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Piper's dad - the Navy Chief - might be gone again, but Piper's got plenty to keep her busy at home: new neighbors, a spaceship beach house, a trip to New Orleans, and most important, the upcoming Gypsy Club pet show. Piper is determined to win, but teaching tricks to her dog seems nearly impossible. Bruna is simply unteachable! Or is she? Join Piper as she embarks on new and exciting adventures!

Piper is a spunky heroine with lots of spirit - she's both kindhearted and bossy as she tries to find her place in the world as the middle sister.

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Kim Burean says

This was a cute little book that I could easily recommend to any 3-5th grade girl. It's about Piper Reed, whose father is in the Navy. They move around a lot, and Piper has formed the Gypsy Club at the different locations they have lived in order to make friends. Most of the book deals with Piper and her mom and sisters coping with her dad being deployed for a few months. During this time, Piper and her Gypsy Club friends decide to put on a pet show for the base. Piper desperately wants to win, but is having trouble teaching her dog any tricks. On the day of the event, excitement and mayhem ensue and it doesn't turn out quite how Piper had expected. It is a great success, however, and Piper is happy.

The book has a good amount of humor and paints a realistic picture of a girl and her relationships with her parents, siblings and friends. It's a lightweight book, but enjoyable.

Melissa says

Cute book - good series to know about. Piper Reed's father is in the military, they move a lot, he is gone for long periods. Could be great fit for some girls and of general interest to others. She is a middle sister and the kids are likable and the family dynamics feel genuine. Good for kids who have moved beyond Junie B.

Bonnie Gleckler Clark says

The entire series "Piper Reed..." is an excellent set of books for children between the ages of 8 and 12. I've read a few of these titles so that I might discuss them with my oldest Granddaughter Sydney. We've both enjoyed them.

Erin says

This is a nice beginning longer chapter book for the Clementine fans who aren't yet ready for Ramona. There are three sisters with typical sibling challenges and a Dad in the military - although this is handled lightly and is really just a backdrop.

Emily L says

I just finisheed were they are at the beach in the winter so they the rented house on sale. Now they are going to there moms art teachers house. There dad is in the navy and he is going to be there for a long time. I am really enjoying this book and it is the second of the series. I wonder if they are going to go home after this or go on another trip. I really like this book and i want to finish the siries(there is only three books.)

carissa says

Recommended Ages: grades 2-4

While her father, a Navy Chief, is on ship duty for 6 months, nine-year-old Piper stays busy with new neighbors, Christmas at a space ship beach house, a trip to New Orleans, and especially the upcoming Gypsy Club pet show.

Alexa M says

the pet show just ended and michale and hig pet guine pig named tippy toes won the show and piper really diddnt care about it she was just glad that bruna her dog did the trick.

i can kinda relate to the way piper feels about bruna because i really like the way i feel when i acomplish things that i have been having troubles with i dont think i woul be very happy though if my friend had just won the pet show i probly would not have been close to as calm as piper was.i am no really liking this book as much as i did the other piper reeds

Heidi Burkhart says

A fun quick read for elementary kids. Just what I love for some summer reading fun.

Miss Manekofsky says

It bothered me the way Piper talked about her sister and her weight..... On another side, Piper did have dyslexia and talks about her reading difficulty, so it would be a great recommend for readers with the same struggle.

Dolly says

This is the second book in the Piper Reed series by Kimberly Willis Holt. We can relate to these stories about a military family, even if our experiences with the military aren't quite the same. We also love Piper's spunk and enthusiasm. This story chronicles ten months of the family's life, during which the father deploys on a ship. It's a fun story to read aloud and many of the joys of life despite the frustrations of long-term separation are told with candor and sincerity. Our girls really enjoy this series and we are looking forward to the next book: Piper Reed Gets a Job.

Hannah Jo Parker says

I liked this one better than the first one, maybe because I listened to this one on audio with my daughter, which was more engaging. As a former military brat, I was motivated to read these books because they're about a military brat and her family, and I think they're a must-have in any school, public, or base library that serves military kids.

There are many elementary-school-age books with plucky female characters that I greatly prefer, but I do appreciate these for their ability to capture what it's like to live in a family where one of your parents is gone for long stretches of time on a regular basis and how it seems normal to move from city to city all the time.

Joenna says

The second book in the Piper Reed series. Piper and her club, the Great Gypsy club, decide to have a pet contest. Piper is determined that her dog will win the prize. Piper's dad has also left on duty and will be gone for many months. Piper deals with the usual family problems, a mean older sister who gets her first pimple, and an annoying little sister who wants to do everything Piper does. Not only that, but her mom breaks her leg because of Piper! I really like this series. Kind of like Clementine, because she is curious and getting into trouble.

Cherese A. Vines says

Piper can be a selfish little girl. Everything was about her. She and her sisters were kind of mean to each other. It read more like a diary. Not always interesting. Even the "climax" of the story seemed like an after thought. I didn't really care for this series.

Talia says

Piper and her family are back! "Chief", aka Dad, is going away on ship duty, and Piper and her sisters and mother try to cope with their dad not being there. Piper has the idea to have a pet show so she can show off her mad dog-training skills to Chief when he comes back. But although Piper is determined, training Bruna is easier said than done.

I wasn't as enthusiastic with this story as I was the last book, but it was still enjoyable. Anyone else get really irritated with Piper's teacher Ms. Gordon? Yeah, Piper's not an easy student, but come on, lighten up!

Fatemah Alhusayni says

I know this is a children's' book but it is very funny and easy to read, perfect for those times when you just want a book to put you to sleep. Besides, I read the other day in a magazine an advice for parents to read whatever their kids are reading because sometimes that's the only thing you can talk about with them (the advice was for parents of teenagers). But I thought, was not start now. The books that my daughter reads me for her reading assignment always sounded interested, so I grabbed this one and started reading. It's about a military family that always travel and they have three girls , Piper is the middle one. She is very funny and artistic and she makes good observations. I think all families with girls can relate somehow to the fights and arguments Piper has with her sisters. A great easy to read book to say the least. And it's one of my 7-years old daughter's favorite books too. As if I had to say that!
