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Defeat *The Curse of the Spellmans* at the Palmdale City Library's Mystery Book Club

PALMDALE – The Palmdale City Library's Mystery Book Discussion Group "Mystery, Murder and Mayhem" will discuss the book *The Curse of the Spellmans* by Lisa Lutz on Wednesday, Oct. 19 at 7 pm at the Larry Chimbole Cultural Center, 38350 Sierra Highway.

When Izzy Spellman, PI, is arrested for the fourth time in three months, she writes it off as a job hazard. She's been obsessively keeping surveillance on a suspicious next door neighbor (suspect's name: John Brown), convinced he's up to no good—even if her parents, the management at Spellman Investigations, are not. When the displeased management refuses to bail Izzy out, it is Morty, Izzy's octogenarian lawyer, who comes to her rescue. But before he can build a defense, he has to know the facts. Over weak coffee and diner sandwiches, Izzy unveils the whole truth and nothing but the truth—as only she, a thirty-year-old licensed professional, can.

The Mystery, Murder and Mayhem Mystery Book Discussion Group meets the third Wednesday of the month at 7 pm, at the Chimbole Cultural Center. The group is open to anyone who enjoys a good mystery. The discussion also provides disabled access with 72 hours' notice. To request special aids for the disabled or for more information, please call the Palmdale City Library at 661/267-5600 or TDD 661267-5167.

The Palmdale City Library is open seven days a week. Hours of operation are Monday through Thursday from 10 am to 8 pm; Friday and Saturday from 10 am to 5 pm; and Sunday from 1 to 5 pm.