

# Something Fun

## August

Jerry Spinelli wrote Wringer based on a newspaper article about a Pigeon Day in a small town. Find a newspaper or Internet article that would make a good story and write a brief summary of what the story would be about.

We are studying just a few main tribes that interacted with the European explorers. Do a short report or Power point on a tribe that we are not already doing in class. Be sure to talk about how the meeting with the explorers went as well as important information on the tribe itself.

Native Americans explained things around them and their origins with stories. Find and research a folkloric tale that does the same type of thing. Tell the story orally to the class.

Write an essay about your summer vacation.

Answer these questions on a piece of paper: What is the largest number you can count to? Guess how far you can count in 10 minutes and then see how far you actually can. How close were you? Why did you guess the amount you did?

Research an element on the periodic table. Write or present your findings. Use <http://www.Chemicool.com>

Do a collage on what types of things you think or care about. It can be on a regular piece of paper.