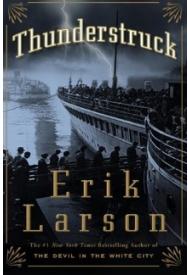
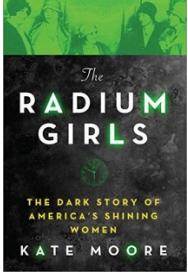
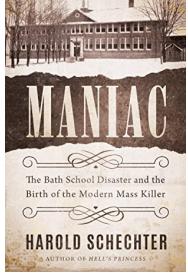
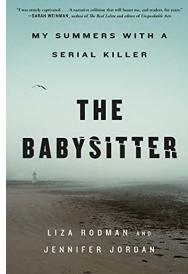


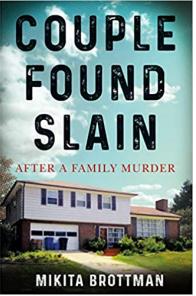
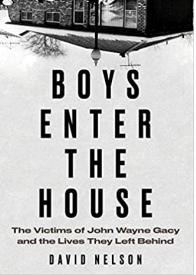
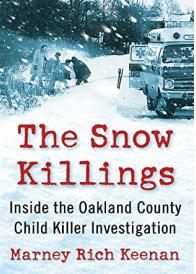
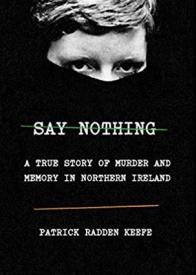
True Crime Book Club

2022

We meet the 4th Saturday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

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February 26	<p><i>Thunderstruck</i> by Erik Larson</p> <p>Set in Edwardian London, the interwoven stories of two men—Hawley Crippen, a very unlikely murderer, and Guglielmo Marconi, the obsessive creator of a seemingly supernatural means of communication—whose lives intersect during one of the greatest criminal chases of all time.</p>	
March 26	<p><i>The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America's Shining Women</i> by Kate Moore</p> <p>The inspiring young women exposed to the "wonder" substance of radium, and their awe-inspiring strength in the face of almost impossible circumstances. Their courage and tenacity led to life-changing regulations, research into nuclear bombing, and ultimately saved hundreds of thousands of lives.</p>	
April 23	<p><i>Maniac: The Bath School Disaster...</i> by Harold Schechter</p> <p>In 1927, while the majority of the township of Bath, Michigan, was celebrating a new primary school—one of the most modern in the Midwest—Andrew P. Kehoe had other plans. He detonated a set of explosives killing thirty-eight children and six adults were murdered.</p>	
June 25	<p><i>The Babysitter: My Summers with a Serial Killer</i> by Liza Rodman</p> <p>This chilling true story and “harrowing account of the evil that can lurk around the edges of girlhood” the story follows a little girl longing for love who finds friendship with her charismatic babysitter, unaware that he is a vicious serial killer.</p>	

July 23	<p>Couple Found Slain: After a Family Murder by Mikita Brottman</p> <p>On February 21, 1992, 22-year-old Brian Bechtold walked into a police station in Port St. Joe, Florida and confessed that he'd shot and killed his parents in their family home in Silver Spring, Maryland. He was eventually diagnosed with schizophrenia and ruled "not criminally responsible" for the murders on grounds of insanity. But after the trial, where do the "criminally insane" go?</p>	
August 27	<p>Boys Enter the House: The Victims of John Wayne Gacy by David Nelson.</p> <p>Through the testimony of siblings, parents, friends, lovers, and other witnesses close to the case, <i>Boys Enter the House</i> retraces the footsteps of these victims as they make their way to the doorstep of the Gacy house itself.</p>	
September 24	<p>The Snow Killings: Inside the Oakland County Child Killer Investigation By Marney Rich Keenan</p> <p>Over 13 months in 1976-1977, four children were abducted in the Detroit suburbs, each of them held for days before their still-warm bodies were dumped in the snow near public roadsides. Yet after less than two years, the task force created to find the killer was shut down without naming a suspect.</p>	
October 22	<p>Say Nothing: A True Story of Murder and Memory in Northern Ireland By Patrick Radden Keefe</p> <p>In December 1972, Jean McConville, a thirty-eight-year-old mother of ten, was dragged from her Belfast home by masked intruders, her children clinging to her legs. They never saw her again. Everyone in the neighborhood knew the I.R.A. was responsible but no one would speak up.</p>	
November 19*	<p>The Third Rainbow Girl: The Long Life of a Double Murder in Appalachia By Emma Eisenberg</p> <p>In the early evening of June 25, 1980 in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, two middle-class outsiders named Vicki Durian, 26, and Nancy Santomero, 19, were murdered in an isolated clearing. They were hitchhiking to a festival known as the Rainbow Gathering but never arrived. For thirteen years, no one was prosecuted for the "Rainbow Murders" though deep suspicion was cast on a succession of local residents in the community.</p> <p>(Note: Special Date due to Thanksgiving)</p>	