

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Wednesday, November 30**

Start reading the book *The Aurora County All-Stars*  
You have 15 days to read this book.

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Think of three new questions you have for the upcoming chapters that you would like to have answered.

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**Thursday, December 1**

You have 14 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Do you like the story so far? Why or why not?

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**Friday, December 2**

You have 13 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Were you excited about getting to read this book? Why or why not?

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**Saturday, December 3**

You have 12 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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**Sunday, December 4**

You have 11 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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(from Chapters 10 - 17)

What had House and Cleebo done on rainy days while House's elbow was mending?

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Create a map of the story’s setting. Include a map key, compass rose, and a title. Describe your drawing:

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**Monday, December 5**  
You have 10 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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**Tuesday, December 6**  
You have 9 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Here is what happened today:

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What is the most exciting part of the story so far?

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**Wednesday, December 7**

You have 8 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Choose one character. Write two descriptive sentences to explain what he/she looks like.

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**Thursday, December 8**

You have 7 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Which characters are friends? Which ones don't get along well?

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(from Chapters 10 - 17)

\_\_\_\_\_Pip showed House a:

- A. Picture of Pip wearing a baseball uniform
- B. Baseball that used to belong to Mr. Boyd
- C. Picture of Ted Williams
- D. A uniform from the Los Angeles Dodgers

**Friday, December 9**

You have 6 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you predict the story’s problem to be solved?

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(from Chapters 18 - 26)  
What was House's solution?

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**Saturday, December 10**

You have 5 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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If you could jump into your book and become a new character in the story, who would you be?

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**Sunday, December 11**

You have 4 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

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I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Here is what happened today:

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Come up with two different titles that would fit this book other than the one it has.

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**Monday, December 12**

You have 3 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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If you wanted to retell the story to a classmate using just a few sentences what would you say?

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(from Chapters 18 - 26)

\_\_\_\_\_ Who wanted to play with the boys?

- A. Ruby Lavender
- B. Honey
- C. Cleebo's sister
- D. Francis

**Tuesday, December 13**

You have 2 days left to finish *The Aurora County All-Stars*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Think about the main events of the story. Has anything similar ever happened to you?

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**Wednesday, December 14**

Finish reading the book *The Aurora County All-Stars*  
Finally, you can finish this book today!

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

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Here is what happened today:

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If it existed, would you benefit more from watching the movie of this book? Would the storyline be better if it were a movie? Explain your reasoning.

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Conflict - Describe the main conflict.

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Characters - Describe House, Cleebo, Honey, and Francis.

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Who was Norwood's goddaughter?

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\_\_\_\_\_ Finesse thought the symphony true was:

- A. When you got quiet and listened to your own true heart
- B. When actors got into their characters
- C. When ballplayers played in fluid motion
- D. When friends apologized

\_\_\_\_\_ Leonard Jackson's occupation was:

- A. Lawn mowing and small engine repair service
- B. Laundromat management
- C. Factory worker
- D. Mortician