

New Fiction Books at Cal Young ~ 2012-2013 Paranormal/Action/Horror/some Romance

Armstrong, Kelley - *Calling (Darkness Rising Book 2)*

A next installment in the trilogy that began with *The Gathering* finds Maya and her animal friends escaping a devastating forest fire that they believe was deliberately set by an abductor who strands them in a threatening Vancouver Island wilderness.

Ashby, Amanda - *Fairy Bad Day*

High schooler Emma is devastated to learn that she may not follow in her mother's footsteps as a dragon slayer, but with an unlikely band of allies she discovers that she may, indeed, be more adept at slaying giant killer fairies.

Atwater-Rhodes, Amelia - *In the Forests of the Night*

Risika, a teenage vampire, wanders back in time to the year 1684 when, as a human, she died and was transformed against her will.

Barnhill, Kelly - *Mostly True Story of Jack*

Jack is practically invisible at home, but when his parents send him to Hazelwood, Iowa, to spend a summer with his odd aunt and uncle, he suddenly makes friends, is beaten up by the town bully, and is plotted against by the richest man in town. Great reviews!

Bick, Ilsa J. - *Ashes*

Mature Content

Alex, a resourceful seventeen-year-old running from her incurable brain tumor, Tom, who has left the war in Afghanistan, and Ellie, an angry eight-year-old, join forces after an electromagnetic pulse sweeps through the sky and kills most of the world's population, turning some of those who remain into zombies and giving the others superhuman senses.

Cabot, Meg - *Abandon*

Mature Content

A near-death experience, a horrible incident at school, and a move from Connecticut to Florida have turned seventeen-year-old Pierce's life upside-down, but when she needs him most John Hayden is always there, helping but reminding her of her visit to the Underworld.

Cabot, Meg - *Jinx*

Sixteen-year-old Jean "Jinx" Honeychurch, the descendant of a witch, must leave Iowa to live with relatives in Manhattan after the first spell she casts goes awry, but she will have to improve her skills to stop her cousin from practicing black magic that endangers them and the boy they both like.

Clement-Moore, Rosemary - *Texas Gothic*

Mature Content

Struggling to separate herself from her family's heritage of witchcraft, Amy Goodnight visits her eccentric aunt's ranch during a summer that becomes marked by ghosts, suspicious deaths and a gorgeous cowboy neighbor whom she seems to encounter everywhere she goes.

De la Cruz, Melissa; Johnston, Michael (ILT) - *Bloody Valentine*

A companion novella to the best-selling series shares behind-the-scenes tales about the romantic entanglements of the vampires of New York's Upper East Side, from Mimi and Kingsley's tangled history to a possible cure for Oliver's heartbreak in the form of a witchy newcomer.

Flinn, Alex - *Bewitching*

Mature Content

Tells the story of Kendra, a witch, and the first three-hundred years of her life, including takes on a classic fairy tale, the 1666 plague in Britain, the Titanic disaster, and the story of a modern-day, plain stepsister.

Gier, Kerstin; Bell, Anthea (TRN) - *Ruby Red*

Gwyneth discovers that she, rather than her well-prepared cousin, carries a time-travel gene, and soon she is journeying with Gideon, who shares the gift, through historical London trying to discover whom they can trust.

Harvey, Alyxandra - *Blood Moon (The Drake Chronicles 5)*

When the vampire tribes convene for the rare Blood Moon ceremonies, Solange's fight with her feral nature, a mysterious stranger, family secrets and forbidden magic put the Drakes in danger and force Nicholas to consider a wrenching choice between Lucy and his sister.

Hawes, Jason; Wilson, Grant; Dokey, Cameron (CON) - *Ghost Hunt 2 : More Chilling Tales of the Unknown*

Readers can find the answers to more paranormal questions with bigger cases, scarier ghosts and more spine-tingling locations as well as an expert Ghost Hunt Guide inside.

Higson, Charlie - *Fear (The Killer Series: Book 3)*

In London, after a worldwide sickness infects adults, turning them into zombie-like creatures, DogNut and his crew embark on a deadly mission to find missing friends, as hungry, bloodthirsty grownups lie in wait.

Johnson, Maureen - *Name of the Star*

Rory, of Boueuxlieu, Louisiana, is spending a year at a London boarding school when she witnesses a murder by a Jack the Ripper copycat and becomes involved with the very unusual investigation.

Jones, Carrie - *Endure*

A conclusion to the best-selling series finds Zara's triumphant rescue of Nick from Valhalla overshadowed by an apocalyptic pixie attack on Bedford that compels her to use her status as pixie queen to unite pixie and human forces, a situation that is further complicated by her growing feelings for her pixie king.

Kagawa, Julie - *Immortal Rules*

Mature Content

After Allison is forced to flee the city, she joins a band of humans who are seeking a legend -- a possible cure to the disease that killed off most of humankind and created the creatures threatening humans and vampires alike.

Kenyon, Sherrilyn - *Infamous*

Mature Content

A latest entry in the best-selling spin-off series finds Nick struggling to enjoy a normal relationship while battling zombies, raising the dead and outmaneuvering his murderous father before tackling the greatest challenge of his life, for which he must risk the entire world in order to save it.

Liparulo, Robert - *House of Dark Shadows (Dreamhouse Kings 1)*

When fifteen-year-old Xander and his family move into an old, abandoned house in the middle of a dense forest outside of a small California town, they discover that not only are some of the rooms portals into other places, but that malevolent forces are at work.

Liparulo, Robert - ***Watcher in the Woods (Dreamhouse Kings 2)***

Twelve-year-old David and his family search for their kidnapped mother in the many different time period portals of their home, but when a stranger appears and tries to force them to sell the house, their desperation reaches new heights.

Liparulo, Robert - ***Gatekeepers (Dreamhouse Kings 3)***

With their mother still missing after going through a Civil War time portal in their spooky house, and their father in jail under a false accusation, Xander, David, and their younger sister continue to try to bring their mother back, now with the help of an old relative who has turned up unexpectedly.

Maberry, Jonathan - ***Flesh & Bone (Rot & Ruin Book 3)***

Plunging through the zombie-infested wastelands of what was once America in search of a jet they saw in the sky months earlier, Benny and his companions encounter more danger than they imagined in the form of voracious animals, a death cult and swarms of suspiciously powerful zombies.

Mcbride, Lish - ***Hold Me Closer, Necromancer*** (YRCA 2013)

Mature Content

Sam LaCroix, a Seattle fast-food worker and college dropout, discovers that he is a necromancer, part of a world of harbingers, werewolves, satyrs, and one particular necromancer who sees Sam as a threat to his lucrative business of raising the dead. (Humorous)

Machale, D. J.- ***Blood (Morpheus Road Trilogy, Book 3)***

Events proceed to a final showdown between best friends Marshall and Cooper and the terrifying villain Damon, who is more determined than ever to break down the walls between the worlds of the living and the dead.

Mcentire, Myra ***Hourglass***

Mature Content

Emerson uses her power to manipulate time to help Michael, a consultant hired by her brother, to prevent a murder that happened six months ago while simultaneously navigating their undeniable attraction to one another.

Noel, Alyson - ***Everlasting (Immortals, Book 6)***

After facing bitter rivals, jealous friends and their deepest fears, Ever and Damen hope that their centuries-long courtship will finally result in them being together forever, in the final installment of a best-selling series.

Oppel, Kenneth - ***This Dark Endeavor: The Apprenticeship of Victor Frankenstein***

When his twin brother falls ill in the family's chateau in the independent republic of Geneva in the eighteenth century, sixteen-year-old Victor Frankenstein embarks on a dangerous and uncertain quest to create the forbidden Elixir of Life described in an ancient text in the family's secret Biblioteka Obscura.

Perez, Marlene - ***Dead Is a Killer Tune (Dead Series, Book 7)***

Pike, Aprilynne - ***Destined***

Struggling to come to terms with Yuki's identity as a rare and deadly Winter faerie who is working with Klea to conquer and destroy Avalon, Laurel teams up with Tamani, David and Chelsea for a fight she never anticipated, in the conclusion to the trilogy that includes Wings and Spells.

Schreiber, Ellen - ***Immortal Hearts (Vampire Kisses conclusion)***

Happily anticipating a visit by Alexander's little sister Stormy, Raven is disappointed when the girl's arrival stirs up an immortal whirlwind that forces Raven to seriously consider what becoming a vampire would mean, in the concluding installment of the popular series.

Slater, Adam - ***Hunted***

At the time called The Shadowing, the barrier between the netherworld and the human world begins to break down, and as fourteen-year-old Callum sees his visions of grisly murders coming true he strives to fulfill his destiny to stand against bloodthirsty demon forces while he, himself, is being hunted.

Stine, R. L. - ***Goosebumps Wanted: The Haunted Mask***

When she discovers an evil mask at the bottom of a trunk and puts it on, LuAnn's Halloween turns into a real nightmare because only an act of unbelievable kindness can remove it.

Van Allsberg, Chris, ed. ***The Chronicles of Harris Burdick: Fourteen Amazing Authors Tell the Tales.***

The mysterious illustrations introduced in Allsberg's 1984 collection, *The Mysteries of Harris Burdick*, are reprinted and accompanied by equally haunting and mysterious stories crafted by some of today's top writers.

White, Kiersten - ***Endlessly (Paranormalcy Trilogy Book 3)***

Sixteen-year-old Evie is forced to face the truth about her supernatural past when a deadly faerie battle threatens the future of the entire paranormal world.

Yovanoff, Brenna - ***Replacement (YRCA 2013)***

Mature Content

Sixteen-year-old Mackie Doyle knows that he replaced a human child when he was just an infant, and when a friend's sister disappears he goes against his family's and town's deliberate denial of the problem to confront the beings that dwell under the town, tampering with human lives.