

The Enchanted Snow Globe Collection—Book One: Return to Coney Island

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About the book:

They thought it was an ordinary sleepover! When nine-year-old twins Emma and Simon shake a snow globe from their grandmother's enchanted collection, they're transported back to Coney Island on June 24, 1928. According to family legend, that's the day their great-grandparents meet on the Coney Island trolley. But if events don't work exactly as they're supposed to, the meeting won't take place and the twins might never be born. After a day of adventures - from the Cyclone roller coaster to the boardwalk arcade, and finally to the all-important trolley ride - will the twins help make it happen?

Melissa Stoller is the author of the chapter book series *The Enchanted Snow Globe Collection - Book One: Return to Coney Island* and *Book Two: The Liberty Bell Train Ride* (Clear Fork Publishing, 2017 and Spring 2019); and the picture books *Scarlet's Magic Paintbrush* and *Ready, Set, GOrrilla!* (Clear Fork, Fall 2018). She is also the co-author of *The Parent-Child Book Club: Connecting With Your Kids Through Reading* (HorizonLine Publishing, 2009). Melissa is an Assistant and Blogger for the Children's Book Academy, a Regional Ambassador for The Chapter Book Challenge, a Moderator for The Debut Picture Book Study Group, and a volunteer with the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators/MetroNY. Melissa has worked as a lawyer, legal writing instructor, freelance writer and editor, and early childhood educator. Additionally, she is a member of the Board of Trustees at The Hewitt School and at Temple Shaaray Tefila.

Kirkus Review:

"The characters and setting are the heart of the enjoyable story."

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