



OHS STUDENT BOOK REVIEW CLUB

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Olympia High School Library is sponsoring the **OHS Student Book Review Club**. The purpose of this book review club is to: (1) engage students in the book selection process, (2) promote and enhance critical thinking skills; and, (3) promote reading.

Your son/daughter wishes to participate as a member of this club. As a club member, your son/daughter will be reading and reviewing newly published (but not purchased) or donated books of their choice. Your son/daughter may choose to review these newly published or donated books OR he/she may choose to review books from a bookstore, public library, etc. After reading, each member will critique their book by completing an *OHS Library Book Selection Consideration Form* and/or verbally reviewing the book at one of the club meetings. Your son's/daughter's valued opinions will be taken into consideration regarding the selection of these books for the school's library collection.

Please be aware that certain books may contain inappropriate language or content for high school students. No student is asked to review a book that he/she is not interested in reading and reviewing.

In addition, each club member will be asked to contribute insights into the appeal of the library, its resources, and other activities of the library program. Club members are invited to voice their opinions regarding the library program during the student-run monthly book review club meetings.

If you have any questions, please call me at school. The OHS Library phone number is 596-7002.

Im**MEDIA**tely yours,

Deborah Koss-Warner
OHS Teacher-Librarian



OHS BOOK REVIEW CLUB PERMISSION SLIP



I give my son/daughter, _____, permission to participate in the **OHS Student Book Review Club**.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____ 1st Period Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Student: Please return permission slip to Ms. Koss-Warner.