

**Legos, Pokémon, and Book Clubs:
After-school Activities for the Elementary Set**
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Reading Raps: A Book Club Guide for Librarians, Kids, and Families By Rita Soltan
Reading Raps: A Book Club Guide for Librarians, Kids, and Families by Desiree Webber & Sandra Shropshire
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Book by Book: The Complete Guide to Creating Mother-Daughter Book Clubs by Cindy Hudson

Websites:

My book clubs:

<http://kidsbookclub.pbworks.com/>

Pinterest:

<http://pinterest.com/>

Brown bag book club idea:

<http://thefirstgradeprade.blogspot.com/search/label/Brown%20Bag%20Book%20Club>

Great books talks for book club ideas:

<http://www.kidsreads.com/>

Booktalks:

<http://nancykeane.com/booktalks/>

Book reviews by kids:

<http://kidsblogs.nationalgeographic.com/dogearred/>

Tips for starting a book club and planning:

http://www.hclib.org/pub/bookspace/BookClubsKid_Leading.cfm

Titanic Program: For all Ages

Ages 8-12

Select a boarding pass 1st, 2nd, or 3rd class

**Select a path through the stacks (1st, 2nd, or 3rd class)
reading Titanic facts along the way**

All Ages

End up in main area of library

Games from 1912 (tops, jacks, chutes & ladders)

Maze Printout, Coloring Pages,

Facts about Titanic, Now & Then, Local Titanic Ties,

Titanic Books,

Books from circa 1912 Display

Create your own Titanic Button

Trivia Game: Who Wants to be a Millionaire Titanic Style

All Ages (Especially suited for 4-7 year olds)

Mini golf game

Fishing game

**Snacks: Apple Juice, cookies, Currant Buns and Cabin
Biscuits**

Hand out maps for outside Titanic Walk

(Play music from 1912/actual songs played on titanic)

Book Titles for Book Clubs:

Reading level

3-4th graders

Among the Hidden by Margaret Peterson Haddix ##
BabyMouse mad scientist by Jennifer Holm* ##
The Bad Beginning by Lemony Snicket ##
Chocolate Fever by Robert Kimmel Smith
Dragonbreath by Ursula Vernon \$ ##
Frankie Pickle and the Pine Run 3000 by Eric Wight \$ ##
Frindle by Andrew Clements
How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell ##
Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher by Bruce Coville
Kit Feeny: On the Move by Michael Townsend (Kit Feeny: the ugly necklace)* ##
Maze of Bones by Rick Riordan ##
Nathaniel Fludd Beastologist: flight of the Phoenix by R.L. LaFevers ##
Secret Agent Jack Stalwart:
The escape of the deadly dinosaur by Elizabeth Singer Hunt ##
Wide Window by Lemony Snicket ##

Reading level

4th-5th graders

Among the Hidden by Margaret Peterson Haddix ##
BabyMouse mad scientist by Jennifer Holm* ##
The Bad Beginning by Lemony Snicket##
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl
The Chocolate Touch by Patrick Skene Catling
City of Ember by Jeanne DePrau ##
Cryptid Hunters by Roland Smith (high interest boys and girls—Oregon author)
Frindle by Andrew Clements
Hoot by Carl Hiaasen
Kit Feeny: on the move by Michael Townsend (Kit Feeny: the ugly necklace) * ##
Little House on the Prairie by Laura Ingalls Wilder ##
Maze of Bones by Rick Riordan ##
Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary
Prince Caspian by C.S. Lewis ##
Warriors series: Into the Wild (book 1) by Erin Hunter ##

*** GRAPHIC NOVEL**

BOOK IN A SERIES

\$ Part Graphic Novel/Part Chapter Book Hybrid