

# YA BOOK BUZZ

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A BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS WHO READ YA BOOKS

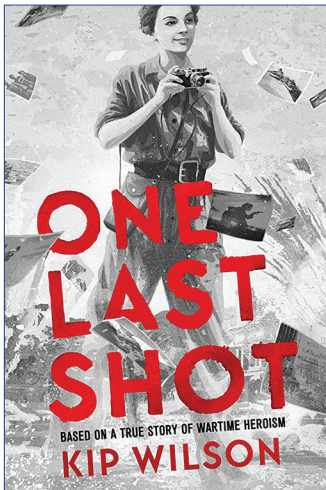
Join us on Friday, April 14, 2023

5:30 PM - \*Dinner and Socializing

6:30 PM - Book discussion

\*Bring your own dinner or snacks. Water, tea, and coffee will be available.

*Hybrid meeting: You can attend in-person or via Google Meet*  
Crestwood Library, 16 Thompson St, Yonkers, NY 10707



## One Last Shot by Kip Wilson

This gripping coming of age historical fiction novel in verse centers on Gerda Taro, a vibrant, headstrong photojournalist with a passion for capturing the truth amid political turmoil and the first woman photojournalist killed in combat.

The daughter of Polish Jewish immigrants, Gerta Pohorylle doesn't quite fit in with her German classmates. Over time, she becomes a master at reinventing herself as a vibrant, confident young woman and she joins a group of young activists and is arrested for distributing anti-Nazi propaganda. Her family decides she must leave Germany.

In Paris, she meets Hungarian Andre Friedmann who fosters Gerda's interest in photography. Together the pair reinvents their brand of photojournalism under the names Robert Capa and Gerda Taro and soon they're traveling to areas of military conflict and selling their photos for high prices. Gerda continues to travel solo through Europe, often the only woman in journalism circles. Her assignments eventually lead her to Spain to cover the growing conflict that is becoming the Spanish Civil War (1936-1939).

True to her political beliefs, Gerda pushes closer and closer to the front line, eager to capture the lives and vibrant hopes of Spanish republican forces fighting against fascism, only to lose sight of her own safety.

Place a hold on the print book or ebook through WLS. You can also recommend the audiobook for WLS Overdrive.

### QUESTIONS:

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