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April Showers Bring

May flowers

Read on!



Mo'ne Ikea Davis

Some of you probably have heard of Mo'ne Davis. If you don't know, soon you will. Mo'ne Ikea Davis is a thirteen year old honor roll student who was the first girl to win the Little League World Series. Mo'ne was a pitcher and people even got scared of her fastball. She was the Sports Illustrated Sports Kid of the Year in 2014. As well as baseball, Mo'ne plays basketball and soccer, but people best know her for her baseball skills. A Disney Channel Movie "Throw Like Mo' about Mo'ne Davis will air on Disney Channel. " A year ago I never would have thought that the Disney Channel would make a movie about me, and I can't wait to get started, and I hope it will encourage other viewers to believe that dreams really do come true," says Mo'ne.

Later in the year, Mo'ne received a rude tweet on-line about her new movie. The boy who posted the tweet got kicked off the baseball team he played for. Later that week Davis was on a talk show and she said that she wanted the baseball player to get a second chance. Mo'ne thinks of it as a mistake (SO SUPER KIND!!!) .

Mo'ne was born on June 24th, 2001 in South Philadelphia. Her parents are Lamar Davis and Lakeisha Mclean. She has three siblings and they are: Quran, Maurice, and Mahogany.

By Isabella G. and Paige D.W.



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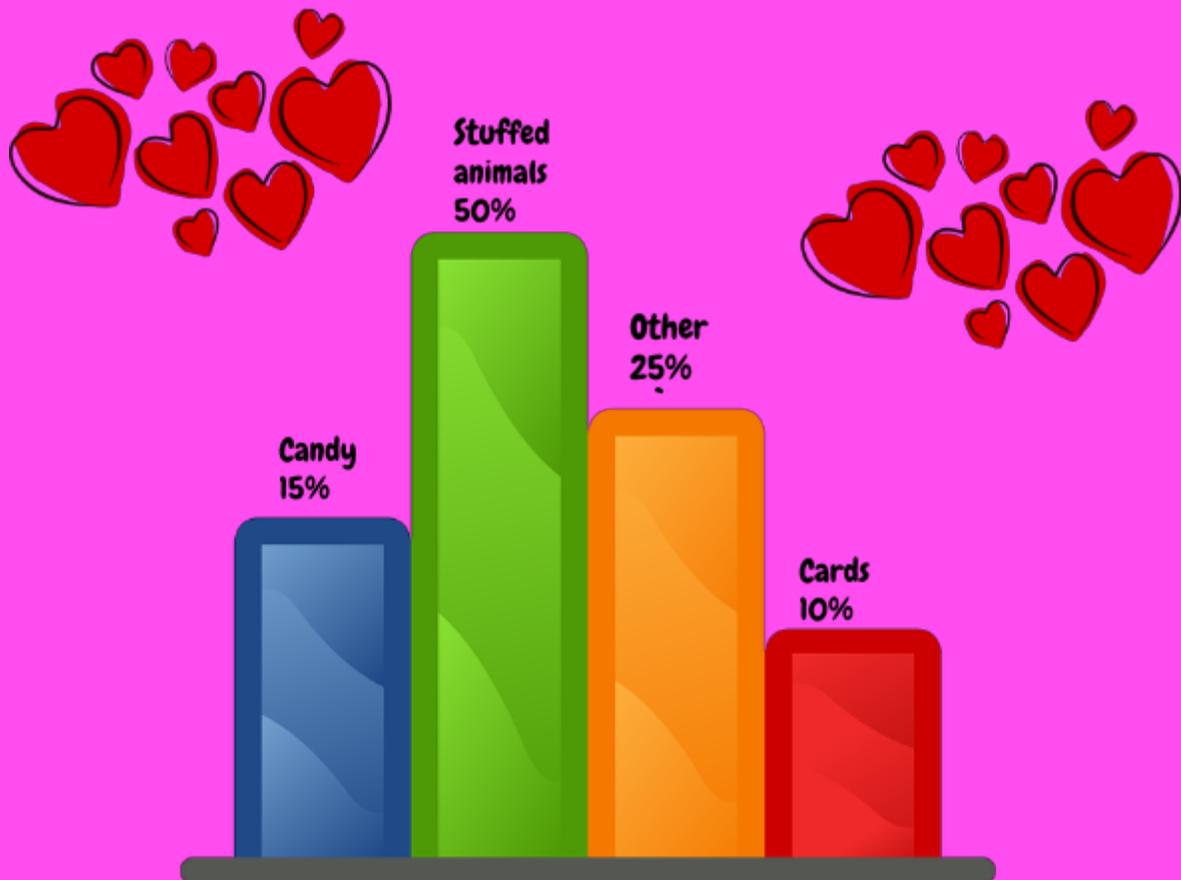


Favorite Valentine's Day Gift

By Sarah C.

Happy Valentines Day!

This year I asked Mrs. Vannie's class what their favorite Valentine's gift was and this is what they said:



The Mean Girl.

By: Rebecca S.

Nov. 2, 2014 - Erica S.

Dear Diary,

I am Erica Salinda and I'm 11 years old. Today, like everyday, I got bullied by Ivy, the mean girl. She bullied me today because I was wearing a cat shirt and because of my new glasses. I wish my best friend, Abby never moved away... I wish I could do something to make Ivy feel the same way I do! I HATE 6th GRADE!!!

Nov. 6, 2014 - Erica S.

Dear Diary,

Today wasn't as bad... EXCEPT FOR GETTING a DETENTION!!!!!! But I promise it was not me. It was Ivy! Here, I will tell you why I got detention, But it has to be fast, because I have to go to you-know-where... DETENTION!

what do you think Ivy did to make Erica have a to detention?
Email me the answer at 2022RebeccaS553@student.whps.org

THE FUNNY PETS OF PRESIDENTS

Some Presidents had really funny, but some very DANGEROUS pets!!!!!!

Theodore Roosevelt: A lion, a hyena, a wildcat, a coyote, FIVE BEARS, a zebra, Alice Roosevelt's snake, a badger, two kangaroo rats, a flying squirrel, a raccoon, and more.

Martin Van Buren: A pair of tiger cubs sent to the zoo by the Congress.

John Quincy Adams: An alligator.

Thomas Jefferson: Two bear cubs.

And please vote for the weirdest President's pets! Just tell me!

BY: CARLY P.

April Fool



By Brooke M.

Watch your back because April 1st is April Fool's Day and you don't want to get pranked. Many people at Morley decided to prank one another for a fun laugh. In my class someone put tape on the bottom of a couple of computer mice, after that they didn't work. Another way to enjoy April Fool's Day is to scare someone you know and give them a fright. Some people decided to put a whoopee

cushion on your chair to make it sound like you had just had gas!



Be careful and don't get pranked!!

2015 Concert Banner
Inspired by Mrs. Deta Reid



The Life of a Chocolate Cake!

By Leeani O. Leah Z.

I was made in Sally's bakery in Farmington. (No, that's not a real place☺) The baker who made me was an old hag named Agatha. Agatha was a mean baker and she died at age 76. She had old lady wrinkles and wore bright red lipstick. She always wore purple eye shadow and it creped me out!

One day after being trapped inside a display case, I was adopted by some people and was brought home with them. They trapped me in something big and cold until the next day when they took me out. They put me in a car and we drove someplace. There, I saw more cakes big and small! We all had fun complementing each other's batter and icing. Then kids started looking at me with pink things sticking out of their mouths! I was scared for my life when all the kids put their dirty hands on my case. My friends were soon chopped up and put into the little monsters' mouths. Some of the monsters had lost some of their teeth. I was beginning to cry when I remembered I'm a chocolate cake!!!!

I was scared for my life and then all of a sudden a parent came toward me with a butter knife. The lady had on an elegant white dress. She cut my rump with the knife and I screamed at the top of my lungs. Then she cut the middle part of me. I was only a face by the time the kids were done chopping me up. They were making disgusting eating sounds and saying mmmmm when they were eating me! Little did I know the big adventure was just beginning! The monsters were devouring me and the first thing I saw were these huge white things that were moving up and down. I escaped with my life and I just hopped around like a jumping bean. I exited through the door and ran through the streets of Farmington. Then a car ran me over. Poor Chocolate Cake!!!!!!!!!!!! ☹ He was so delicious... (I ate him too)

Morley Times Travel Section

By Juliette and Sarah

Finland Edition

Place

About

Musiikkitalo	A beautiful concert hall, in an old neighborhood in Helsinki (the capital of Finland).
Olympic Stadium	Olympic Stadium was designed and built for the 1952 Olympics.
Kamppi Chapel of Silence	The Kamppi Chapel of Silence is set in Helsinki, Finland's busiest shopping centers. It is said that spending a few minutes in the Chapel is an elixir to the soul.
Haltia-Finnish Nature Center	Haltia is a nature center just 25 kilometers out of Helsinki. Visitors can take guided trips around the park.
Metso-Kirjatosso Library	A beautiful city library in Tampere. It is very modern and pretty to look at.
St. Henry's Art Chapel	An incredibly wonderful sight to relax and meditate, even if you aren't religious.

Pictures

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What Is Your Favorite Book?

By Emma and Maia

Hi, Morley! We interviewed all the kids in Morley Times from 4th grade. Here are the results.

Because of Mr. Terupt - 11 two

Out of My Mind - 11 three

Harry Potter The Prisoner of Alcabazan - 11 two

The Wonder of Charlie Anne - 1 one

It turns out that Out of My Mind won. Both Maia and I read the book and it is pretty good. 4th and 5th graders, this is a book for you to try reading. Try reading all the other books, too. Bye Morley! ;)

Mrs. Willin no more. . . ?

I assume that most of you know of our beloved kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Willin. Well, you may not see her anymore, because she is . . . **retiring!** Dun! Dun! Duuuuun!!! She is sadly going to retire in June, so you won't see her next year.

Don't worry, she isn't moving away. She's staying right in her house in Wethersfield. Even though she loves the parents, teachers, and all of us, she's taught here for thirty five years and she thinks it's time to move on.

Does she think that kindergarten has stayed the same? No! She said that the kids nowadays need to learn more academics, including math, reading, science, social studies, and more.

Although she loves teaching, there are other things she wants to do like, babysitting her granddaughter, doing crochet, playing the piano, reading more, and many other things.

She'll always cherish us, even if we have to say **goodbye**. I'm crying on the inside!

By: Shannon D. ...

Favorite Singers

Female

By: Alexia

Ariana Grande- IIIII

Taylor Swift- IIII

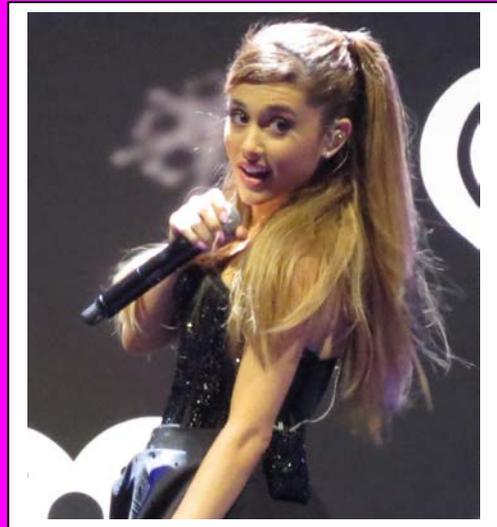
Selena Gomez- I

Male

Ed Sheeran- IIIII

Cody Simpson- 0

Ross Lynch- I



Winner!
Ed Sheeran



Morley Times presents Cotton Eye Joe



What Do You Want To Be When You Grow Up??

By: Ally R. and Becca S.

K : "I want to be an artist, because I love to paint and make pictures for my friends," says Lily in Mrs. Abraham's class.

1: "When I grow up, I want to be an actor. I don't know why, but I like to watch movies," says Will from Mrs. Flore's class.

2: "I am Lily and I want to be a singer, because I love to sing!!" From Mrs. O'Connor's class

3. "I want to be a police officer because I like keeping people safe," says Libby from Mr. Wilusz's class.

4: " I want to be a filmmaker, because I like movies," says Clara from Mrs. Hall's class.

5: " I want to be a soccer coach for a famous team because I have no idea," says August from Mrs. Alerte's class.

The authors:

Ally R. : "I want to be a physical therapist, because my dad was a physical therapist for a long time. I saw a therapist helping another person and I love helping people."

Becca S. : "I want to be an ice skater, because I love to skate. But I also want to be a professional Irish step dancer. I started Irish step dancing lessons when I was 8."

HARRY THE ANT

Harry didn't feel like getting up. But what else could he do? The stock of bread crumbs was low, and that was not good. *Someone* had to collect more, and it wasn't like his sister was going to do it. So Harry pulled himself up out of bed and tossed the covers aside. Frustrated at the thought that his sister didn't really do anything but sit around reading magazines, and mom didn't really care because she did the exact same thing, he clomped down the dried mud stairs that crumbled dirt with every step. No wonder they were bumpy and uneven, growing smaller and smaller each day, and the local cleaner had to vacuum up more and more each week.

Harry marched through the mud puddles, pulling his feet out of them with a horrible squelching sound. In his hand, he carried a large sack of money. He was going to the underground ant market to buy some more doughnut crumbs, which were really expensive, so he had brought a lot of money.

Not all of the rain had dried up yesterday, so some of the ants were standing by the water cracks with buckets to collect water.

Suddenly, just as the market came into sight, a blur of black and gray shot in front of Harry. It went by so fast that Harry didn't even see who it was, or even if there was a hole in the outfit so a face could be identified. All he saw was a jumble of dark color.

Harry caught his breath a minute later. The figure was gone. Harry decided to continue the walk as if nothing had happened. It was probably just an ant in a hurry.

But only when he was finally in the busy crowds of the market did Harry realize that his money was gone . . .

By: Maya M.

Create your own dream bedroom

Only 1 step!

1. Draw your own bedroom on your piece of paper.

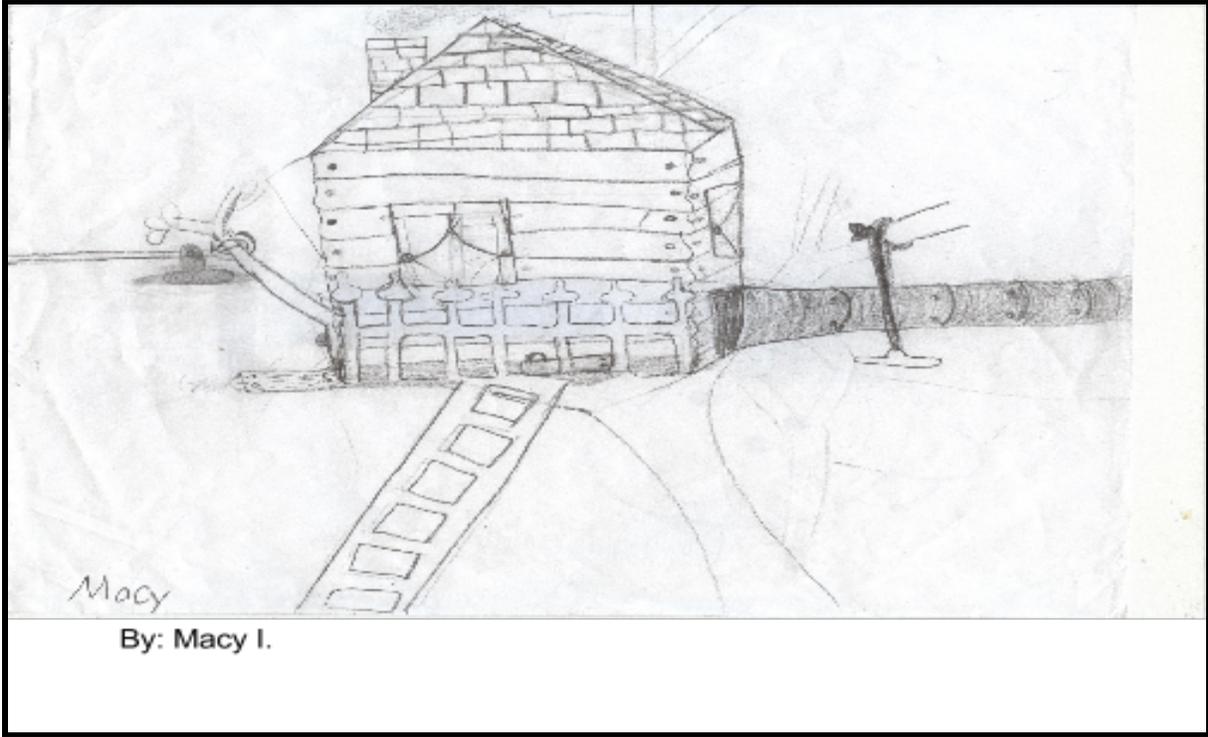
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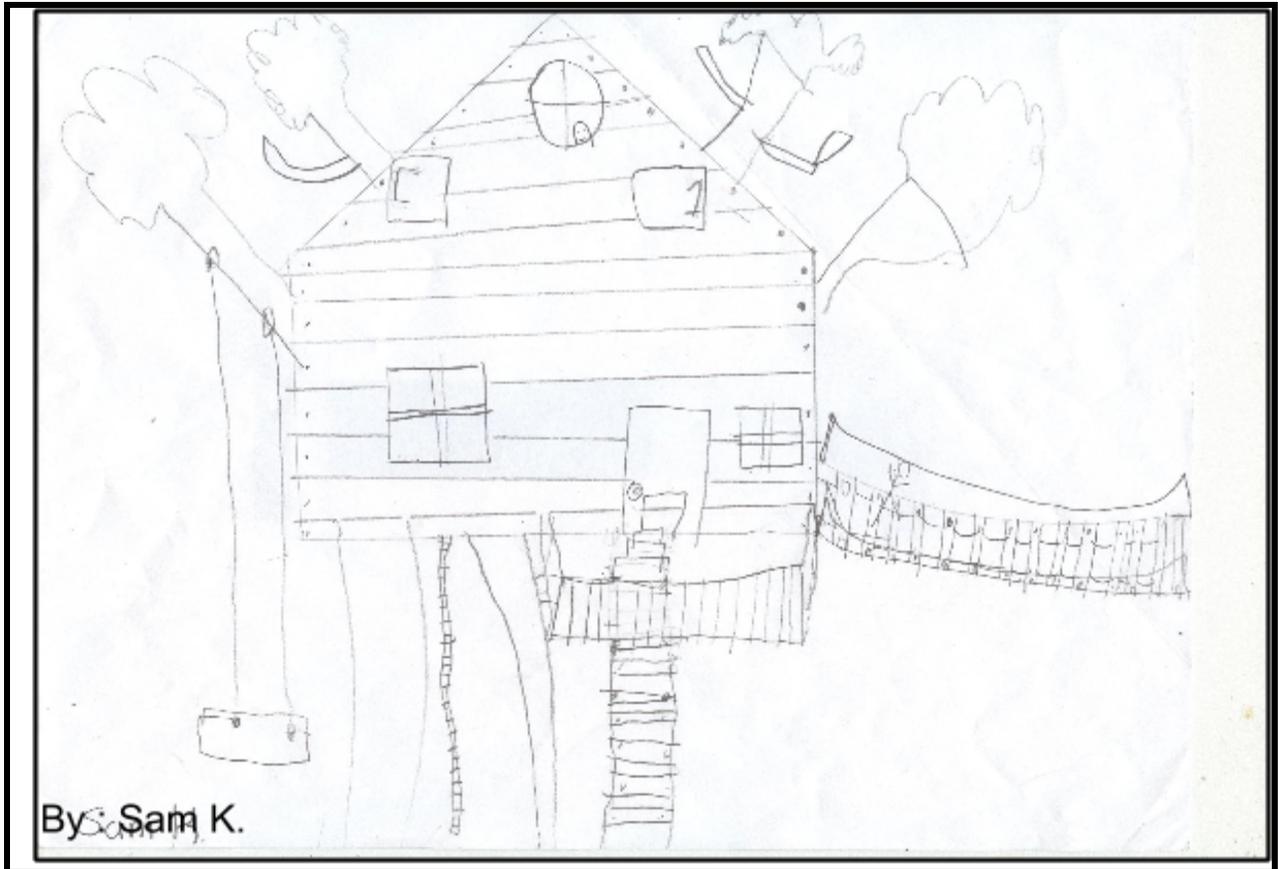
Mr. Wilusz, Aislinn or Mira in Mrs. Alerte's



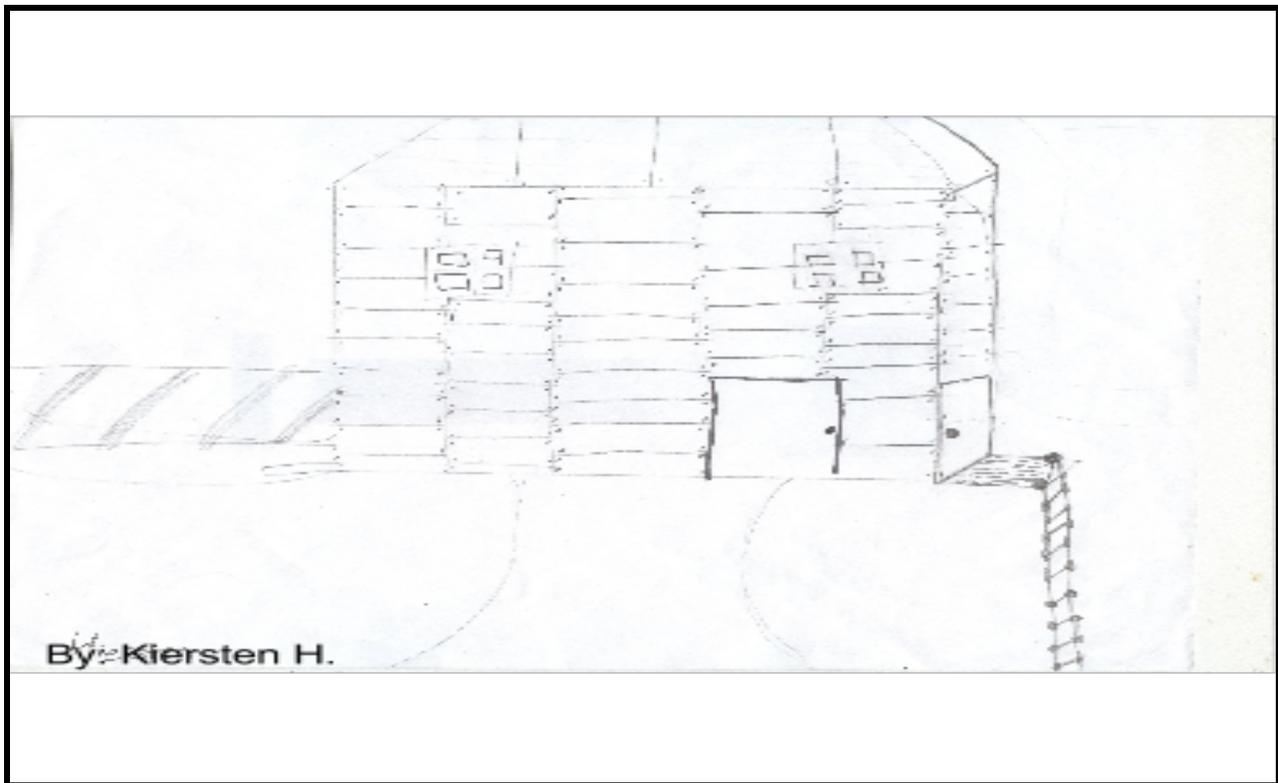
COURTESY: SOTHEBY'S INTERNATIONAL REALTY

Treehouses!





By Sam K.



By Kiersten H.



By Leah Z. and Riley P.

**Thanks to all the 5th Graders that turned in their AMAZING
treehouse drawings to the Morley Times!**

By: Grace B. & Isabella G.

FAVORITE VIDEOS

LEEANI: WITH YOUR LOVE.

MRS. JOEL: SUGAR

GUNNAR: DEAR FUTURE HUSBAND

CODY: CENTURIES

EVAN: UPTOWN FUNK

ALYSSANDRA: LIPS R MOVING

PAIGE: RATHER BE

JACK: WHAT DOES THE FOX SAY!

BY: JONATHAN A.

Morley Times 5th Grade Dancers Dance To

Cupid Shuffle



What is your favorite TV show?

These are the top shows.

Bella and the Bulldogs - IIIII

Wipeout - IIII

Sam and Cat - II

Victorious - I

I Carly - II

These are the top TV shows!

Data by Emma

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