Haviva Peters

From:

Thursday, March 15, 2018 10:17 AM

Sent: To:

Haviva Peters

Subject:

Re: Book Day Was Great!

Hi Haviva.

I just wanted to let you know that Eden had the BEST day!!

She was taking about it all night - and she never talks about school. The themes really left an impression on her.

The first thing she did was make her own recycling bin for her bedroom.

Thank you for all of your hard work!

Best,

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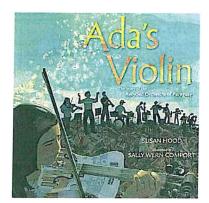
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Dear Lower School Parents,

The Ramaz Lower School Book Day is all about the multifaceted ways students connect to literature. The featured book this year was Ada's Violin, the Story of the Recycled Orchestra of Paraguay, by Susan Hood. The book tells the story of Ada Ríos who grew up in Cateura, a small town in Paraguay built on a landfill. She dreamed of playing the violin, but with little money for anything but the bare essentials, it was never an option...until a music teacher named Favio Chávez arrived. He wanted to give the children of Cateura something special, so he



made them instruments out of materials found in the trash. It was a crazy idea, but one that would leave Ada-and her town-forever changed. Now, the Recycled Orchestra plays venues around the world, spreading their message of hope and innovation.

Book Day kicked off on Friday with our very special guest, violin virtuoso Itzhak Perlman, and the integrated learning continued today.

<u>Click here</u> for our brochure containing a summary of the Book Day events. Please, talk to your children about how they connected to the book and the exciting learning activities they experienced.

Click here to view an album of Book Day.

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