November 2021

# HEGGAN HAPPENINGS

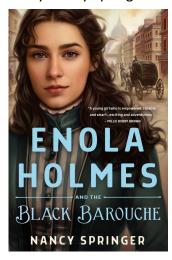
## **FOR TEENS AND TWEENS**

**TAB Chapter Chat Mysteries!** 



Enola Holmes and the Black Barouche

By Nancy Springer



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

This reading group meets monthly in the library to discuss popular YA Fiction.

Tuesday, November 23 at 5:30 pm

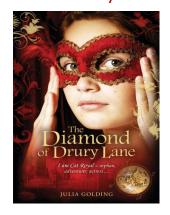
Register online via the event calendar at www.hegganlibrary.org under **PROGRAMS** for all events.

Please contact Librarian Barb at bpilling@hegganlibrary.org for more information.

Masks are required inside the library.

TEEN & TWEEN
BOOK CLUB

Like to solve mysteries?



Join us in the library for a discussion of Julia Golding's *The Diamond of Drury Lane*.

Thursday, November 18 6:00 pm

This book club meets to discuss popular fiction.



The Diamond of Drury Lane is available in the library and on Overdrive.

# WRITING CLUB FOR TEENS & TWEENS

Come join our conversation about writing!

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

Tuesday, November 9
5:30 pm in the library

#### **TAB TEEN GAME TIME!**



Monday, November 22 6 – 8 pm in the library

Join us for this TAB Teen Gaming event! Teen Game Time is for Heggan teen cardholders.

Come play Jackbox Party Pack 4 with Survive the Internet!

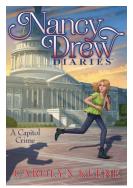
Use your smart phone or tablet to play! Register online.



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#### **REVIEWS**



Nancy Drew Diaries: A Capitol Crime by Carolyn Keene reviewed by TAB member

A. M.

A Capitol Crime is a thrilling mystery that takes place in Washington D.C. The main protagonist, Nancy Drew, was hanging out with her best friends when suddenly she got a suspicious phone call from her dad's coworker. There are many twists and turns in this book that are unexpected and make this book intriguing and fun! If you are interested in mystery and action, I highly recommend Nancy Drew Diaries: A Capitol Crime.

*Tokyo Ever After* by **Emiko Jean** reviewed by TAB member H. H.

Tokyo Ever After is like The Princess Diaries but with the romance I wanted for Beatrice in American Royals. I loved the royalty, the drama, and the romance. I especially loved the funny dialogue and characters like Yoshi. If you love your cheesy princess Hallmark movies and every contemporary YA book there is with royalty, Tokyo Ever After is the book for you. Izumi is a fun main character because it is easy to imagine myself in her shoes. Completely mess up everything diplomacy-wise? Make my country look bad? Yep, sounds like what would happen if I tried to be a princess. She's also hilarious, and I love her AGG (Asian Girl Gang). Her supportive friends with great senses of humor make the book even better. Yoshi and his family



were also fun characters that will get readers laughing. *Tokyo Ever After* is hard to put down. I picked it up one morning and promised myself I would stop reading in half an hour. Two hours later, I was still struggling to \*not\* turn the page. I can't wait for whatever comes next, since it seems like *Tokyo Ever After* may become a series. More Izumi and Akio? Okay! A different character's point of view? Okay! Whatever it is, as long as it's just as fun and contains royalty, I'll be happy.

### Fall Writing Contest – Two weeks remaining!

This fall the library is challenging Heggan Teens and Tweens to write an original mystery. The directions are simple. Write an original story that involves a mystery. It doesn't need to be crime related; it should just include something that remains unexplained until the very end.

Stories may be a maximum of 1000 words and typed with double spacing. All stories must be submitted to the library by November 15, 2021 for consideration. Stories can be dropped off at any service desk in the library or emailed to Teen Librarian Barb Pilling (bpilling@hegganlibrary.org).