

## AHS Announces Romance Writing Contest Winners

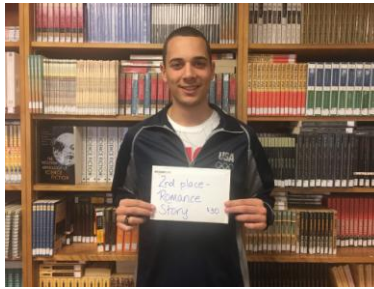
The AHS library sponsored a romance writing contest during the month of February. AHS students were invited to compose an original romance short story of no more than five pages, typed and double-spaced. The contest flyer provided the following information to students, along with the contest rules:

Romance novels place their primary focus on the relationship and romantic love between two people, and must have an "emotionally satisfying and optimistic ending." Yes, romances are SUPPOSED to end happily. There are many subgenres of the romance novel including fantasy, historical romance, paranormal fiction, and science fiction.

First place winner is Jayme Bradshaw with her story, "Breadcrumbs and Knitting Needles." In second place is Sequoia Nightfeather with his story, "Day and Night...." Third place is Margaret Donnan with her story, "Good Fortune."



Jayme Bradshaw



Sequoia Nightfeather



Margaret Donnan