

Proposal for Theatrical Animation

“Bungaku Shoujo”

BOOK GIRL ~the Literature Girl~

Author: Mizuki Nomura

Illustrations: Miho Takeoka

Project Proposal: Enterbrain, Inc./T. O. Entertainment, Inc.

Project Outline

- ★ Original Series has sold over **1 million copies**.
(※Total of 8 volumes • short stories • Additional publications
/Famitsu Monthly/2009, April to present)
- ★ **First Book Recorded in** 『Kono Light Novel ga Sugoi
(This Light Novel is Amazing)! V. 2009』 (Takarajima Company)
(※2nd was 『Toradora!』 /3rd 『Baka to Test to Shokanju』)
- ★ A youthful mystery that could happen anywhere during
any time period.

- ★ With a strong director and studio, the aim
is to make the novels into a film
- ★ Emphasis on multiple developments in
regards to CM filming, scene planning and
coordination, etc.

Development

<Animation Development>

- ★Film Public release slated for May 2010
- ★In anticipation of original DVD release, original novel is included

<Package Design>

- ★Special Footage
 - Collaborate with Production I.G to create a Making Of segment
 - Recording Reading Aloud event
- ★Enclose book with illustrations from the original work by Miho Takeoka and images from the movie interspersed with literary quotes

<Media Mix Development>

- ★Dec 2009 Short Films Completed (Projected)
- ★Live Event with Voice Actors reading aloud
- ★Drama CD, Image CD
- ★Web Radio, 1 Seg Radio



Story



“It was on that day when I met her, beneath the pure white blooms of the Magnolia—”

Freshman Konoha Inoue has just started school when he finds a girl sitting peacefully under the Magnolia blossoms. To his fascination, he sees the girl actually tear off a page from the book she is reading and... eat it. The girl, Toko Amano, is actually Seijo Academy's Literary Club President. Somewhat to his shock, she tells him in a way that brooks no argument that he is now a club member. A year later, the now Sophomore Konoha, is writing one of Toko's daily "snacks" when a "Romance Consulting" post box that Toko had put up finally nets a request... or does it? Join in as the story takes an unexpected turn, suddenly unfolding into a mystery of unforeseen consequences... with Konoha and Toko at the heart of it! Yet what kind of story will the myriad relations of the characters ultimately spin.

Characters

Konoha Inoue

井上心葉

Narrator of the original story. Debuted as a writer under the guise of a cute girl, but was so traumatized by events surrounding it that he is now withdrawn. He is now a member of the literary club and writes daily "snacks" for Toko.

Kazushi Akutagawa

芥川一詩

Konoha's Classmate and a member of the Kyuudo(Archery) club. Due to a past event, he's become a very earnest person.

Maki Himekura

姫倉麻貴

The grandchild of Seijo Academy's chairman. A well informed person who trades Toko information for modeling nude.

Nanase Kotobuki

琴吹ななせ

Konoha's Classmate. She secretly has a crush on Konoha, but generally treats him badly.

Toko Amano

天野遠子

The story's protagonist. President of the Academy's Literary Club, and who has a pension for eating stories rather than food. Her unique viewpoint helps solve various problems.



Author Bio

野村美月 (Mizuki Nomura)

Born in Fukushima Prefecture. Won the 3rd annual Enterbrain Entertainment Award for “The Singing That Echoes in Akagiyama Table Tennis Building” as the top author in the novel division.

Her main series include, “Table Tennis the Series,” “Bad! Daddy,” and “Usa Koi”.

