

Fresh Fiction Book Discussions

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House of Thieves by Charles Belfoure
Tues., May 3, 1pm; Wed., May 4, 7pm.

In 1886 New York, a respectable architect shouldn't have any connection to the notorious gang of thieves and killers that rules the underbelly of the city. But when John Cross's son racks up an unfathomable gambling debt to Kent's Gents, Cross must pay it back himself.

***Swans of Fifth Avenue* by Melanie Benjamin**
Tues., May 31 at 1pm; Wed., June 1, 7pm

Of all the glamorous stars of New York high society, none blazes brighter than Babe Paley. By all appearances, Babe has it all: money, beauty, glamour, jewels, influential friends, a prestigious husband, and gorgeous homes. But beneath this elegantly composed exterior dwells a passionate woman — a woman desperately longing for true love and connection.

***Girl Waits with Gun* by Amy Stewart. Tues., July 5, 1pm; Wed., July 6, 7pm**

Constance Kopp has been isolated from the world since a family secret sent her and her sisters into hiding. One day a powerful silk factory owner runs down their buggy, and a dispute over damages turns into a war of bricks, bullets, and threats as he unleashes his gang on their family farm. When the sheriff enlists her help in convicting the men, Constance is forced to confront her past and defend her family — and she does it in a way that few women of 1914 would have dared.

***Sisi: Empress on Her Own* by Allison Pataki; Tues., Aug. 2, 1pm; Wed., Aug. 3, 7pm**

A tale inspired by the life of Empress Sisi in nineteenth-century Vienna places such events as the opening of the Suez Canal, Vienna's World Exhibition, and the tumult leading up to World War I against a backdrop of imperial court temptations, rivalries and cutthroat intrigues.

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