

McFarlane Library News November 2022

Livo Loves Reading

Hello, and welcome to November's news from your McFarlane Library

* NEW * BOOK OF THE MONTH ~ If you like funny stories...



Twelve-year-old Lily Mavers and her sister, Erin, do not get on. It doesn't help that Lily has nothing in common with her overachieving, Grade A student sister. But after an emergency trip to the oddly named Hairy Godmother salon, Lily and Erin leave with much more than a new look - they've got a whole new life. Because the sisters have undergone a full-on body switch and they're about to find out that life in each other's shoes is much harder than it looks! A super-fun read which will make you laugh, cringe and rave along with Lily!!

Author Spotlight – Jennifer Killick



Some of our most popular books are by author Jennifer Killick. She is the author of the Dread Wood series, Crater Lake and the Alex Sparrow series. She regularly visits schools and festivals, and her books have been selected three times for The Reading Agency's Summer Reading Challenge. She lives in Uxbridge, in a house full of children, animals and Lego. She loves to read, write and run, as fast as she can.

NEW Health & Wellbeing books for our LRC



A great collection of short articles, the Teen Breathe Be You series shows how positive thinking, creativity, eating well and regular exercise can be used to face up to fears, set goals and establish a healthy self-awareness that can work wonders for physical and psychological wellbeing.

~ BUILD CONFIDENCE AND DISCOVER THE BEST IN YOURSELF ~

Focus on Fiction ~ Environmental Stories



We have some thought provoking and thrilling adventure stories, each with an ecological message to us all. Fast-paced escapades set in a harsh world with an added environmental warning. Includes deforestation and the destruction of the rainforest, rising sea levels, wildfires and mining for tin in deep, dangerous trenches. * An Excellent tie-in for Geography revision *



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