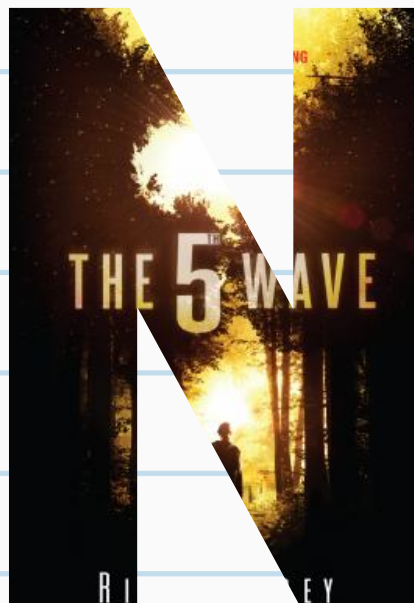
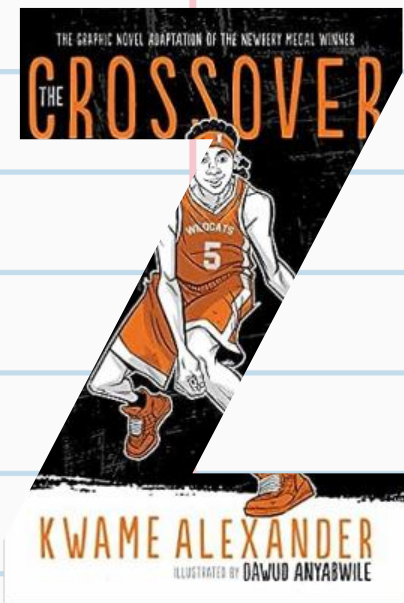


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HELLO AGAIN!

BY BELLA
ILLUSTRATION BY CHARLIE

Welcome, or welcome back to the KLN! Little late, but we're here! We have books, we have movies, but we do NOT have a way to make you good at gardening!
So, we harvested the brand-new flowering pop-culture scoops, and we're giving them to you! What are you waiting for, READ!

FUNNY ACTORS FUNNY IDEA NOT FUNNY FILM AT ALL

BY BELLA

The Other Guys is a film that..... Well.... let's just say no wonder there is no sequel.

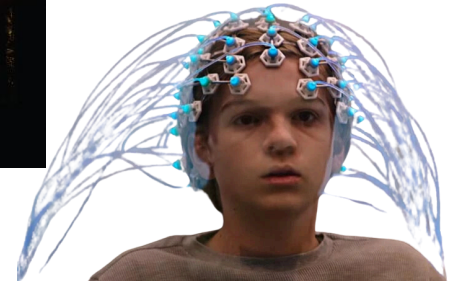
The Other Guys is about two desk cops who just do paperwork. But after the two destructive, hot-shot cops fall in the line of duty, one suggests to the other that they should stand up and solve a case. Well, they do. Its chaotic; bad cop, weakling cop. You find out later in the film WHY the two cops only stick to their desk. One shot a celebrity, another was a horrible college student who turned his life around. Both are bundles of CHAOS. There's some cussing, mildly inappropriate themes, flirting with someone's wife, Will Ferrell, and a lady that reminds me of an aunt of mine. Don't watch this movie, it didn't live up to the hype...

ONLY THE UNLUCKY SURVIVE

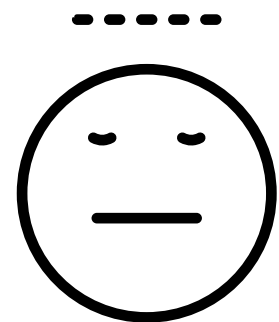
BY SIENNA



The 5th Wave
by Rick Yancey

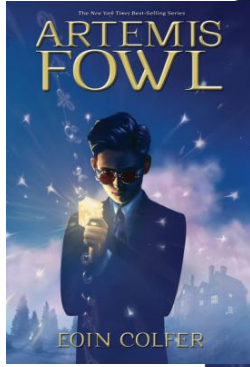


This is such a good book if you love a post-apocalyptic, sci-fi, dystopian, type book. Cassie Sullivan is just trying to survive. Wave after wave of aliens, each time taking a different approach. Electricity is gone, natural disasters everywhere, disease takes out millions, the fourth is up for debate, and the fifth is a nightmare yet to come. The most important rule right now is trust no one. Will Cassie survive? Will she be alone if she does?



NOT OPTIONAL. READ THIS!

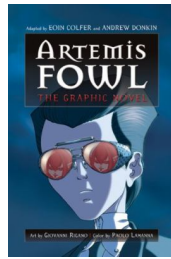
BY CALEB



Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer

Twelve-year old Artemis Fowl is a genius, a prodigy, and a criminal mastermind. After learning about the existence of fairies, he begins his search for one, only to find Captain Holly Short, the first female LEP officer in history. Now an entire race of magical creatures, pixies, gnomes, leprechauns, trolls, technology-crazy centaurs, and an angry commander elf are out to get him. What will young Fowl do with his Mother sick and bed-bound, and his Father supposedly dead? READ THIS.

ALSO AVAILABLE AS
A GRAPHIC
NOVEL!



INFINITE FUN

BY CALEB

Infinite
Craft

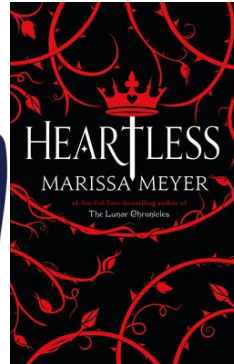


Are you an aspiring inventor, do you love chemistry? PLAY THIS. **Infinite Craft** is the thing for you (even if you don't have those interests ;)). Create everything, I mean everything, in this infinitely fun combining game.

KLN ZINE: SPRING 2024

DOWN THE RABBIT HOLE...

BY SIENNA

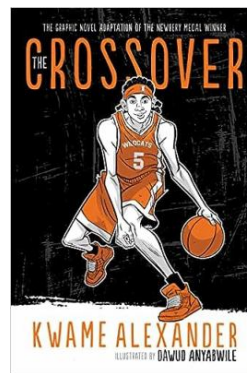


Heartless by Marissa Meyer

Catherine, aka the Queen of Hearts, isn't a queen yet. She'd much rather open a bakery, but, that seems like it'll never be in the cards. She is horrified when she learns of her parent's plans for her marriage. Let's just say, she may, or may not, have fallen for the wrong guy. She needs to learn to play her hand perfectly. *Alice in Wonderland* gave you the end, but don't you want the story of how they drove her completely mad?

WINNER

BY DELANEY



The Crossover (graphic novel) by Kwame Alexander

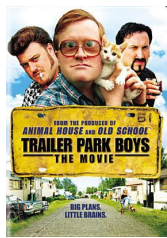
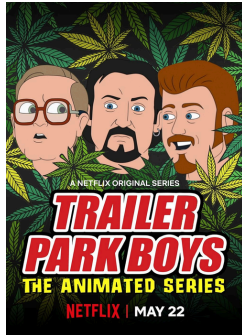
The graphic novel version of Newberry Medal winning book, **The Crossover** by Kwame Alexander, follows 7th grade basketball player, Josh Bell. When his brother gets a girlfriend and starts to become more distant, will Josh be able to navigate being a twin, school, and basketball along with growing worries about his dad's health? Written in poetry-format, **The Crossover** graphic novel, is a relative easy to read and enjoyable middle grade book.

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WATCH THIS!

BY GRAILEY

This is one of the best Canadian shows I have watched so far like I have watched like 20 times... I'm not even lying... I know that's crazy and I watched anything related to it too. So the **Trailer Park Boys** is about Ricky Julian and Bubbles trying to achieve their dream of freedom by doing petty crimes. Lemme tell you idk what it is about this show that makes me want to watch all the time but it does- it's that funny. On a serious note this show literally brings a smile on my face no matter how many times I watch it. So like I would recommend you to watch it if you have Netflix.



WATCH THE ORIGINAL MOVIE AND SOME OF THE SERIES! (AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY)

G.O.A.T. SHOES

BY BELLA K

Air forces are one of the most comfortable shoes in the world, in my opinion of course. The Nike Air Force 1 becomes the first basketball shoe to bring soft, springy Nike Air cushioning to the game. What is Nike Air? Nike Air technology consists of pressurised air inside a tough yet flexible bag, and provides more flexibility and spring without compromising structure. The Air-Sole units maintain their given form with elasticity, reduce impact and keep the shoe snug and lightweight. Nike Air Force 1s, released in 1982 and still continue today! I definitely recommend these shoes, they are both comfortable and stylish! Nike makes lots of comfortable and stylish shoes and clothing, but I think Jordan is the best...



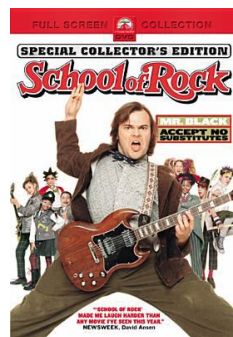
AND THIS!



So this show is about a not so attractive (she wasn't bad looking) girl named Betty who inspires to be a writer for her own magazine. She becomes an assistant for the editor in chief of Mode (kinda reminds me of Vogue) magazine. Betty has ups and downs (especially in her romantic life) but, she goes on to become one of the junior editors (YAY!!!!). So my opinion of this show is mixed- like it was good the first maybe two seasons but then I just found myself skipping through it sometimes. Overall I like the concept though (it's kinda cliché tbh). Also from the beginning I knew that Betty and Daniel (the guy she worked for) were going to fall for each other (eye roll). I give this show a 8/10.

WATCH A CLASSIC!

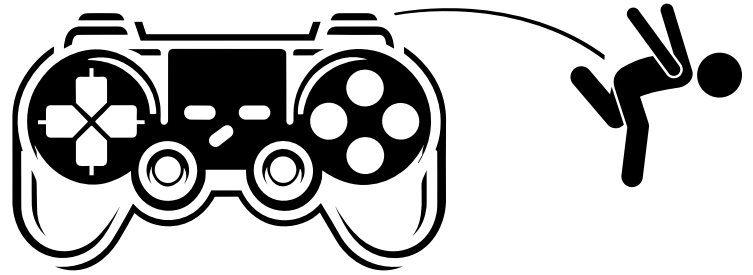
BY GRAILEY



This somewhat of a nostalgic 00s movie is about a wannabe rockstar named Dewey who finds himself being a substitute teacher or as he calls them- temps lol. His roommate's girlfriend threatens to kick him out if he doesn't come up with the rent money by the end of the month so he forms a band of middle school students to win a contest of \$20,000. Watch the movie to find out the rest!

IN THE GAME (GAME JUMPERS PART 2)

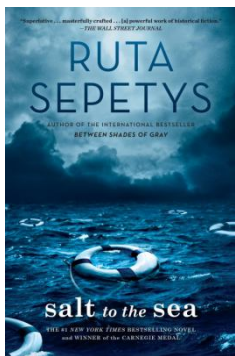
BY BELLA



Myla stared in awe and fascination, soaking up every color. Elias tapped her shoulder, her head turned swiftly, "You ready?" he inquired to her. "Yea", she answered, then followed him down the faded dirt down the mountain. He stopped walking in front of a small alcove. She glanced to see a heavy-built elderly man with a white beard seated beside an unlit campfire. Elias was looking at the man like someone seeing an old friend. She poked his forearm, "Is he... real?" she questioned Elias. "Nope, just an NPC." he replied. She sighed with relief, while Elias snatched a baked apple. Well, tried to, because the old man caught him, "I beg your pardon!!" Myla nearly jumped out of her skin, she refused to budge. The man let Elias keep the apple, then turned to glance at Myla, eyes wide and looking kind of pale. "Have you EVER talked to an NPC before?" he asked. "You told me he wasn't real, then HE SPOKE." She responded. He heaved a sigh, "NPCs can talk" he looked into the distance. "Are you coming?" he questioned her. "Yea...." She replied "I just hope there will be no more NPCs...."

TRAGIC HISTORY

BY SIENNA



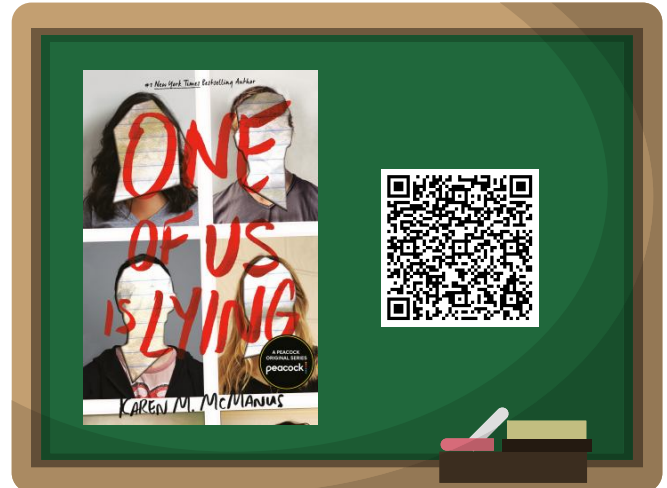
Salt to the Sea

by Ruta Sepetys

Four young adults. One doomed boat. A stolen chamber. Trying desperately to survive World War II, Joana Vilkas, Florian Beck, Emilia Stozek, and Alfred Frick are all on board of the Wilhelm Gustloff. Some will survive, others won't. All of them want something different, getting any of it is not a task for the faint of heart. A thief, a murderer, a mother, and a Nazi, who will make it to shore? The Wilhelm Gustloff was a very real boat, with a very horrifying past. The Amber Room was a very real place that was never found.

HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA

BY SIENNA



One of Us Is Lying

by Karen M. McManus

Five high-school students all end up in detention under suspicious circumstances. Only four will leave alive. Which student did it? Everyone has a motive, and everyone has something that they can't let slip. They know they didn't work together, but who could plan such a stunt. Browyn, Nate, Cooper, or Addy? Only time will tell.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN K-POP

BY GRAILEY

Soooo sm entertainment debuted a new sub unit for nct called 'nct wish'. nct wish is ncts last subgroup that targets the japanese market. personally for me i'm not looking forward for this debut bc i know that half the members are going to be half my age (im 18 btw). They will drop their debut single 'wish' on feb 28 and will first perform 'wish' during sm entertainment in-house concert 'smtown live 2024 smcu @ tokyo' set to take place at the tokyo dome in japan on feb 21 and 22.



Riize Seunghan



SOOOOO like usual ppl just cant mind their own DANG business like from what i heard is that the RIIZE member Seunghan is on a indefinite hiatus for some leaked pictures of him and his ex and him smoking as a minor... first of all, the pictures of him and his ex has nothing to do with us and from what i heard it was fake... so as i said yall need to go mind yo own business bc while he is making that bag and livin his life and urs is miserable sad and terrible.

anyways go stream talk sexy & love 119



twice is coming out with their 13th mini album 'with YOU-th' and i'm already loving the concept pictures. im kinda hoping its going to be a mix of doughnut and cry for me since in my opinion those are their best songs, but i doubt they'll disappoint.



PIZZA TOWER SHOULD HAVE WON: A REVIEW OF THE 2023 GAME AWARDS (PT. 1)

BY GRAISON

You've read the title. You know how I feel. But, before I vent and lose my mind, let's start in order.

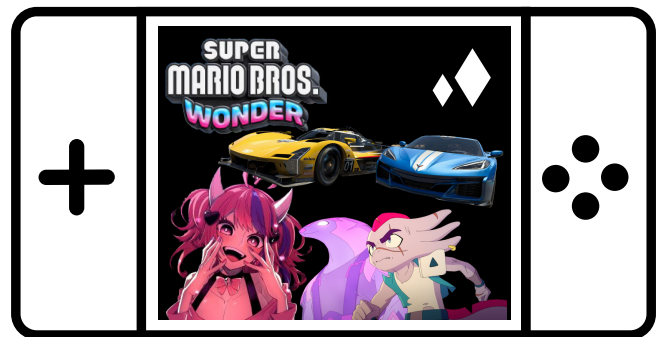
So, we start off with the first few awards with Sydnee Goodman from IGN announcing the first few awards; Best Family Game, Innovation in Accessibility, Best Esports Athlete, Best Esports Coach, Best Esports Event, Best Esports Game, Best Esports Team and Best Content Creator of the Year.

I don't know much about Esports, so I'll just list the names of the winners:

- League of Legends World Championship
- Potter
- JD Gaming
- Faker
- Valorant

Next, we have Best Family Game, and the nominees were:

- Disney Illusion Island
- Party Animals
- Pikmin 4
- Sonic Superstars
- Super Mario Bros. Wonder



The winner was Wonder, as I refer to it, and I have no hate. So, from here on out, for the winner's I'll make an Angry Meter TM, to show how angry and disappointed I was. For this, I was 34/100. That means I was fine, I didn't really care.

The next category I'll talk about is Content Creator of the Year, with the nominees being,

- Ironmouse
- People Make Games
- Quackity
- Spreen
- Sypherpk

The winner was Ironmouse, and I have a 1/100 on the Angry Meter TM, because I actually watch Ironmouse. Yeah, you heard me, I like VTubers! Deal with it!!! Anyway, I actually enjoy her content, and she makes me laugh. A lot.

Ok, so the games announced during the Preshow were:

- Windblown
- Persona 3 Reload
- Metaphor Re Fantazio
- Exodus

... I'm not that interested in these games. Except Windblown. That looks cool.

Oh yeah! I almost forgot about Innovation In Accessibility! The games were:

- Marvel's Spider-Man 2
- Diablo IV
- Hi-Fi Rush
- Mortal Kombat
- Street Fighter 6
- Forza Motorsport

Forza Motorsport won, and the Angry Meter TM is at ?/100, because I have no idea what the other accessibility options, but women won an award, so YAAAAAYYYYY!!!!

END OF PT. #1

Next PT. is the first half of the main awards. See you then.

JUR-\$\$\$-IC! (I PROMISE THIS IS A POSITIVE REVIEW)

BY BELLA

There will be spoilers

The Jurassic Park/World franchise is definitely one of my favorites. It's full of action, suspense, some drama, and every film has a happy ending. There's not too much gore, but just enough to get the point across. Enough about the details, let's go to the beginning, to the creation of it; Michael Crichton's *Jurassic Park*, published in 1990.

There are 1,001 differences between the first film and the first book, so I'll say this: they're extremely different, the book has more drama and well-described gore.

The **Jurassic Park** film is a very great movie, I've gone back and watched it a few times. Here's a refresh of the plot; an old man named John Hammond brought dinosaurs back to life, and wants some professionals to inspect his park. Alan Grant, a pathologist; Ellie Sattler, a botanist; Donald, a lawyer (who Hammond needs to impress with his park); and... Ian Malcom mathematician/Chaos Theorist.

Everything goes south and the lawyer gets eaten.

Both versions of Jurassic Park, film and novel, got sequels. Which both revolve around Dr. Ian Malcom after the events of the disaster at Hammond's park. I'm going to focus on the film, sorry novel enjoyers.

Jurassic Park The Lost World, is about Dr. Malcom, who used to be quirky and slightly weird, has a completely different persona. After his girlfriend (not his first, mind you), goes to A SECOND DINO ISLAND, Ian follows her there. But guess who tags along with Ian? His CHILD. They destroy Hammond's rival's camp, their trailer goes over a cliff, and the two parties are stuck together. They get off the island, happy ending, etc.

The novels end at #2, but the films keep going. The third film pans on Alan and Ellie. Ellie settled down, Alan still is in the dinosaur industry. When a wealthy couple asks Alan to be their guide on the second dino island (which is now off-limits to the public), to find their son, he refuses... at first. They get stuck, find the kid, Ellie calls the military, and... they ACTUALLY come?!?!?

That... is very unrealistic...

So... I don't know how fans felt about no new film after so many years (**Jurassic Park 3** released in 2001, **Jurassic World** released in 2015), but fans were probably worried about the future of the fandom.

Well, long after the third film, along came **Jurassic World**. New faces, new (but not improved) park, and more. A lab-breed, hybrid dinosaur is let loose, while Miss-Priss, worst aunt ever named Claire has to find her nephews. With help from a guy who was in the Navy named Owen. Claire, Owen, and the nephews survive, Yaaay... How unique...

Well, the next film takes place years the fail of Jurassic World. Now, instead of running from dinosaurs, they're going TO them. Some rich guy named Mr. Mills tells Claire he wants to bring all the dinos to a new island before the volcano erupts. Well, Mr. Mills is actually evil, he tries to make his guys leave Owen to be burned by lava flow. Mills lied about the safe island for the dinosaurs, he just wants to sell them.

While going through the mansion that Mr. Mills lives in, Owen and Claire stumble across Maisy Lockwood, Mr. Lockwood's daughter. At least that's what they think, because they find out that she's Mr. Lockwood's daughter's CLONE. Which we find out in the next film, that she is not a clone. Since Mr. Mills took off Mr. Lockwood's life support, and Mr. Mills got taken by a dinosaur. So Owen and Claire take care of Maisy.

In the recent most film, the new faces meet the old faces. Maisy gets kidnapped, and meets with Alan and Ellie. Later, Ian saves Alan, Ellie, and Maisy. Barely. Maisy reunites with Owen and Claire, and all six work together to free the dinosaurs from a huge evil lab called Biosyn. Happy ending, hugs all around, and Alan finds out that he likes Ellie (decades too late). And as for a 6th film, dubbed **Jurassic World: Extinction**, will be start production in July 2024. It will release in July of 2025.

The Jurassic Park franchise was, and still is, a huge impact on the sci-fi film genre. But no movie comes close to CGI of the franchise. But some have tried to copy it (in a way).

As Ian Malcom once said, "That is one big pile of s--"



COLOR IT. I DARE YOU

BY CALEB



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R/BOSS FIGHT MEMES

BY CJ

Warning: Cringe. Lots and lots of cringe...



Every Adam Sandler Movie

Adam Sandler



the girl who falls completely in love with him:



Also Adam Sandler's wife



Me watching the anime villan hear the good guy's entire strategy and still lose



Pirate Captain: What should we have on our flag to intimidate our enemies?

Pirate underling:



David Soren: All we need is a theme for our goofy superhero who fights in his underpants. Don't go too crazy.

Weird Al:



WHEN YOU GO OUT WITH YOUR BESTIE AFTER NOT SEEING THEM FOR 726181 DAYS AND THEY'RE ONLY ON THEIR PHONE

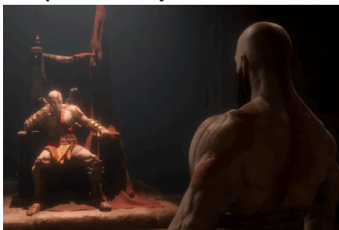


Teachers when a student is being bullied

Teachers when a student has their hood on



Me finally finding out the guy who was responsible for my life's downfall (me)



Games that call it easy mode

Games that call it casual mode



Which one is your favorite?!

DO NOT WATCH THE NEW GHOSTBUSTERS MOVIE IT IS AWFUL DO NOT WATCH GO AWAY GO HOME WATCH THE FIRST ONE ANYTHING

BY BELLA

This will contain spoilers

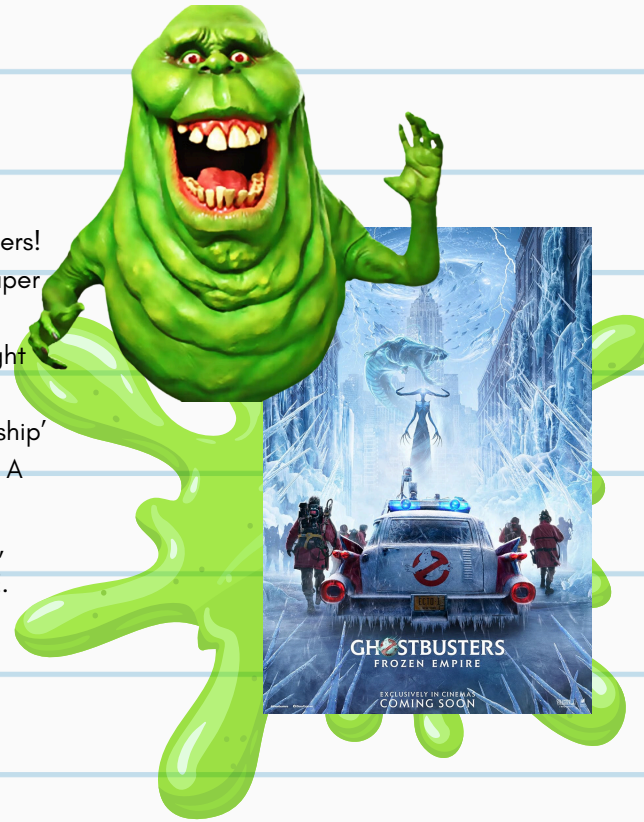
I was so disappointed. Don't get me wrong, I really like Ghostbusters! I like it, my family doesn't. My grandfather likes it (because he's super cool), but other than that, no one I know.

Since the girl (from *Afterlife*), is a minor, the town won't let her fight ghosts. She befriends a ghost, invites her to the GHOSTBUSTERS building. Later she turns into a ghost using a machine. The 'friendship' between the ghost and the Ghostbuster minor is REALLY creepy... A 15(?) year old and a lady who's 24-30 being 'friends'...

The movie had them removing ghosts from objects (super creepy), they also capture ghosts and keep them IN A GLASS ENCLOSURE.

I didn't like it at all, I didn't even finish it...

Do not watch this movie.



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