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## MEET OUR MENTOR MARISSA

By NATALY Z.

Hey! do you want to be Marissa's friend? Here is some information about our PressFriends mentor, Marissa.

Marissa loves the color pink. She also likes a book called *Fangirl*. Marissa also loves *High School Musical*, which is a movie about high school students that are all in love, and they sing from scene to scene.

Marissa is from the beautiful state called California. Her favorite food is strawberries. Marissa is an intelligent

friend and good mentor. She is a friendly person. I hope you like the things about Marissa.



## ART TIME

By ANDREA D.

Art is fun. You learn a lot whenever you do new drawings. Sometimes you can even show your parents. Also you can teach other people how to draw too. If someone saw one of your drawings, like a drawing you did of Ariana Grande, they might ask you if you could teach them how to draw her. Steps Of How To Draw

First you get a pencil. Next you think about what you are going to draw.



After you figure out what you are going to draw, you draw lightly because if you mess up, you can erase and you won't see the lines.

Then, if you want, you can color your picture.

Finally you can show your friends and family.

You can draw more and more and more to get better at drawing.

Finally this is the last thing, so after everything that this article told you and you start drawing a lot, you can inspire other people and teach them how to draw.

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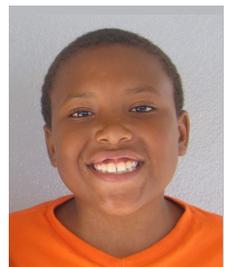
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## IHOP IS THE PLACE TO EAT

By AUDREY J.

The best restaurant to eat is IHOP because so many people go there.

Some of the types of food they serve there are pancakes, omelets, and grilled cheese.

A popular dish at IHOP for adults and kids is the omelet. A lot of people get it because it is

delicious with different flavors, like ham.

Pancakes are also a favorite dish for adults. The delicious meal for kids is chocolate pancakes because kids like pancakes and chocolate.

Besides their pancakes and omelets, other dishes that is popular is

their grilled cheese, and I like their ice cream.

The restaurant is open all week and some locations are open 24 hours.

IHOP has a lot of employees, because it is a busy restaurant. IHOP is so popular because of the great, delicious, and fantastic food.



## APPLE HAS DIED WITH THE IPHONE 7

By MATTHEW S.

Apple has just released a new product called the iPhone 7. The new iPhone doesn't let you play games such as Minecraft, Pokémon Go, Counter Strike: Global Offensive, or Call of Duty. You could play Call of

Duty on a phone but not the iPhone 7 because the game has bad graphics.

The iPhone 7 doesn't have a ear-phone jack. Despite the fact that the iPhone 7 has problems, it has a

better camera than the other phones.

So now you know the drawbacks to the iPhone 7 but it is water resistant. You should be able to take it in the water, but water damage is not covered by Apple's warranty.



## DOGS ARE HEAVEN

By MARIN R.

I like German Shepherd dogs because my uncle owns five German Shepherds. German Shepherd puppies are very cute.

I wish I had a baby German Shepherd. I have a big German Shepherd. He guards the house and

is trained to jump high. He also is trained to attack intruders, and he is trained to jump over hurdles. My dog is black and white and it has a little brown.

I also have a chihuahua mix, and she

is blonde and it likes to sleep with me on the couch. She is scared of people and shy because she thinks that people are going to hit her.

My Chihuahua is so sensitive and that is why I love her. She also is cute.



## BUNS, BUNS EVERYWHERE

By DIANA Z.



There is a big trend going on and it's called the bun. The hair is put in a high ponytail and it gets wrapped around.

There are different styles to do than just the bun. There is the braided bun, twisted bun, and more.

This fashion is used in the West Coast and started

in the mid 2010's. What people like about buns is that you can do different styles on different people. For example, on boys there is a thing called the man bun.

Girls, on the other hand, have more styles, especially those with really long hair.

This is a big trend because it keeps hair out of your face and it's still fun to do. It's a cool way to put your hair up, and it's very different from a ponytail.

In conclusion, buns are the modern trend that will grow in popularity in the future.

## PERFECT OUTFITS

By KAREAN M.



Some of my favorite outfits are a black top and light pants or a light top with a grayish tint. If you know your color and style this is the article for you.

This article covers which hair styles match

what clothing. If you have straight hair than you can do a side wave. To make a side wave you have to take a wet brush and brush all your hair to the left or right side. Let your hair dry. Next slightly curl the bottom of your hair.

Lastly if you did this hairstyle then you might want to wear a light top with dark pants. If you follow this advice, you will look really cute. To help you look even cuter, add silver earrings and maybe black boots.

## NO SOCKS, JUST SANDALS

By ZANYAH S.



Winter is here and so is new fashion. This article is to help you with your problems or questions about fashion.

Some of the fashionable clothes for kids comes from Eden Robe. Kids Fashion week. The description of the outfit to

the left is "Let your youngster enraptures each of the hearts." To be honest this is this cutest outfit ever. But I don't like the shoes. It looks like the shoes are falling off and I'm not a fan of nude shoes.

Now going from the

cutest outfit ever to the worst outfit ever.



## 80'S FASHION

By TERESA S.

**F**ashion in the 1980s was much different than the fashion trends we see today. Very recently, 1980's trends have been making a comeback. Sometimes, they can even be seen in stores.

Some fashion trends that were very popular in

the 80s can still be seen today. You might even see people walking on the streets with '80s clothes on them.

Most people don't like '80s fashion because they think it's too weird for them. People might find this not true so they make

a big deal out of the 1980's fashion and go crazy.

People have opinions, but some people like slaves, were forced to wear things like in prison, they have to wear orange jumpsuits. EWW!



## THE DIAMOND ARTICLE

By VALERY S.

**E**verybody knows that diamonds have been around the world for many many years, but there is much more to diamonds than just earrings and rings.

If some people didn't know, diamonds form below the earth's surface. They are formed by the

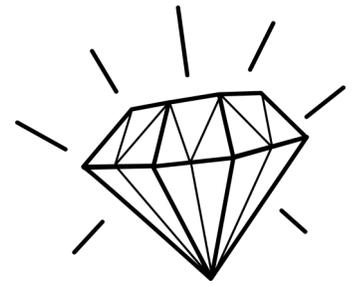
pressure underground, and the temperature. Also most diamonds were formed over 1 billion years ago.

When diamonds are found underground, they have yellow and brown colors. When the pressure is added, diamonds become transparent. Some

diamonds are rare and more expensive.

Diamonds are the world's hardest natural material on earth. Diamonds are scratch-resistant.

Diamonds come from the Greek word *adamas* which means "invincible".



## AROUND THE WORLD

By LINDSEY C.

**T**here once was a girl from El Salvador who traveled around the world. She traveled to Illinois, Mexico, San Diego, Pennsylvania, New Mexico, Michigan, Utah, North Carolina, North Dakota, New York, Texas, Florida, Geor-

gia, Wisconsin, Columbia, Maine, Virginia, Louisiana, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Colorado, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Washington D.C., and Rhode Island. Her favorite places to travel to are Florida and El Salvador.

She got to meet new people and made new friends. She also saw many new things around the world. Going to these places was really cool because it gave her a chance to spend a lot of time with her mom.



## WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE HOLIDAY?

### CHINESE NEW YEAR



#### It's Shining Fireworks!

My favorite holiday is Chinese New Year because you get money. Another reason why is because there is a dragon dance. We also play games during Chinese New Year. Lastly, what I like about Chinese New Year is that we get to eat candy. We also go to a place that is a temple. And this is why my favorite holiday is Chinese New Year.

*Julie P.*

#### Dragons are Coming!

My favorite holiday is Chinese New Year. I like Chinese New Year because it is fun to celebrate this holiday. Another reason why I like this holiday is because you gift people with money. The last reason why I like this holiday is because you get to see a dragon (fake) dance.

The special thing

about this holiday to me is that my family celebrates it at one home (my grandma's). So that's what makes it special to me.

So you're asking what exactly is Chinese New Year? Well, let me explain. Chinese New Year is basically a holiday where you give people money in red Chinese envelopes.

Why was Chinese New Year made, you ask? To be honest I don't know. Maybe to celebrate the day fireworks were made? Ask the Ancestors! Not me....

*Crystal C.*

### CHRISTMAS



My favorite holiday is Christmas. My first reason is presents. My second reason is food. and my third reason is family.

At my house, we play games or I go to my

room and play games. I sometimes play games with my family outside.

Also, Santa may give you presents you can play with, such as toys and games like PlayStation or an Xbox. Santa will give you more stuff if you are really good, and if you are bad, you will get nothing. If you are really good, you might get a lot of things and you might even get whatever you want.

*Jingle bells, batman smells, robin laid an egg. The bat mobile lost a wheel and the Joker got away, hey!*

*Adrian M.*

My favorite holiday is Christmas because you get lots of things and your friends and people that are in your family could be there to celebrate with you. And I like the milk shakes.

My next favorite holiday is Halloween because you can dress up as any character you want to.

The other thing about Halloween I like is that my cousin and I do pranks with fake blood to scare people. After we prank someone, we move to other places and do the same prank over and over again.

After Halloween, we to back to my house.

*Andrew R.*

### Ho Ho Ho!

My favorite holiday is Christmas because you get to spend time with your family, you get presents, and you get time off of school. Also my family gets to open up their presents and you get money, clothes, toys, and maybe a console. Also at Christmas you get to eat cookies and drink hot chocolate, coffee and mint. And before we go to bed, we give Santa cookies and milk to eat when everybody is asleep on Christmas Eve.

*Jingle It Up, Santa!*

*Diego L.*

My favorite holiday is Christmas, but not because of the Christmas food and presents. I do not believe Santa. I believe in God. It is God who made Christmas.

Christmas is fun. It is fun to spend time with my family.

*Jorge F.*

My favorite holiday is Christmas because we get presents, chocolate chip cookies, and trees. There are Christmas trees and Santa with reindeers. I get to be with mom and dad.

Sometimes on Christmas we get to travel.

## WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE HOLIDAY?

Christmas is once a year. *Happy holidays!*  
Christmas Cheer!!

*Kevin S.*

My favorite holiday is Christmas because everyone gets together. We invite friends to spend time together with us. Maybe also because of the presents, and we sometimes do some fireworks.

Sometimes we can have parties, to celebrate Christmas! But I got to say I also love Halloween.

Christmas is nice, and that is why I like Christmas.

*Kimberly F.*

Christmas is my favorite holiday, because when its Christmas Eve, we get to open some pre-

sents but not all of them. When it's Christmas we get to go to my great grandma's house and play with my cousins. We also get to have a giant dinner and my family eats all of it. When we do have seconds, we take them, but the best part is when my aunt gave me a snow globe for my gift. My aunt gave me a snow globe and then she

gave me a hug, and the hug was the best present of all! But the worst part was when I had to say goodbye to everyone and go home. But besides that, it was awesome. That's why my favorite holiday is Christmas.

*By Marissa A.*

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### PressFriends Foreign Correspondent

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY THE IRISH WAY

By Evelina M., Northern Ireland

**S**t. Patrick's Day in Ireland is a little different from the American tradition. We don't hold huge parades, dress up as leprechauns or eat corned beef and cabbage. We do things a little differently.

The week before St. Patrick's Day, we learn all about Saint Patrick in school, about how he was stolen and sold as a slave and how he chased the snakes out of Ireland, but we get the 17th of March off because it's a national holiday here.

Not complaining. Usually everybody puts on their green Irish football tops and climbs Slemish mountain. This is supposedly where Saint Patrick spent his days, herding sheep. If you're really dedicated, you can climb it barefoot just like Saint Patrick did but I've never attempted that.

After that there's a small parade in town. There's usually a band of bagpipes and a team of Irish dancers. Like every year in the past, it will probably get rained on but

that's okay because everybody will just move indoors to the local pub. They take out their fiddles and accordions and play some traditional Irish music. Anybody who can Irish dance does a little jig or if you have two left feet you can just clap along.

Then we eat roast chicken and potatoes, and the adults drink a lot of beer. That's how we celebrate in Ireland. What do you do on St. Patrick's Day in America?



## WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE HOLIDAY?

### Rudolph is Coming!

Christmas is my favorite holiday. One thing that I like about Christmas is that we gather together with our family. Another thing that I like about Christmas is that my birthday is two days from Christmas. The last thing about Christmas is that I like presents. These are the things I like about Christmas.

Also my brother always fools me, but it is fun. I get to eat with my family. We usually have gravy, ham, and roasted pecan pie.

What is the thing that I like best about Christmas is spending time with my family. I like drinking hot chocolate with my family and watching a Christmas-related movie.

*Nataly Z.*

### HALLOWEEN



My favorite holiday is Halloween because it is fun to wear costumes. Another reason that I like Halloween is because you

get to trick-or-treat with family and friends. And when you go trick-or-treating, you can eat candy afterwards.

Costumes Suggestions are: a cowgirl or cowboy, Minnie Mouse or Mickey Mouse, an Elephant, Lion, or a Cat.

*Audrey J.*

### You Will Beware!

My favorite holiday is Halloween because my family gets to go trick-or-treating. Also, my family gets to scare people without them knowing about it in advance. It is fun because people get scared. It is also funny because the people jump up and yell really loud.

One day it was Halloween and we jumped up to scare somebody and got really scared.

Additionally, my favorite holiday is Halloween because when you visit houses, they are decorated and they look really scary and cool.

Halloween is also cool because once I went to the Haunted Hayride, and there were a lot of cool characters. For example, there was a slender man, a little girl that looks like

scream, a girl that was on top of hay and people would take pictures with her and she would scare the person right when they took the shot. There was also a big, huge, scary clown and you could take pictures with the clown. There was a guy that looked like Jason but instead he had a chainsaw. Finally, we went on a ride and it was really cool and scary. It was really dark, dim, and really creepy. There were robotic people speaking with no heads.

*Danny E.*

### Boo!

My favorite holiday is Halloween. I like Halloween because you get candy. Also, you get to dress up and have lots of fun going trick-or-treating. Another reason is that you can have lots of fun playing with your friends when you go trick-or-treating. You can also make your own costume.

*Diane Z.*

### Scary, Candy, and Beware

My favorite holiday is Halloween. I like Halloween because I can dress up. I also get candy. At home I get a HUGE sugar rush.

I also like this holiday

because I can see what my friends are going to be. Plus, my mom buys me more candy. The next day I stay at home with ALL my candy.

I just love Halloween. Halloween is awesome. If you don't agree you're missing out.

*Irene G.*

### Scream Now!

My favorite holiday is Halloween. I like this holiday because we get to go to Manhattan Beach to go candy hunting. My family brings our pillow cases and we exchange the candy we don't like. If we do like the candy, we will put it in our bucket or we would put it behind our back. Then we eat a few candy pieces. Then we go to bed.

*Karean M.*

### Boo!

My favorite holiday is Halloween. Why Halloween is important to me is because I get to dress like somebody besides me. One other reason is because I get to stay up late and because I get lots of candy instead of buying it and spending money when you can just trick and treat for candy.

*Lindsey C.*

## WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE HOLIDAY?

### Halloween Day

My favorite holiday is Halloween because I can go trick-or-treating and I get candy. My other reason is because I can be something scary. I can scare people and they can run away. I also can go to hunted houses.

*Marin R.*

### Screams and Scares

My favorite holiday is Halloween because you can dress up however you want. You celebrate it by dressing up and going house-to-house.

Halloween is on October 31st. People usually go to parades and kids dress up and go trick-or-treating. You get to see other costumes, and you get to have lots of candy. You can let out all your screams and scares on Halloween. Boo!

Halloween is the time to show off your best costumes! Come and join the fun!

*Telayia F.*

### It's a BIG Scare!

My favorite holiday is Halloween. I like it because I can dress up and get candy and money.

Halloween is a day

where you can dress up as a character and get candy.

Mainly for kids! What it's about? It is about how people prank each other or being plain CUTE! The word "trick or treat" makes me wondering if they are going to prank me or give me a treat.

Kids can be trusting but sometimes it is not good. Be careful not to go in the homes!

*Zanyah S.*

### NEW YEAR'S



### Boom Boom Tonight!

My favorite holiday is New Years because my BFF's birthday is on that day also. Another thing we get to start a new year and a new school year. The way that my family celebrates New Year is that we like to gather up and sing a beautiful and peaceful son. Another way is that we give little gifts to each other. Boom Boom! Show your fireworks to-night!

*Andrea D.*

My favorite holiday is New Year's. One reason I like New Year's is because I get 12 grapes for each month and have to eat them in 60 seconds.

Another reason my family likes New Year's is because my family likes to shoot fireworks to show that we have New Year spirit.

*Valery S.*

### THANKSGIVING



### Time for Thanks

My favorite holiday is Thanksgiving because I get to eat with all my family. We eat lasagna, spaghetti, mac n' cheese, coleslaw, and many other things.

We also get to make cookies and pies at Thanksgiving. We make apple pie, pumpkin pie, chocolate chip cookies, and chocolate covered cookies.

*Emilie H.*

### Turkey Time

What I like about Thanksgiving is that we get to be with our family

and eat. On Thanksgiving when everyone's at the table, we all say what we're thankful for. Then we eat turkey, mashed potatoes, and rice.

Another thing I like about Thanksgiving is because when I get full I won't have to eat breakfast the next day.

*Teresa S.*

### BIRTHDAYS



### My 9th Birthday

When it was my birthday, I went to pick up my friend. Then we went to change into our bathing suits. We told my mom that we were ready to go to Seaside Lagoon. We left to go to Seaside Lagoon, and we put sunscreen on before we went in the water. We went in the water, and it was so cold that I ran out of the water. Then my mom went on the water slide with my uncle. They were screaming, and it was funny. Then we left.

*Lexy C.*

## MEET OUR REPORTERS

### ANDREA CARES FOR ANIMALS



Andrea and Telayia

By TELAYIA F.

Andrea was born on January 30, 2008. She is 8 years old.

Her favorite basketball player is Stephen Curry. She also loves to draw.

When Andrea grows up, she wants to be a veterinarian. What she likes the most about being a veterinarian is helping out animals, but she doesn't

like it when animals cry or are hurt.

The person who influenced her to become a veterinarian is her Aunt. Her Aunt loves animals.

Andrea first knew when she wanted to become a veterinarian when she was about five years old.

Some other interest-

ing things to know about Andrea: her favorite color is red; her favorite Disney character is Minnie Mouse; her favorite sport is Basketball; she speaks 4 different languages; her favorite shoes are Jordans; she has a dog; her favorite TV show is Thundermans, and her favorite waterpark is Raging' Waters.

### KAREAN ON MUSIC



Karean

By KIMBERLY F.

Karean is in 5th grade, her favorite song is *Wonderwall*.

In second grade, Karean sang in front of her school and parents. She was very nervous when she first sang in front of people.

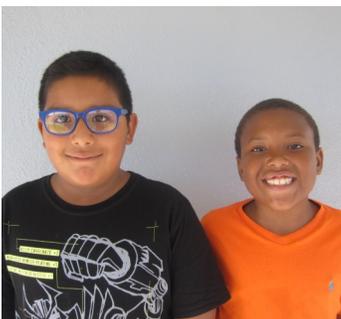
Karean likes singing, depending on her mood. She likes singing in the car a lot.

Karean said she has a favorite pop song. Her favorite pop song is *Closer* by the group called The Chainsmokers.

She has thought of making a song when she gets older.

Karean has been to the theatre to see live musicals. One of the shows she saw was *Shrek the Musical* and the other was *The Wizard of Oz*.

### FIGHTING FIRES



Diego and Kevin

By DIEGO L.

Kevin is an interesting person. He likes playing tag with his friends.

When he grows up he wants to be a firefighter,

and he wants to become the greatest firefighter ever.

The reason he wants to become a firefighter is

he wants to risk his life for other people and I think that is a awesome reason to be a firefighter.

## HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA

By EMILIE H.

**H**otel Transylvania 2 is a fantasy/action movie. It is a PG movie.

The characters are Jonathan, Mavis, Dennis, and Dracula. Andy Samberg plays Jonathan, Mavis is Selena Gomez, Dennis is

played by Asher Blinkoff, and Dracula is Adam Sandler. The main character is Dracula.

The director is Gennady Tartakovsky. The writers are Robert Smigel and Adam Sandler.

The movie can be watched on DVD or in the movie theater.

It was a very awesome movie. The movie was very interesting. It would be a great movie for family and friends.



## WHAT'S UP WITH YOUR JAM?

By NATALY Z.

**T**oday's lesson is about music. The reason why is because music is very popular around the world. Everywhere you go you hear music.

One thing about music is that there are many kinds of instruments. For example there are the piano, flute, tuba and more!

One favorite song that for many people is *Thriller* by Michael Jackson.

There are lots of tunes and songs you can enjoy. People like different singers. For example, some people like Michael Jackson, Taylor Swift, Katy Perry, and Ariana Grande. Some people

even like old songwriters like Elvis Presley.

Music was invented a long time ago. Music is universal. There are different people in different cultures that enjoy music.

Music is one thing that people around the world enjoy.



## JAMMING' TO POP

By KIMBERLY F.

**O**ne of my favorite pop songs is *Closer*. The band ChainSmokers made *Closer*. The background was like the beach but also near a mountain. What I like about the song was

that it's like a relationship but also really catchy. Also I love singing to it.

Sometimes a song gets stuck in your head and has a theme like "I hate you" or "I love you."

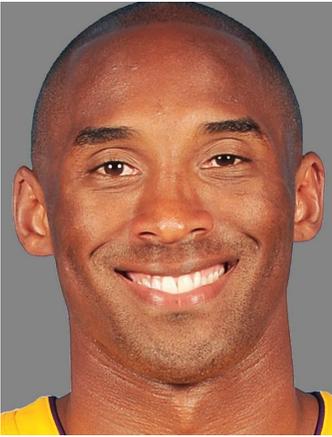
Even though I like music, I like sports more. I do like music more than Hockey though.

I would make a new song by myself or with my friends but its hard to do.



## THE ALL-STAR PLAYER KOBE BRYANT

By TELAYIA F.



**K**obe Bryant was born August 23 in Pennsylvania. He recently left the NBA almost beating Michael Jordan's record. When he was in high school, his number was 8.

Kobe Bryant played for the Los Angeles Lakers. He played with a lot of teammates. A long time ago, the Lakers played against the Boston Celtics in the Finals. They suffered a terrible loss.

### The Dynamic Duo

Dynamic Duos are 2 players that work together off of one team. One of the best Dynamic Duos of

all time was Shaquille 'O Neal and Kobe Bryant. They worked together to bring the Lakers to the Finals. None of them can do anything by themselves. But together they can do anything and everything.

### The All-Star Game

An All-Star game is a game with East against West. Kobe lead the West with dunks, threes, free throws, and 2 pointers. West was wearing red jerseys. East was wearing white jerseys. West took down East with winning by like twenty-five. It was a epic

win for Kobe and the West team!

### 20 years of basketball

Kobe's 20 years of basketball helped the Lakers a lot! In the All-Star game he was number 10. He was wearing purple and gold almost all those 20 years! Can you believe that!?! He brought the Los Angeles Lakers to a lot of Championships and Playoffs. He inspired millions and millions of kids, adults, and many other players.

Of his 20 years, he has had a lot of injuries. Gladly, he recovered all of his awful, horrible injuries. Bye, Kobe.

## FOOTBALL RULES

By KEVIN S.



**T**he best thing about football is playing quarterback because they are important for the team. It is harder than most people think.

The most important thing about football is blocking the other players as a defender. Another thing is that the quarterback has the ball most of the time, while they are trying to not get tackled. But the players always

have to follow the coach's rules. Sometimes, they have to jump over people because they don't want to get tackled. Then they have to not make a foul.

Just one more thing. Sometimes they don't follow the coach's rules. The goal is to always make a touchdown. When they make a touchdown, six points are earned. When the six points are earned, they do the foot-

ball dance, to celebrate.

When the national playoffs come, they have to be serious and make the right plays. If they mess up, they lose. At the end of the season, a champion parade is held. Different players, like AJ Smith, who won the World Championships, play on multiple teams, such as, the Rams and the Bengals.

Football is the best!

## THE BIG GAME

By KAREAN M.

The *Dolphin Times* interviewed PressFriends mentor Akshat. He said that he had played basketball on a YMCA team.

In a big game, the score was 15 - 5 in favor of the YMCA team. The YMCA team was the home team.

Akshat had stated that no players were standing out. The whole team was trying their best and they used the best teamwork they could.

After all the hard work, the YMCA team won the big game. Akshat said

his team had played hard and had wonderful teamwork passing the ball. The trophy is in the YMCA gym that they had played in. They have an outstanding team and by working together, they can come up with amazing results.



## THE LAST LAKER'S 2015-16 GAME

By KIMBERLY A.

The last Lakers game, in last year's season, took place in Los Angeles. It was the thirteenth of April. The Lakers were battling the Jazz.

The Lakers won the game. The Lakers got 101 shots and the Jazz

got 96. They played the game at the Staples Center.

The Lakers have won 16 NBA championships. The Lakers compete in the National Basketball Association (NBA) as a member club of the

League's Western Conference Pacific Division.

The Lakers hold the record for NBA's longest winning streak—33 straight games set during the 1971-1972 season.



## THE EXCITING HOCKEY GAME

By LEXY C.

Have you ever watched an exciting and extraordinary hockey game? Watching hockey is exciting. This game I watched took place in Chicago.

Many people get excited watching hockey games at home and start jumping around their houses. After they are tired from jumping around, they sit down.

One time, the team got a Power Play, which only happens when you get a penalty. The team still made a goal.

Many people are happy, that they start dancing around like they are crazy. There was a tie but then the team made a goal. It was exciting and intriguing. It went to a 3rd pe-

riod and it was awesome, shocking and scary. It was still a tie, and the teams went to overtime. On overtime, the game was tied and the team had four more minutes.

Then they went to shootout and made a goal. Everyone was happy and they shouted, "Hooray!"



## VIDEO GAME REVIEW: POKEMON

By JULIE P.



**W**hy do I like Pokémon? One reason is, that I got a Pichu and it is an electric type. And because Pichu is so cute and little.

Another reason is you get to go on an adventure

and catch a lot a Pokémon. On the adventure you go to the gym. A gym is a place where you battle and train to increase each Pokémon's combat power (CP). By increasing each Pokémon's CP, each

Pokémon can level up. In the gym you get a badge when you win.

While I really enjoy the game, I don't catch a lot of Pokémon. Make sure to keep calm while you are playing.

## VIDEO GAME REVIEW: STAR STABLE

By CRYSTAL C.



**A** fun game to play is Star Stable! The publisher of this game is the SSH (Star Stable Headquarters).

This game is an online game where you customize a character and a horse to do certain quests.

The highest level is level 5, unless you purchase the limited star rider, which costs \$45.00. The limited star rider is an unlimited account! The game also allows the user to unlock quests that are available.

The people who might be interested in playing this game are females between the ages of 9 and 18.

This game has a variety of horses to choose from! From a tiny Shet-

land to a heavy Shire.

This game is pixelated and they make two videos per week. The channel has 3 seasons of new updates. The channel is called Star Stable.

What type of quests does the game have? Well, this game has zombie pole bending, racing tracks, magical quests, and everyday quests that are available.

For fun, create a group and do a group racing by clicking on a blue sparkling icon. It will ask "would like to start a race?" Pole bending is a race where the horse has to avoid the poles by going between the two poles that are nearby.

The things that are available to do to make it more adventurous to care

for the horse!. It will show a yellow or a red icon for hunger, thirst, hoof cleaning, and in need of brushing.

To get the food, walk up to a store and buy food like carrots, hay, apples, and etc.

To get water the requirements need a well nearby. To do so walk up to the well and get the bucket from the inventory and drop the bucket on the blue sparkling icon.

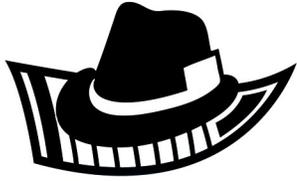
To brush or clean the hooves, drop the brush and the hoof cleaner on the horse.

The next thing is to train the horse by doing riding tracks! An example for a horse in Star Stable is the Lipizzaner!

Hope you enjoy the world of Star Stable!

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