



# Morning Book Break

Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month  
at 9:30 a.m., unless noted.



For further information,  
please call Readers' Advisory at  
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**Book Discussion Group**

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**2015 - 2016**

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**September 8, 2015**

***A Man Called Ove***

by Fredrik Backman

A curmudgeon hides a terrible personal loss beneath a cranky and short-tempered exterior while clashing with new neighbors, a boisterous family whose chattiness and habits lead to unexpected friendship.

**October 13, 2015**

***Peaches for Father Francis***

by Joanne Harris

(Suburban Mosaic Selection)

Vianne Rochet returns to the French village of Lansquenet with her daughters, Anouk and Rosette, before allying herself with a desperate Father Frances Reynaud to reverse disturbing local changes.

**November 10, 2015**

***The Martian***

by Andy Weir

Stranded on Mars by a dust storm that compromised his space suit and forced his crew to leave him behind, astronaut Watney struggles to survive in spite of minimal supplies and harsh environmental challenges that test his ingenuity in unique ways.

**December 8, 2015**

***Orphan Train***

by Christina Baker Kline

Close to aging out of the foster care system, Penobscot Indian Molly Ayer takes a community service position helping an elderly woman named Vivian clean out her home and discovers that they are more alike than different as she helps Vivian solve a mystery from her past.



**January 12, 2016**

***Into the Beautiful North***

by Luis Alberto Urrea

(The Big Read: National Endowment for the Arts)

Working in a Mexican taco shop while dreaming of her father in the United States, nineteen-year-old Nayeli struggles with a realization that most of the men in her village have left to pursue work in the north.

**February 9, 2015**

***Me Before You***

by Jojo Moyes

Taking a job as an assistant to extreme sports enthusiast Will, who is wheelchair bound after a motorcycle accident, Louisa struggles with her employer's acerbic moods and learns of his shocking plans before demonstrating to him that life is still worth living.

**March 8, 2016**

***The Good Girl***

by Mary Kubica

The daughter of a prominent Chicago judge and his socialite wife, inner-city art teacher Mia Dennett is taken hostage by her one-night stand, Colin Thatcher, who, instead of delivering her to his employers, hides her in a secluded cabin in rural Minnesota to keep her safe from harm.

**April 12, 2016**

***The Passion of Artemisia***

by Susan Vreeland

A sweeping novel, set against the beautiful backdrops of Rome, Florence, and Genoa, vibrantly recreates the life of Artemisia Gentileschi, one of the most extraordinary female painters in history, whose search for love, forgiveness, and wholeness through her art led to her fame as a painter and her induction into the prestigious Accademia dell'Arte.

**May 3, 2016**

Note: This is the first Tuesday of the month

***Whiskey and Charlie***

by Annabel Smith

Twin brothers and polar opposites, Whiskey and Charlie, realize the importance of their failing relationship after a freak accident puts one brother in a coma and the other contemplates life without the other.

**June 14, 2016**

***The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics***

by Daniel James Brown

The story of the University of Washington's 1936 eight-oar crew and their epic quest for an Olympic gold medal; a team that transformed the sport and grabbed the attention of millions of Americans.

