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Welcome to the third issue of the Specker Library Newsletter for this year! In this issue, we cover some of the activities hosted by the library last week in celebration of National Library Week, including the library’s scavenger hunt and raffle.

- Milan Kolundzija

FIRST ANNUAL LIBRARY RAFFLE

As part of National Library Week, the library hosted a raffle to increase awareness of the library and the services it provides. Open to all students, the raffle featured a cash prize of five dollars and attracted close to eighty entrants. Three lucky names were drawn, and each student chosen received the five dollar prize.

LIBRARY HOSTS SCAVENGER HUNT

Last Tuesday in honor of National Library Week and the accompanying theme “libraries transform,” the library hosted a scavenger hunt designed to raise awareness of the important services and resources offered by the library. Students who opted to participate in the scavenger hunt were given a questionnaire designed to test general knowledge about the library, the resources the library offers, and the tools used to find those resources. Librarians took this opportunity to provide students with individualized help. Students who made a genuine effort to participate were given the option of choosing from several prizes.

STUDENTS SHARE THEIR THOUGHTS

Another event hosted by the library last week was “Smartboard Thursday,” an event designed to encourage students to share their thoughts on a variety of topics with the library. Throughout the day the library posted several questions on a smartboard screen, allowing students to share their favorite book titles and ideas on how to improve the library directly on the screen. Close to forty students shared their favorite book titles and ideas on how to improve the library. The library was pleased with the number of students who decided to participate, and we are looking forward to doing events similar to this one in the future.