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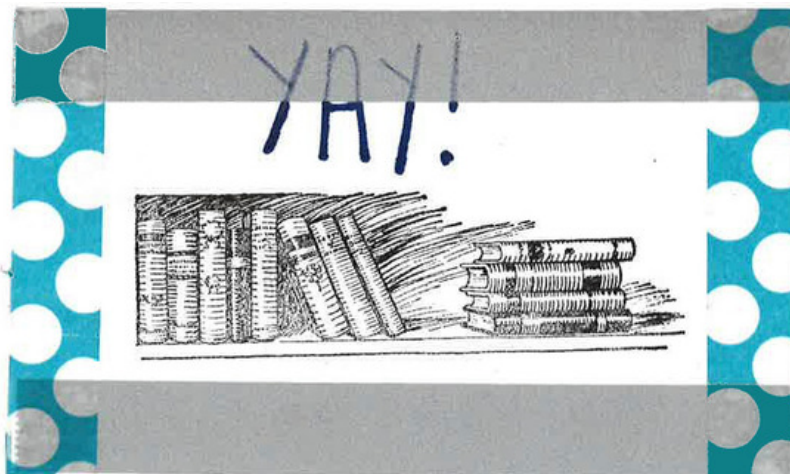
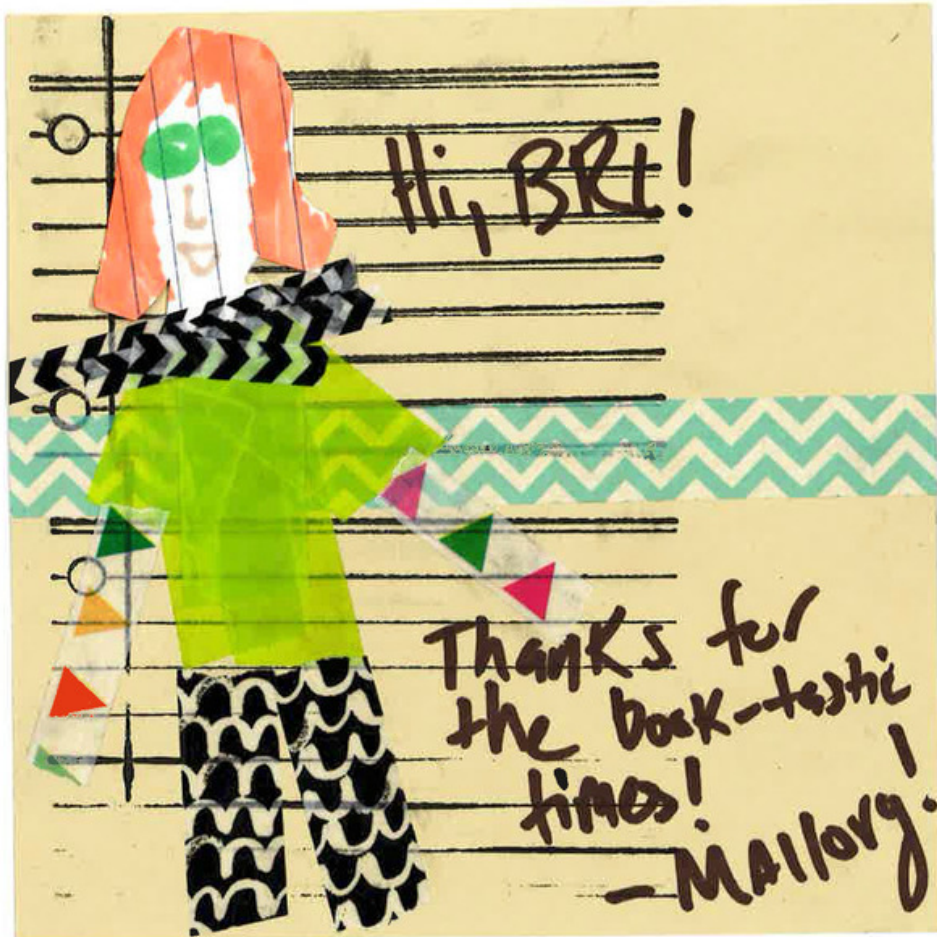
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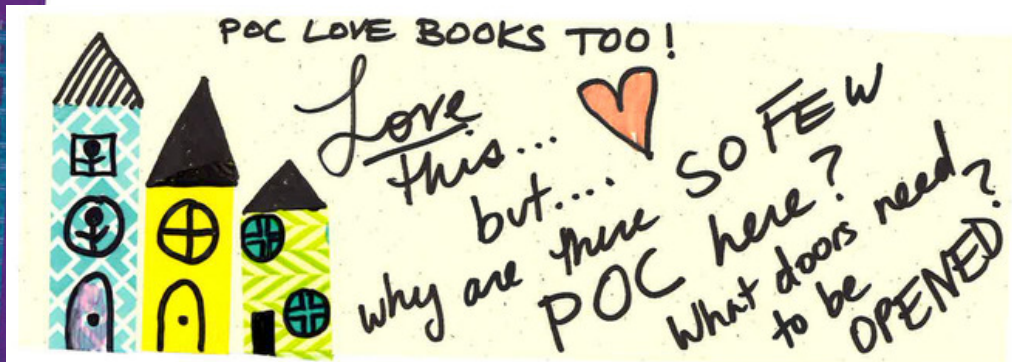
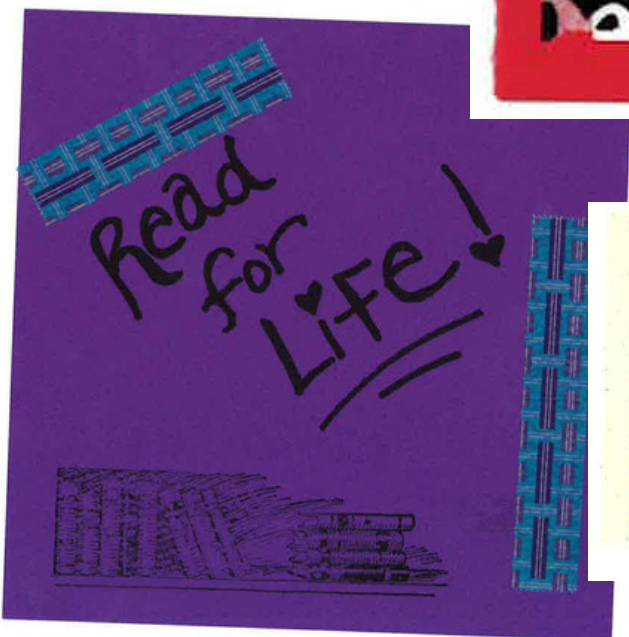
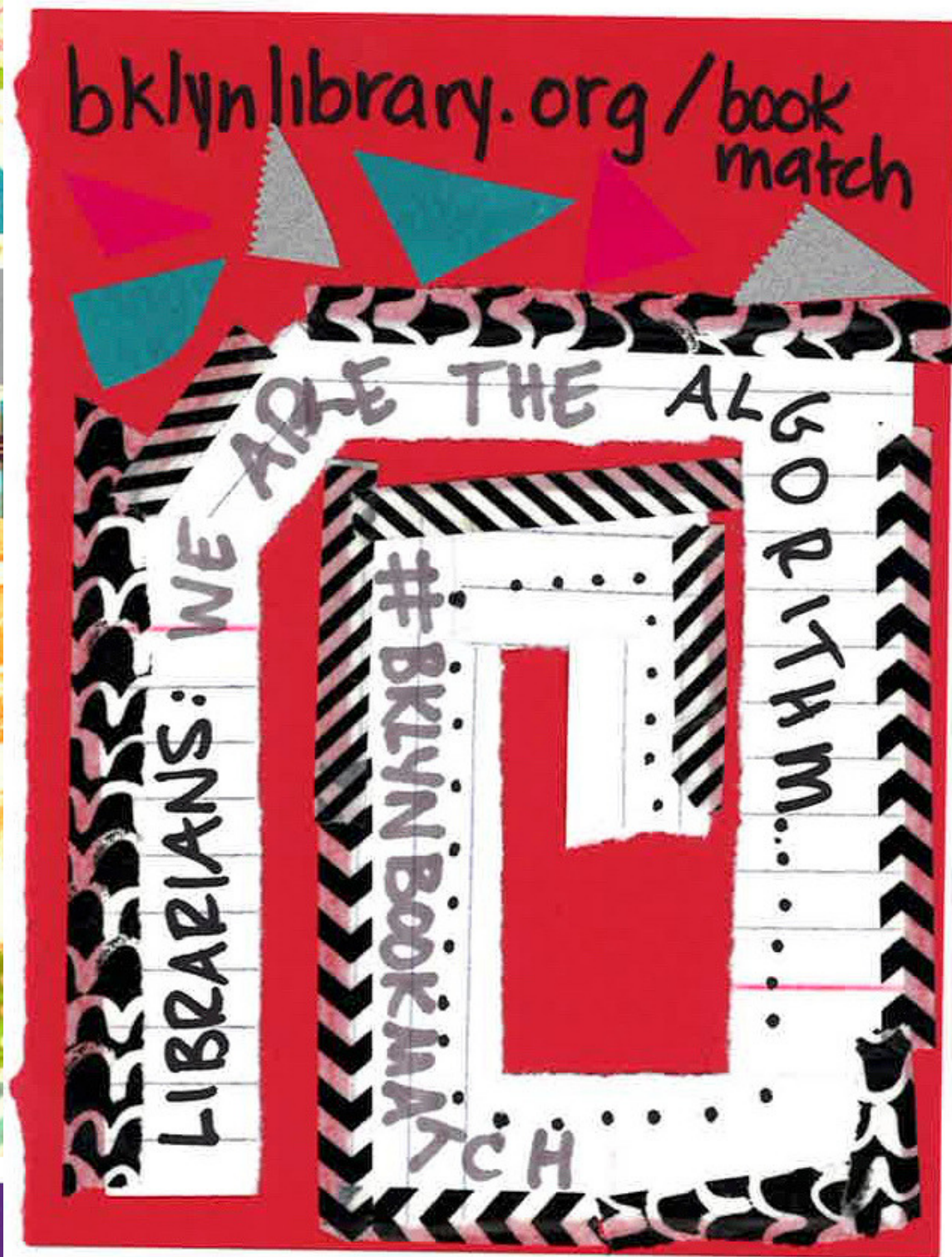
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I shall read with the small
ferocity of someone unaccustomed
to the light. I will eat books and
allow their fullness to fill me and
I will never know hunger.

I swear I will never diminish.
I will never not read.







Once Upon a Time
BRL was YAY!

The feeling when
you find the safe
space full of other
Bookish Rebels ♡



To day ...

is awesome. I
came all the way
from CA to be
bookish!

-Vinessa
1912

It was the
best of times.
It was the
worst of times.

Today I Will...



Danielle Walsh



BRL: I came by myself,
but ~~so~~ surrounded by book
people. I didn't feel
alone. ♡ &

My DAY

by MC

I went to a readers'
convention and it was
lovely.

The End
... or the beginning?

Reading teaches
empathy!
Choose Love!



Everything
feels so much
flatter than it
used to be, and
I'm not sure
how to get
the
depth
back.

Resentful of the
gray-haired couple
holding hands
because that
would've been
us.

Every time my
brain tries to go
beyond that initial
attraction it stutters
away.

These drawings
aren't sad... but
all of my words
are. I need
to find some
happy words.

INSERT
HOPE
HERE



BOOK RIOT To-Do

- ☒ Get inspired
- ☒ Eat some ramen
- ☒ Buy a book
- ☒ Go out + be the change
- ☒ Wine at the Strand

it's a lovely day.

I DESPERATELY NEED A WEEK OFF OF WORK
TO READ ALL THE BOOKS I GOT AT #BRLIVE!

- @BRAVENEWBKS

After a very
difficult week,
I'm so happy to
be here!
we're stranger together.

That's A LOT
of readin'!



11/12/16

My love for books in
real life.



-Elise-

@ReadingRover

Books Books Books



BRL is the

HOPE

we all

NEEDED.



At this point, was she ready to laugh?

Not quite.

But she was ready for community
and color and a wheel of emotions to SPIN.

She Loves Reading



Thanks for the
fun, Book Riot!



Because living in your story
is better
@caffeinated
words @abook
bumble



We came from Maine to

~~Book~~ ~~Riot~~ ~~Live~~: We stayed in a scary apartment and slept, finally,

surrounded by open books and kindles that were still

on. The shower/bath was shaped like a bowl. Break-

fast was chocolate. I can read whenever I want

here. Michele Laforge Brunswick ME

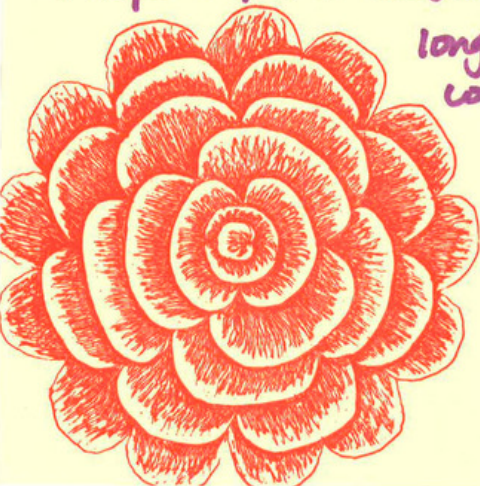
waterwheel gave Europe the power source it needed almost exactly at the right time, as the Viking invasions in the north and the Arab incursions in the south began to tail off. As peace extended, the population began to rise, the forests were cleared, food production increased, trade began to spread outside the villages to other local communities, and the new water-power technology began to find opportunities for use.

What followed between the tenth and the fourteenth centuries has come to be known as the Medieval Industrial Revolution. The mill was used in various ways: to trip a hammer every time it rotated to its original position, to push down on one end of a lever and activate a suction pump at the other end for raising water from wells, or to act on a crank to turn the rotary motion into horizontal back-and-forward motion for operating knives or saws. The beer-making mill at St. Gild used the hammer, to crush malt for beer. A hundred years later, in A.D. 990, there were hemp mills in southern France, hammering rotted flax stalks or hemp to knock out the fibres in preparation for the making of cord or linen. By the eleventh century there were forge hammers in Bavaria, oil and salt mills in Italy. By the twelfth century there were sugar-cane crushers in Sicily, tanning mills pounding leather in France, water-powered grinding stones for sharpening and polishing arms in Normandy, ore-crushing mills in Austria. From then on the use of water power spread to almost every conceivable craft: lather, winn-making, corn-producing, metal-sawing, sawing and – perhaps most important of all – in Liège, northern France, in

Dear Jeff, Amanda, Rebecca, etc
Thank you for letting me be
a contributor. Best. Job. Ever!
I hope I get to continue for a

long time to
come.

Love,
Kristen
McQuinn



For me reacting is an...
escape
adventure
way of life!

Being here with like minded
souls is awesome!

