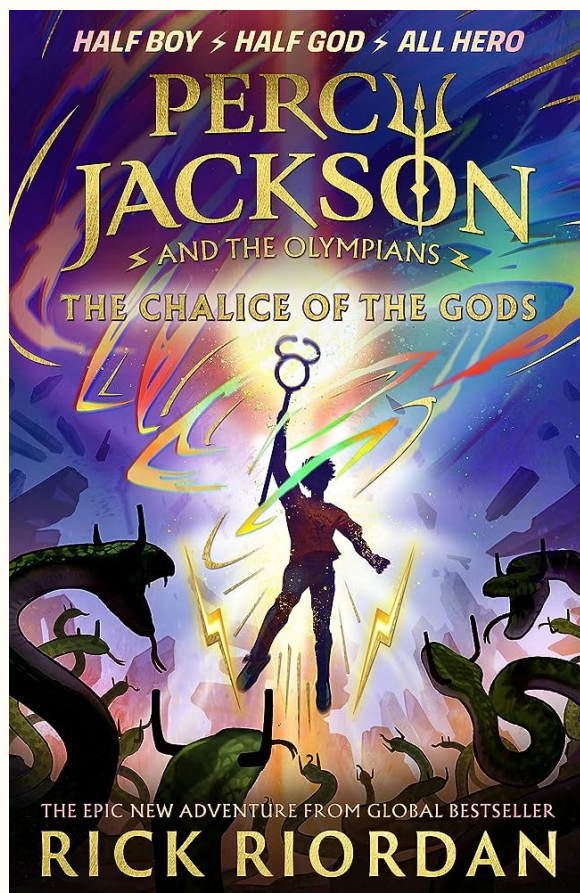


Book and Movies

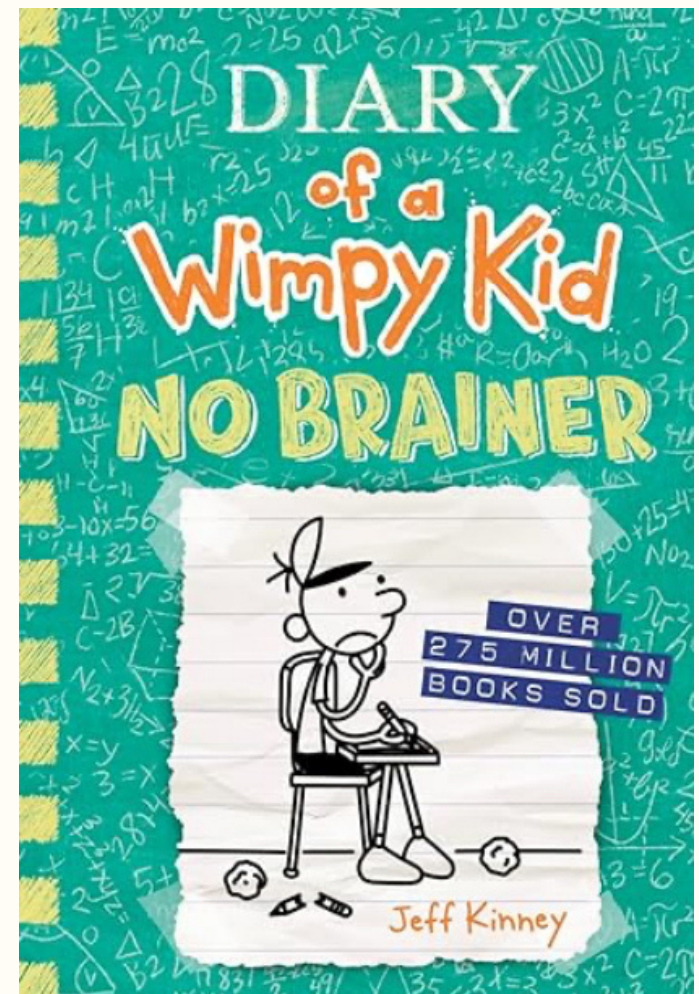
New book: The Chalice of the Gods



written by Edward Chiu

The new book of Percy Jackson had its release on 9/26/23. The ongoing series of Percy Jackson has now continued with the book that is called The Chalice of the Gods. The Chalice of the Gods is Rick Riordan's 37th book of his career. The book is about the challenges Percy and his friends are about to face..... getting Percy into college. This is the first time the trios got together since 2014 in the book The Blood of the Olympians.

New book release: Diary of a Wimpy Kid, NO-Brainer



written by Edward Chiu

The long ongoing series of Jeff Kinney's Diary of a Wimpy Kid has released a total of 17 books and an 18th book was released on 10/24/23. The book is called No-brainer.

The story talks about how Greg's school is going to crumble, and he isn't that upset about it. But when he finds out that he'll be going to another school different from his best friend, Rowley Jefferson, he changes his attitude toward school. Will Greg be able to save his school from collapsing or will it crumble and shut down for good?

New movie! Blue Beetle



written by Edward Chiu

A new superhero movie is here! The movie Blue Beetle is about a college graduate named Jaime Reyes who gets an alien scarab grafted onto his hand as he accidentally gains superpowers. Jaime Reyes is played by Xolo Maridueña, an American actor who has acted in the movie "Cobra Kai."

Blue Beetle's powers are melee weapon production, translation of alien language, energy shields, casting powerful beams, sound manipulation, and Pyrokinesis.

Blue Beetle has a review of 6.1/10 on IMDb. The age rating is pg-13 because of the use of violence, language, and suggestive references. The movie came out on August 18, 2023. Blue Beetle has earned a gross of 128.6 million dollars.

New driving sim movie: Gran Turismo



written by Edward Chiu

The realistic driving sim called "Gran Turismo" has finally had its first movie called "Gran Turismo." It is about the challenges of a British racer named Jann Mardenborough who faces challenges such as suffering from a devastating crash that killed one audience.

Jann's dad, Steve Mardenborough, thinks that it is impossible for his son to experience "real driving" when he is just playing a regular game in his room.

He later gets an invite to compete with some of the best racers throughout all of Europe to compete for the spot at the GT academy. As Jann makes it onto GT academy, he faces hard challenges. Jann Mardenborough is currently in Nissan and is 32 years old.

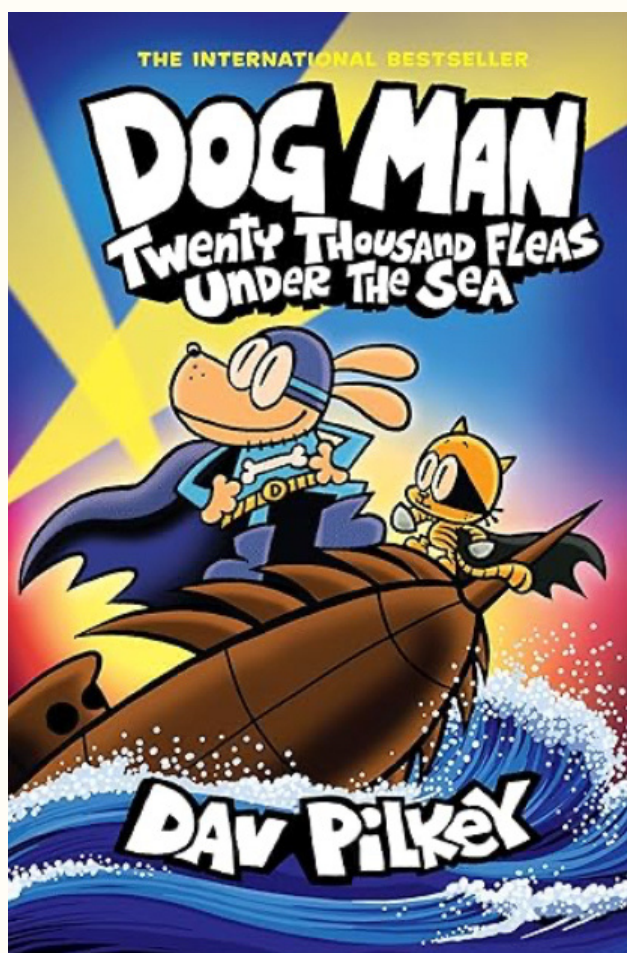
Book and Movies of the year



written by Edward Chiu

The movie, Teenage Kraken, is about a girl named Ruby Gilman who is 15 years old. She is trying to fit into her new school, Oceanside High, when she finds out that she can turn into a giant kraken whenever she is in the ocean. Through all of the years, she has been on land, she finds out that her mother has been hiding many things from her life. She befriends a mermaid which in the kraken world is bad because mermaids once wanted to get the trident to control the water. Can teenager Ruby Gilman stop the mermaid from getting the trident before it's too late?

New Dog Man



written by Edward Chiu

The book series Dog Man released a new book on March 28 2023 under the title Dog Man: Twenty Thousand Fleas Under the Sea. The book is about how Piggy comes up with a very diabolical plot to come. Who will help the Supa buddies when the scoundrel starts to attack?

This is the 11th book of the long ongoing series of Dog Man. A new book called Scarlet Shredder will be released on March 19, 2024

New Spiderman



written by Edward Chiu

Another amazing spider adventure is starting! Spider-Man: Across the Spider-Verse has a great story to it. Young Miles Morales was bitten by a radioactive spider and accidentally got spider powers.

In this film, Miles gets reunited with Gwen, and he now tries to stop a powerful villain named Spot. Miles needs to travel throughout multiple verses in order to kill Spot. As he travels through, he finds out that there are many more Spideys than he thought there were.

Upcoming Movies & Books

written by Edward Chiu

The Percy Jackson series has been very good, and now the seventh book of the Percy Jackson series is out with a story called The Wrath of the Triple Goddess. It is said that it will be published on September 24, 2024.

A new movie will be coming in the name called Elio. It is estimated that its release to a movie theater will be on March 1, 2024. The trailer of the movie was shown in theaters in September 2022. A book called Heroes will be released on February 6, 2024. Heroes is written by Alan Gatz who also wrote Refugee. It is about the bombing of Pearl Harbor.