

The Black-Eyed Susan Book Award honors
outstanding books chosen by Maryland students.

YOU are invited to help select this year's best book.



The Poolesville High School
**Black-Eyed Susan
Book Club**

Sponsored by the English Department and the Media Center

- **Who?** a group of PHS students who enjoy reading and want to explore new books
- **What?** read at least three of the books listed on the back of this flier (and any other book(s) you choose) and attend club meetings to discuss books
- **Where?** in the Library Media Center
- **When?** the second Wednesday of the month (***An informational meeting will be on September 30.***)
- **Why?** to help select Maryland's best book in the High School category and celebrate with a pizza party in May.

What do you need to do to participate?

Read at least three of the Black-Eyed Susan nominees (and any other book(s) you choose by April 14th.

For each book you read, complete a BRIEF book survey (which is intended to help you remember the books by the time we vote in the spring) that includes:

- *What you liked about the book*
- *An example of conflict and resolution from the book*
- *What the main character learned from his/her experiences*
- *Why you would or would not recommend this book to a friend*

Each time you complete a book and submit a survey, the Library Media Center staff keep a record of the books you read.

On April 16, 2010, provided that you have read at least three of the nominated books, you will be invited to attend a voting reception during lunch in the Library Media Center. You will cast your vote for the best book. Light refreshments will be served.

In May, the English Department and the Media Center will host a pizza luncheon to celebrate the winner of the award and to honor all the Black-Eyed Susan readers.