SWW Library News

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The Rochester Teen Book Festival - Saturday, May 20th at Nazareth College from 8:30am − 5:00 pm. This is an amazing opportunity for young adult readers to meet with 28 well-known authors that write for teens! Go to http://www.teenbookfest.org for more information.

Page Turners Book Club – We are currently reading *Every Last Word* by Tamara Ireland Stone. Some members have already finished this book with very positive reviews! Copies are still available; next book club meeting is Wednesday, May 3rd during personal needs. Read the book, come to our book club to discuss it AND attend the Rochester Teen Book Festival AND meet the author!!!

Do you like poetry? **April was National Poetry Month**, but that doesn't mean poetry is just for April! Your school library has some great titles to celebrate the occasion:

- *One Last Word* by Nikki Grimes (new)
- Dizzy in Your Eyes by Pat Mora (new)
- The Crossover by Kwame Alexander (Coretta Scott King Award 2015)
- Carver: A Life in Poems by Marilyn Nelson (Coretta Scott King Honor 2002)
- The 100 Best African American Poems edited by Nikki Giovanni
- The Spoken Word Revolution; Slam, Hip Hop & the Poetry of a New Generation edited by Mark Eleveld
- Alicia Keys: Tears for Water by Alicia Keys
- Poisoned Apples by Christine Heppermann
- Leave This Song Behind: Teen Poetry at its Best edited by S. Meyer
- Please Excuse this Poem: 100 New Poets for the Next Generation edited by B. Fletcher

More poetry books or stories written in verse are available – see Diane in the library.





