

The Schedule

March 2010							April 2010						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6					1	2	3
7	8	9	{10}	11	12	13	4	5	6	{7}	8	9	10
14	15	16	{17}	18	19	20	11	12	13	*14	15	16	17
21	22	23	{24}	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	

{ } = discussion day

\* = Party!

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Presents

A Book Club Party!

The Samuel W. Shaw  
Literary Society  
Proudly Presents...



Date: Wednesday,  
April 14, 2010

## Discussion Moves

Every Wednesday, you will get together with your Book Club to discuss what you've read so far. Like in basketball, when you've got the moves, you will be successful. Look at the Discussion Moves below to have a successful discussion about your book.

Move #1	Ask a question or make a statement that shows you are interested in what another person says.
Move #2	Ask a question or make a comment that encourages another person to elaborate on what they've just said
Move #3	Make a comment that makes a link between two separate peoples' contributions.
Move #4	Create space for someone who has not yet spoken to contribute to the conversation.
Move #5	Contribute something that builds on, springs from, what someone else has said. Be clear in the way you are building on someone else's thoughts.
Move #6	Ask a cause-and-effect question. For example, "Can you explain why you think it's true that..."
Move #7	Find a way to express appreciation for the enlightenment you have gained from the discussion. Be specific about what has helped you understand something better.

## You are invited to a party!

After the book club reads this month's selection, you will throw a party in its honour! You should choose at least 4 of the following items to include at your party:

- Costumes or themed dress that reflect the book.
- Snacks to serve that are fitting with the book.
- A centerpiece for your table (you can use Google Sketch Up to create an object to print on the 3D printer OR you can make something out of art supplies or woodworking materials)
- A playlist (about 15 tracks long) that reflects the major themes, tone, mood, characters, and storyline of the book.
- Decorations for your room that reflect the book.
- Dramatize a scene from your book, memorize it, and perform it.
- Pretend your book is going to be made into a movie. Cast the parts and create a movie poster or trailer.
- Organize and play a game related to your book.
- Create a piece of art to display during your party that reflects the book.
- And all groups will prepare 15—20 discussion topics to talk about at the party. More information to follow.

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