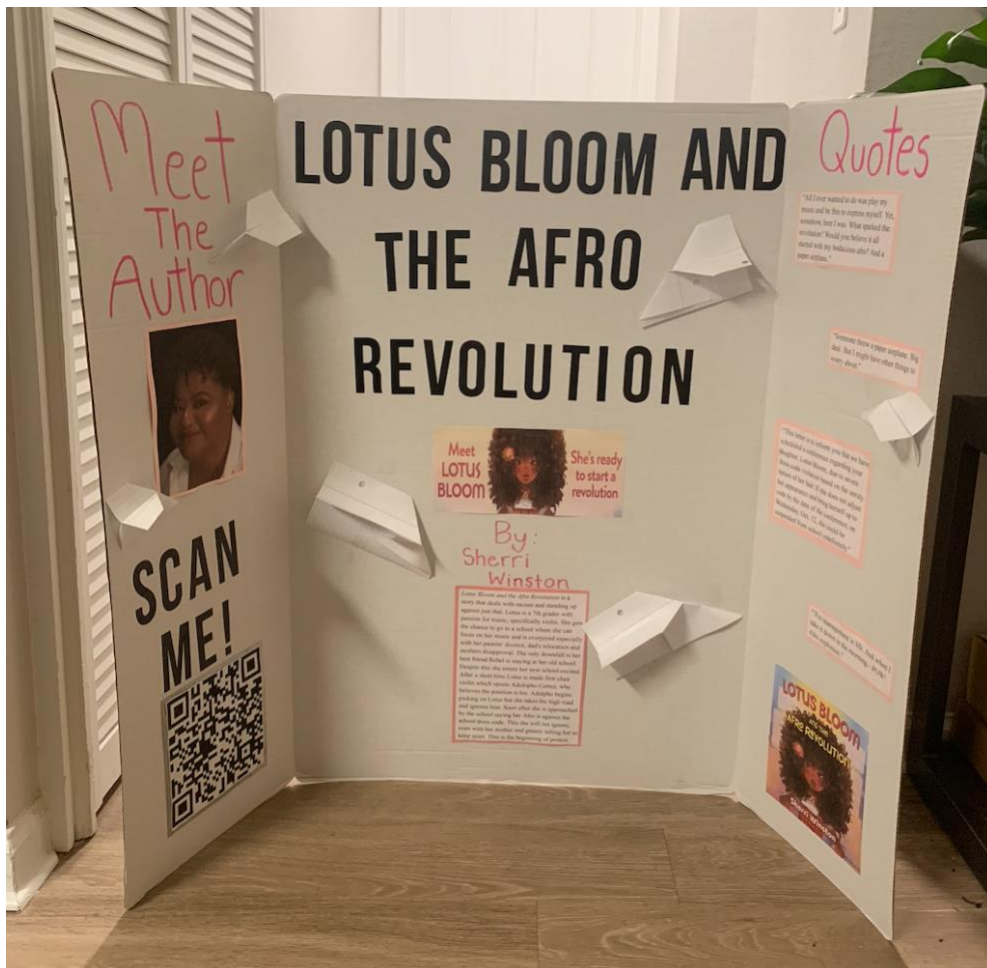


**Display Board for Lotus Bloom and the Afro Revolution by Sherri Winston  
Created by Anna and Anya**

In this display board, there are three separate sections dividing what is included in the display. On the left side of the board, it is all about the author, Sherri Winston. Included in this is text stating "Meet the Author" with a picture of Sherri Winston below. In the bottom left corner, there is a QR code that is available to scan, and by doing so it will take you to Sherri Winston's website to learn more about her. In the middle of the display it shows the name of the book "Lotus Bloom and the Afro Revolution" and below the title is a picture of Lotus, and words stating "Meet Lotus Bloom, She's ready to start a revolution". At the bottom of the middle section there is a summary of the book, written by Anya and I. On the right side of the display, there are numerous quotes that stood out to us when we read the book, so we thought it would be a good idea to include these quotes in the display to give a little teaser of the book for guests at the Children's Book Festival to read. Below the quotes is a picture of the book cover, so the guests know what it looks like when they go to get the book! Lastly, all around the display are paper airplanes, representing a big part of the book when students would throw paper airplanes in Lotus' hair, and it also accounts for the 3D aspect of the project. We hope you enjoy our display board!



# LOTUS BLOOM AND THE AFRO REVOLUTION

Meet  
LOTUS  
BLOOM



She's ready  
to start a  
revolution

By:  
Sherri  
Winston

*Lotus Bloom and the Afro Revolution* is a story that deals with racism and standing up against just that. Lotus is a 7th grader with passion for music, specifically violin. She gets the chance to go to a school where she can focus on her music and is overjoyed especially with her parents' divorce, dad's relocation and mothers disapproval. The only downfall is her best friend Rebel is staying at her old school. Despite this she enters her new school excited. After a short time Lotus is made first chair violin which upsets Adolpho Corsez, who believes the position is his. Adolpho begins picking on Lotus but she takes the high road and ignores him. Soon after she is approached by the school saying her Afro is against the school dress code. This she will not ignore, even with her mother and granny telling her to keep quiet. This is the beginning of protest.

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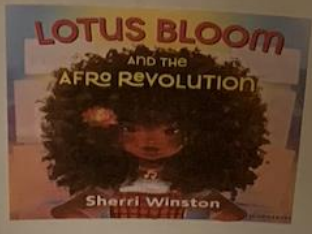
"All I ever wanted to do was play my music and be free to express myself. Yet, somehow, here I was. What sparked the revolution? Would you believe it all started with my bodacious afro? And a paper airplane."

"Someone threw a paper airplane. Big deal. But I might have other things to worry about."

"This letter is to inform you that we have scheduled a conference regarding your daughter, Lotus Bloom, due to severe dress code violation based on the unruly nature of her hair. If she does not adjust her appearance and bring herself up to code by the date of the conference, on Wednesday, Oct. 12, she could be suspended from school indefinitely."

"Fro management is life. And when I take it down in the morning—POW! Afro explosion."

She's ready to start a revolution



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