

Library News...

Mind Challenge Winners Announced

The Third Annual Sarofim Mind Challenge has concluded! Students from 6th to 12th grade were presented a contest comprised of ten extremely difficult questions on a variety of topics.

Congratulations to **Michel Djandji** (12th grade), who took first place, winning his third straight Mind Challenge with a score of 74/100. Second place went to **Marjorie Hirs** (9th grade), who scored 73/100. **Hannah Smati** (6th grade) won third place with a score of 72/100. These winners were awarded gift certificates to Amazon.com. The Challenge has been largely dominated by upperclassmen in years past; the librarians were therefore impressed and pleased by the fine efforts of the younger students.



Middle School Book Club Growing

The Middle School Book Club has outgrown the Sarofim Conference Room and now meets in the Sarofim Library itself! The Book Club currently has 32 members. Almost half of the members are from the French section. These members will be invited to the “invitation-only” Book Club Christmas Party during the lunch hour on Monday, December 10. Not a Book Club Member yet? Do not worry -- membership will be open to everyone again in January. The first Book Club meeting of 2008 will be on January 14. Hope to see you there for some fun, food, friends, and fantastic books!

Primary School Library News

November was rather busy at the Primary School Library. We celebrated “Children’s Book Week,” had special classes scheduled for the 5th graders who wanted to explore our databases, and enjoyed the ongoing effort and enthusiasm from my wonderful team of 5th grade library helpers.



They come once or twice a week to shelve, organize and make the library a better place for all. These shelf elves are: **Tarek al Labbam, Alex Pleczko, Morgan Stanley, Serena Tohme, Anthony Tohme, Alberto Tohme, Conner Shrader and Conor Hogan.**

