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Wringer Blog PDF Questions

Answer the following questions. Type them into a Word document then paste it into your blog comment. Be sure to keep the blog rubric in mind when making your comments.

What are the advantages and disadvantages of receiving The Treatment? Why do you think the boys seek it out?

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Wringer Blog PDF Questions

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Palmer's mother says Beans has a "mean streak." Palmer's father says he's a "pip." Until the end of the book, Palmer would follow Beans anywhere. Explain each person's perspective. (explain why Mom feels this way and why Dad feels his way). How would YOU describe Beans?

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After Palmer feeds the pigeon for the first time he keeps asking himself, “Why did I do that? But he knew why. He just did not want to say, not even to himself". What do you think it is that Palmer doesn’t want to say? Why do you think Palmer risks his reputation to care for Nipper?

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Why do you think Dorothy tries to ignore the guys when they tease, tree stump, and attack her?

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Does Palmer really have to become a wringer when he turns ten? Dorothy says he doesn't if he doesn't want to. Palmer says she doesn't understand because she's a girl. "I can't not be a wringer… You have to be a wringer. That's how it always was." Who do you think is right? Explain why.

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Some people, including Palmer's father and the wringmaster, defend the pigeon shoot because it raises money for the park. Do you think this is a good argument? Why or why not?

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His sleeve rolled up, about to receive The Treatment, Palmer suddenly says “no.” What is he saying no to? What makes him suddenly able to refuse?

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Palmer's mother says his father has been changing. What do you think she means by this? How do these changes show in his father's actions?

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How is Pigeon Day as he nears ten different from how Palmer remembers it when he was very young? Why do you think he remembers certain details differently?

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Explain this quotation: "of boys and pigeons, it is the boy who, so to speak, wears the collar… it is never the pigeon, but the boy, who is lost." Do you agree or disagree that pigeons have more freedom than boys? Explain.

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Why do you think the author chooses to end the story with a question from a child in the crowd asking for a pigeon as a pet?

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