Moshi Monsters!

**Madden Mobile**

By: Christopher Pollick

Madden mobile is a football game where you play games, get money, and upgrade your team. You can only play it on a phone, tablet, ipad, ipod and other pocket devices. There are different ways to get money. For example there is a head-to-head game where you play against another player in a game, and you have three chances to get the higher amount of points. Then there are tournaments where you play against other players but you only get one chance to have the higher score. Lastly there is season mode where you vs. a computer in a full game.

My favorite part of the game is the tournaments because you can get cool, different prizes if you get a certain amount of wins. There are different kind of packs and if you get more wins you get cooler and better packs. That is why I think the tournaments are the best.

MINECRAFT

Hello! I'm Destiny, with a game review! Today I've chosen to do Minecraft. It is a fun blocky game created by Markus Alexej Persson, more commonly known as Notch. He is the creator of Minecraft and one of the founders of Mojang AB.

What I like about this game is you can do anything! Well, not anything. The original game doesn't have a big concept, since all you have to do is survive. For most people, they like it because it gives to free range to do anything! But as you get bored, you can install mods.

Now, you are probably wondering, what the heck is a mod?! Well, for those who are confused, it adds stuff to your game in exchange for money. Sometimes, they give it for free. My personal favorites are Pixelmon, animal, and another mod that gives you a smooth, 3d avatar! Here, take a look.

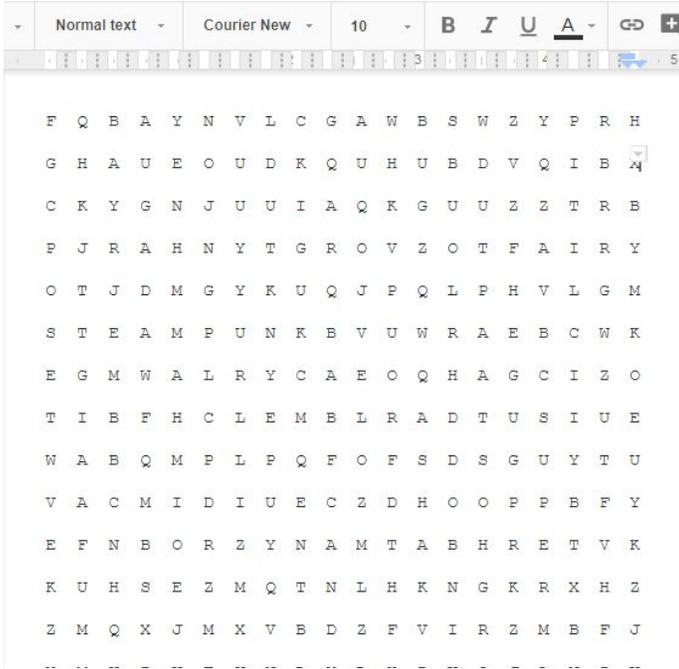


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Well, that's all for today! I'll see you soon with more game reviews!

HALLOWEEN COSTUMES WORDSEARCH

By: Autumn Roberts



- Batman
- Bear
- Bunny
- Ghost
- Cat
- Fairy
- Candy
- Mummy
- Steampunk
- Superman
- Vampire
- wolf
- Youtube
- Zombie



Ingredients

2 packs (3 oz) Raspberry jello
1 pkg unflavored gelatin (for extra firmness)
3/4 cup whipping cream
3 cups boiling water
15 drops green food coloring
100 flexible straws (or enough to fill your container)
Tall container (1 quart or 1 liter carton of milk)

Directions

- 1) Combine gelatin in bowl and add boiling water.
 - 2) Let it cool to lukewarm and then add the whipping cream and 15 drops green food coloring.
 - 3) Gather your straws (don't forget to flex them out) and put them in the container. It's important that the straws have a tight fit so the jello stays in the straws. For this reason, a 1 liter carton may be better; you will probably get longer worms since there is a tighter fit. If you have a bigger container, a rubber band around the straws is helpful. Or you could just add more straws to fill the container.
 - 4) Add the gelatin mixture to the straw-filled container and let it set until firm.
 - 5) There are multiple ways you can remove the worms from the straws. You can roll a rolling pin over the straws and squeeze them out or you can hold the straws over warm water. The worms will slip right out.
- And voila! Jello worms are served.

COMIC CONTEST!

Do you want a chance to win the new *Diary of a Wimpy Kid, The Getaway*? Well you're in luck because the Newspaper Club is having a comic contest and the winner receives a copy! Draw your original comic in the blank template below. Just make sure to turn your comics into Mrs. Pollick's room 127 by Monday, November 13.

COMICS

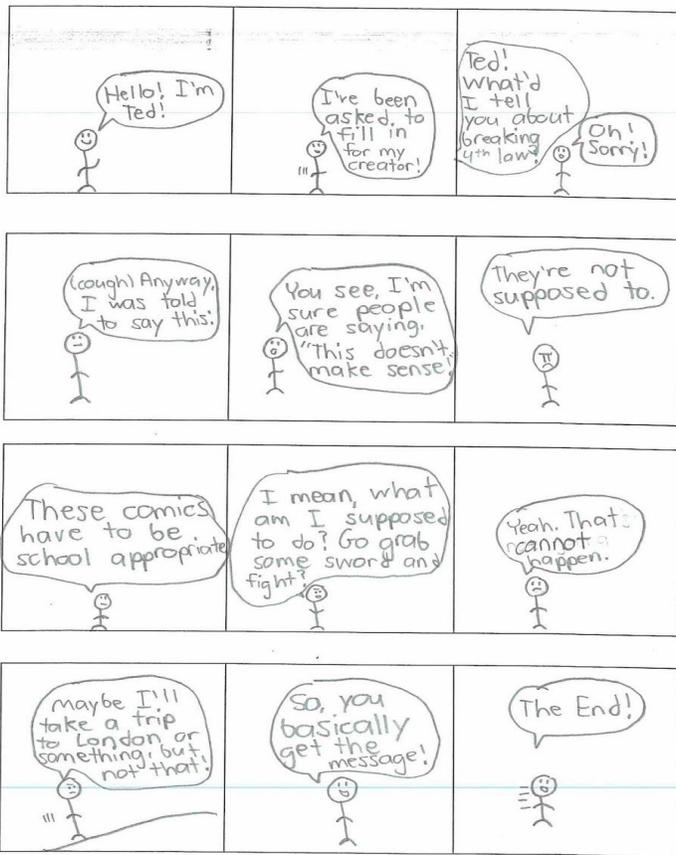
Bob's Day Off: Part 1

By: Chris Pollick



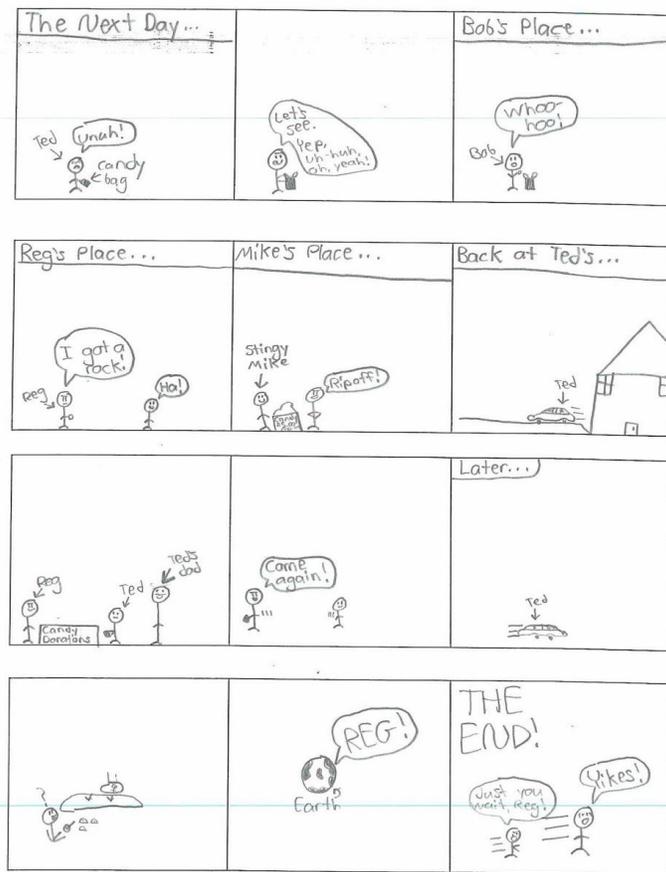
Ted's Middleschool Reality 2: A Message from Ted

By: Cody Gruber



Ted's Middleschool Reality 2: Oct. 31

By: Cody Gruber



Ted's Middleschool Reality 2: Halloween Night

By: Cody Gruber

