

# HEGGAN HAPPENINGS

## FOR TEENS AND TWEENS

### Coming This Fall: Chapter Chat Mysteries!



Do you like a good detective story? Do you love crazy plot twists? How do you feel when an author leaves you hanging in suspense? Our mystery selections offer plenty of suspense and conversation around plot twists and turns. Let's compare theories about who committed the crime! Join us this fall for lively discussions about some of our favorite MYSTERIES! **Chapter Chat** is a book club for teens, by teens. Put on your Sherlock hat, get out your magnifying glass, and come join us!

### SUMMER CHALLENGE!

The **Margaret E. Heggan Library** is using the **Beanstack** reading challenge program to record and review summer reading books. This year's **Teen and Tween Challenge** is to write positive reviews that make others want to read the book. Points will accrue toward the **Grand Prize** for books read and positive reviews written. Positive reviews will need to meet a 100-word minimum to count toward the prize. To incorporate the library's summer reading theme **Tails and Tales**, the Summer Book Club is offering a discussion on:

**Catwoman** by **Sarah J. Maas** on August 27!

Check us out for teen news, books, and programs. From the library homepage, go to **Youth Services** and click on **Teens and Tweens** or follow the link: <https://www.hegganlibrary.org/index.php/youth-services/teens-and-tweens/>

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## VIRTUAL WRITING CLUB FOR TEENS & TWEENS

**Come join our conversation  
about writing!**

Do you like to write? Do you like playing with words or pictures to tell a story? Do you want to write a book someday?

Perhaps you're interested in becoming a reporter or have dreams of becoming a great American novelist.

This is a group for you!

**The Writing Club gives young writers support in their quest to become the next great American writer!**

**Friday, August 13** starting at 6:00 pm on **Zoom**

### Summer Writing Challenge

We're challenging teens and tweens **to write an original fable** or a unique retelling of an existing fable. Interested writers have until August 17<sup>th</sup> to turn in their work. All work must be typed and include the writer's name, age, and contact information. If the piece is a retelling, also include the name of the original fable. This contest is open to Heggan cardholders from grades 6 through 12 only. For more information about the Summer Writing Challenge, consider joining us at the next Writing Club.



### TAB Chapter Chat: Teens, Tales, and Tails

**Join us on Zoom for our  
Summer Teen Book  
Discussion Group**

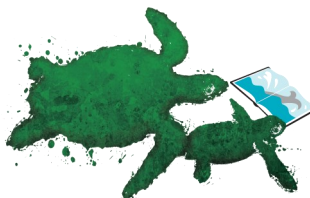


### CATWOMAN SOULSTEALER

**Friday, August 27 at 6:00 pm**

TAB Chapter Chat is a book club run by and for teens.

This reading group meets monthly to discuss popular YA Fiction on **Zoom**.



*Please contact Librarian Barb at  
[bpilling@hegganlibrary.org](mailto:bpilling@hegganlibrary.org) for more  
information.*

### Shadow and Bone and Siege and Storm by Leigh Bardugo

*reviewed by S. C.*

I read **Shadow and Bone** after watching the Netflix series, and I was not disappointed. **Alina**, the main character, has an extremely witty personality with a dry sense of humor, which gives this book almost a comedic aspect. **Alina** and her friend **Mal** both have relatable personalities which keeps the book grounded in the midst of its fantastical world. It's a great introduction to the **Grishaverse**, combining multiple genres all in one book. This novel is a must-read for YA fantasy fans.

**Siege and Storm** is successful in continuing **Alina's** journey from **Shadow and Bone**.

While I think this second book is not quite as good as the first book in the series, I still recommend it. **Siege and Storm** introduces vital information that sets up a third book in the series. Also, the characters develop further in this book which makes the story that much more interesting. Some characters who are only briefly mentioned in **Shadow and Bone** are highlighted in this book, which I really enjoyed. Definitely give this book a try after reading the first one in the series!