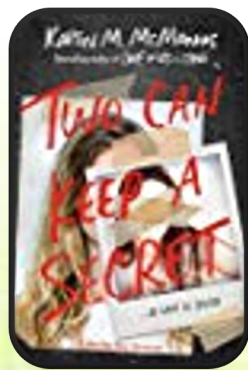


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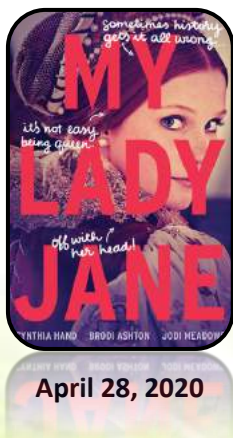
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## What's Inside?



March 31, 2020



April 28, 2020



May 26, 2020

**Join our book club at APL to discuss a YA book each month!!**

**Meets the last Tuesday of each month.**

**See about getting the book or more info at the library or call (316) 558-3500**



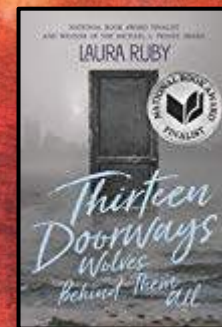
# Spring Into Reading



A beautiful story about overthrowing a usurper and restoring the kingdom to its aristocratic status. Ximena is the decoy Condesa (Contessa) for the last remaining Illustrian royal. Atoc who is an usurper has taken everything away from her people by using an ancient relic to summon a ghost. Now Ximena must save the kingdom by using her ability to spin thread from moonlight into hidden messages for the resistance.



Meet Pepper and Jack. They have started a Twitter war. Pepper helps her family's burger joint called Big League Burger by running their Twitter account. Meanwhile, Jack works at his family's deli, and he finds out that Big League Burger stole his grandma's iconic grilled cheese recipe. He will stand up against them with a series of tweets. As Pepper and Jack's feud escalates their followers shipping them and they begin to fall for each other in real life.



After their mother died, Frankie and her two siblings are abandoned in Chicago by their father who left them for another family. Left at the orphanage, they do everything they can to survive. A story that takes place during the Great Depression and WWII told from the perspective of a ghost narrator named Pearl whose tragic story is told along with Frankie's.



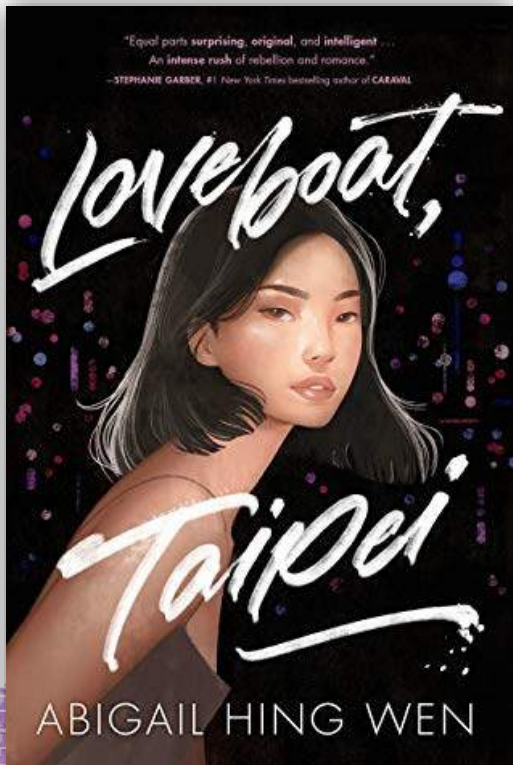
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# The Book of the Season

**Here's your next Spring Read!**



**Ever Wong struggles to follow her heart and study dance, but her parents want her to be a doctor. Ever's parents decides to send her to Taiwan to study Mandarin for the summer. There she meets Rick Woo — the Yale-Bound Prodigy against whom her parents have measured her against since she was nine years-old. How far will Ever go to break all of her parents' strict rules before she breaks her own heart?**



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# Youth Writing Contest 2020

**The Kansas Book Festival has announced the 2020 Essay Writing Contest for children grades 3-12 to enter for cash prizes!**

**2020 Writing Theme: “Kansas Can”**

**Write about a challenge or a problem faced by Kansans today and how you can create a solution for a better future.**

**For more information, come pick up a registration form at the library.**

**Contest ends on April 30th, 2020**



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# **Holocaust Remembrance: Poetry or Reading Contest**

**Sponsored by the Wichita Holocaust Memorial**

**Read either a poem or a single reading about the  
Holocaust experience as retold and remembered.**

**Submission date: Must be received by midnight on March 31, 2020.**

**Open to Middle School and High School Students**

**Winners will be notified by April 7th.**

**Program is April 21st at Wichita State University.**

**For additional information come pick up a form at the  
Andover Public Library.**





# Teen Volunteers Summer 2020

## Information Meeting

Monday, March 30th, 6:30pm  
Andover Public Library Gallery

### *Traditional Summer Teen Volunteer (limit 20):*

*Story time, Event & Family Movie Duties -  
Arrive early, set up, make popcorn, take  
pictures, get headcount, assist children, clean  
up. In addition, shelve books, straighten  
library, shelf read, dust, check book drop, write  
book reviews & other library duties.*

*Required Commitment - approx. 2-3 hours  
per week*

### *Teen Service Club (limit 20):*

*Club that promotes friendships among its  
members and is devoted to the principle of  
volunteer community service. Members will  
be involved in a community service project  
each week. There will also be fun activities in  
the library, such as, library hide and seek,  
pizza tasting, recycled items art show and  
more.*

*Required Commitment - approx. 1-2  
hours per week*