

## ***New Fiction Books at Cal Young ~ 2013-2014***

### ***Sports***

Fitzmaurice, Kathryn

#### ***Diamond in the Desert***

After the bombing of Pearl Harbor, Tetsu and his family are sent to the Gila River Relocation Center in Arizona where a fellow prisoner starts a baseball team, but when Tetsu's sister becomes ill and he feels responsible, he stops playing. +Historical Fiction

Green, Tim

#### ***Force Out***

When Joey has to compete with his best friend, Zach, for a single spot on an elite baseball team, he is forced to decide how far he is willing to go to win.

Green, Tim

#### ***Unstoppable***

Upon going to the doctor for a routine knee injury, foster child and aspiring NFL athlete Harrison learns that he has bone cancer.

Lupica, Mike

#### ***Game Changers***

When the coach's son, Shawn O'Brien, is chosen to play quarterback, Ben McBain is not surprised--but when he tries to be a good teammate and help the inconsistent Shawn, he learns that his new friend does not want the position.

#### ***Play Makers***

Starting the basketball season after their football championship, Ben McBain and his crew are challenged by newcomer Chase Braggs, whose point guard abilities outstrip Ben's and who attracts Lily's attention while Ben is busy practicing.

Lupica, Mike

#### ***True Legend***

Fifteen-year-old Drew "True" Robinson loves being the best point-guard prospect in high school basketball, but learns the consequences of fame through a former player, as well as through the man who expects to be his manager when True reaches the NBA.

Sharenow, Robert

#### ***Berlin Boxing Club***

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In 1936 Berlin, 14-year-old Karl Stern, considered Jewish despite a non-religious upbringing, learns to box from the legendary Max Schmeling while struggling with the realities of the Holocaust. +Historical Fiction

Volponi, Paul

#### ***Final Four***

2013 Best Fiction for Young Adults

Four players at the Final Four of the NCAA basketball tournament struggle with the pressures of tournament play and the expectations of society at large.

## Nonfiction

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### ***Technology of Football***

by Frederick, Shane

The gridiron has become a place fused with fast-paced action, cheering fans, and modern technology. From in-helmet headsets to HD jumbotrons, technology has become an integral part of the game.

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### ***Technology of Basketball***

by Slade, Suzanne

The game of basketball has come a long way from James Naismiths soccer ball and peach baskets. From high-tech shoes to an in-game player tracking system, technology has become a regular on the basketball court.

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### ***Technology of Baseball***

by Adamson, Thomas K.

Take me out to the ballgame or just watch the game from your phone! From motion capture technology to software such as GameChanger and PitchTrax, the tech world has become a regular part of Americas national pastime.