

Media Newsletter

Jordan High School Media Center

February, 2017

NEW BOOKS

Please come by to see all the new books. Here are just a few we received this month.

Hellfighters by Alexander Gordon Smith

Heartless by Marissa Meyer

My Sister Rosa by Justine Larbalestier

Legalizing Marijuana Promises and Pitfalls by Margaret J. Goldstein

Trouble Makes a Comeback by Stephanie Tromly

Please come by and see what we have available for your professional and pleasure reading.

Literary Birthdays

<u>Jerry Spinelli</u>	1 st
<u>Langston Hughes</u>	1 st
<u>Ayn Rand</u>	2 nd
<u>Charles Dickens</u>	7 th
<u>Sinclair Lewis</u>	7 th
<u>Laura Ingalls Wilder</u>	7 th
<u>John Grisham</u>	8 th
<u>Alice Walker</u>	9 th
<u>Norman Bridwell</u>	15 th
<u>Cynthia Voigt</u>	25 th
<u>Henry Wadsworth Longfellow</u>	27 th
<u>John Steinbeck</u>	27 th



Poet Laureate's Prize - Call for Entries

Georgia's Poet Laureate, Judson Mitcham, in collaboration with Georgia Council for the Arts, is pleased to announce the **third annual Poet Laureate's Prize**, awarded for an original poem written by a Georgia high school student. The winning poet and finalists will have the opportunity to meet Governor and Mrs. Deal and the Poet Laureate when they are honored at the Georgia State Capitol in the spring. The winner and finalists will also tour the historic Margaret Mitchell House in Atlanta. The winning and finalist poems will be published at atlantamagazine.com.

Entry details are included in the guidelines below. Entry deadline is March 3, 2017. Contact Allen Bell at abell@gaarts.org with questions.

Happy Valentine's Day



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- February in Georgia History
- How Does a Bill Become a Law in Georgia?