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All American: Beverly or Crenshaw?



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Hey y'all! I wanted to open a little discussion/debate for this week's newspaper.

For my fellow people who have watched the show, "All American", (apparently this is my nickname lol, if yk yk), I have a question. Do you guys like Spencer {the main character} in the setting of Beverly better or in Crenshaw?

If you don't understand what I'm saying because you haven't seen this show, go watch it now! I'm serious, like literally stop reading this and go and watch it. Then, when you're done, continue reading this. *lol*. Cuz I'm not gonna be the one to get blamed for if I ruin the show for you.



AnywayYyYsSSs . . . what do y'all think? Before Spencer moved to Beverly (when he was first in Crenshaw), he was just a chaotic guy who always fought with others for no reason (in my opinion.) The Spencer I know after he moved to Beverly was way more peaceful, and focused on

football (of course.)

Yeah, he got into some arguments here and there, but it wasn't like the way it was back in Crenshaw. But the Spencer I know from Beverly also kinda wasn't true to himself. Like, he always tried to seem so tough. "I'm from Crenshaw; you can't do nothing to me. I'm doing this for my moms, for Dillon. I'm just tryna protect you, Coop."

Like bro, sit down. We get it, you're tryna play superhero for everyone, but sometimes, you gotta worry about yourself and trust others to save themselves. Honestly that's just the vibe I got from Spencer when he went to Beverly.

When he moved back to Crenshaw, I just felt like the way he is now—a mixture of who he was pre-Crenshaw and Beverly. But we can't blame him because a lot has happened that has made him change.

I wonder what will happen in Season 4, and luckily, that comes out on October 25th, so save the date! As I said before, this is a question/debate for all of us, so I really wanna know what yall think about this, so email me (adobea.akosua@somersschools.org) so I can hear your side.

Bye!!

New Students Group Leads to Friendships



By Xavier Tejeda
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Hello!

It is another day in middle school, and I have a story about me and how I moved to Somers on the first day of school.

So, it was September 1st and I just moved in to my first ever real house and it is the first day of school.



I go into to school not knowing anybody and feeling super weird and feeling like an out-cast, and I was feeling like this for the first two weeks of school until I went to this meeting with 12 kids who turn out to be new to the school just like me, and this is when everything started to change.

Later that week, one of the kids from the meeting came up to me and asked me if I wanted to join them in their conversation with her friends, and every day, I will spend time together with these people and then I realized that these people are going to change my life and be there for me.

Before I even realized it, a month had passed. We went to a fair together, we joined two clubs together, and even started talking to each other outside of school.

All I know is that these friends I have will be there for me.

My World Series Prediction: It'll Be the Dodgers!



By Thomas Mauro
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In my opinion, the Dodgers will win the World Series this year. Even though they didn't win their division, they came in second and had the second best record in baseball at 106-56. They also didn't have Max Scherzer—one of the best pitchers in the MLB,



and Trea Turner—a top-five shortstop, for half of the season.

Also, Cody Bellinger, who had a horrible regular season where he hit in the .150's, finally woke up and is hitting .308 this postseason. They also have a great rotation with Beuhler, Scherzer and Urias.

That is why, in my opinion, the Dodgers will win the 2021 World Series.

The Coolest Halloween Costume!



By Ruby McDowell
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Halloween is just around the corner. I don't know about you, but the best part about Halloween is the costumes. Yes, slipping over your head a costume that you created. Walking around after dusk, with your friends and telling people all about your costume when you ring the doorbell.

However, a cool costume doesn't have to be the one you buy on Amazon, or the same one you wore last year. But coming up with an original costume is HARD. Therefore, I came up with 5 tips for your best costume.

- **The Inspiration:** Halloween is a perfect time to show off that you're a Harry Potter fan. Think about what you're obsessed with, and create a costume about it. Or even if you just think something is cool, like mushrooms!
- **Do a partner costume:** What could be better than doing corresponding costumes with your best friend! Some ideas: Squirrel and nut, Park ranger and animal, etc.
- **Homemade is best:** Sure, you could get some awesome costumes off Amazon, but you can fine tune your costume, and have so much more fun if you just make it yourself. If you don't have the time, just assemble your costume. Buy a V-Neck sweater, pull out a white t-shirt, a tie, and a skirt for Hermione. You don't have to sew it!
- **Candie:** Be candy. Who doesn't like candy? I was a Twizzler last year. (I would call it a "Single Use Costume") Simply dress in the shape and color of the candy, and cover yourself in it (Yes, you can eat the candy.) My friend was a Hershey's kiss.
- **Comfortable.** Know where you live. If it's hot in October, don't wear a felt costume with lots of layers. Wear a light costume. And vice versa!

I hope you enjoyed these tips! Remember, have fun!



Having nothing to write



By Ruby McDowell
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Wall
Oh look, a fly
That's the most in-



I have nothing to write. My mind is blank. A white teresting thing I've seen all day. Wow. Its wings. Its eyes. It flies. I clap It's dead The end



Is Gaming the Best Thing?



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Answer? NO! There are so many things you can do, so why sit in your damp, dark basement?



Look, you could do sports, you can climb a tree, I'd say play an instrument, but sitting, just a big no.

Children are addicted to madden, FIFA, or whatever you call it. If I were talking to the person reading, you'd probably be all like, "oh well, gaming gives you hand/eye coordination and it's good for you."

I'm sorry but you're wrong and I'm not sorry dude! Even I know that when I game for a long time, I get, well, crabby.

Look, it changes the way you think. It gives you instant gratification, and you are just roped in and then the rope is broken.

It doesn't matter whether you are playing on a PS4 or even on your iPad. Even the makers of the iPad and iPhone don't let their kids on too much. That should prove that it's screwing you up **FAST**.

Just try not gaming for a week. I was grounded for a week (I know what you're thinking how could an angel like me be grounded?) but I will confess, I'm a Gemini. So if you were wondering how I could be grounded that probably cleared everything up.

These are my last words for the article. STOP GAMING SO MUCH!!!!!!



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