



Evening Book Discussion Group

Meets on the 4th Tuesday of
alternating months at 7:30 p.m.,
unless noted. For further information,
please call the Readers' Advisory Desk
at 847-259-6050 ext. 111.



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2011 - 2012

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Tuesday, September 27, 2011

The Catcher in the Rye

By J.D. Salinger

Sixteen-year-old Holden Caulfield is searching for truth in the adult world. He ends up exhausted and sick. Holden shares his experience with us. Originally published in 1951, this book is still quite relevant today.

Tuesday, November 15, 2011

(3rd Tuesday of the month)

365 Thank You's: The Year a Simple Act of Daily Gratitude Changed My Life

By John Kralik

At 53, John found his life at a terrible low: his business was failing; his second marriage was ending in divorce; and he was growing distant from his children. He decided to be grateful for what he had, instead of focusing on what was missing from his life. 365 Thank You's is a rare memoir, that is a doable believable example of how to live a better life.

Tuesday, January 24, 2012

Moloka'i

By Alan Brennert

At the age of seven, Rachel Kalama is diagnosed with Hansen's disease. She is taken from her family and sent to a leprosy settlement on the island of Moloka'i. Set at the end of the 19th century, this novel is the story of her life. Most everything in this book has its basis in history.

Tuesday, March 27, 2012

The Hunger Games

By Suzanne Collins

The Hunger Games, a survival contest on live TV, features twenty-four teenagers fighting to the death with just one winner. The novel is set in the future in the ruins of what was once known as North America. The teens must use all their skills to stay alive while trying to be the best and survive the Hunger Games.

Tuesday, April 24, 2012

The Glass Castle

By Jeannette Walls

This memoir is the revelatory look into a dysfunctional, but resilient family. The Walls children fed, clothed, and protected each other. Each one eventually found their way to New York. Their parents, choosing to be homeless, followed them there, where each of their children prospered.

Tuesday, May 22, 2012

The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society

By Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows

Juliet Ashton writes to her publisher to say that she is tired of covering the sunny side of war. Guernsey residents write Juliet with their own stories of war. Juliet finds these letters inspirational for her life and so will readers. This story affirms the power of books to nourish people during hard times.

Tuesday, July 24, 2012

The Art of Racing in the Rain

By Garth Stein

If you ever wondered what your dog is thinking, this book offers a suggestion. Enzo is a lab terrier mix, who rides shotgun with race car driver Denny Swift as he pursues success on and off the track. This story has love, tragedy, danger, and redemption.

