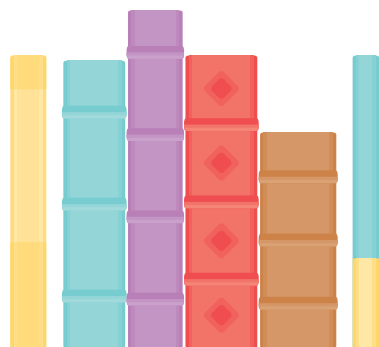




Morning Book Break

Meets on the 2nd Tuesday
of the month at 9:30 a.m.,
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September 11, 2018
The Book That Matters Most
Ann Hood

Joining a reading group in the wake of a failed marriage, Ava rediscovers a book from her childhood that helped her through past difficulties, while her daughter, Maggie, descends into a destructive relationship with a man in Paris.

This is a tie-in with the *PBS Great American Read Series*. Members will share favorite titles at discussion.

October 9, 2018
(Suburban Mosaic Selection)
Lucky Boy
Shanthi Sekaran

A wrenching emotional battle gives voice to two mothers bound together by their love for one lucky boy.

November 13, 2018
Everything I Never Told You
Celeste Ng

A story of the divisions between cultures and the rifts within a family explores the fallout of the drowning death of Lydia Lee, the favorite daughter of a Chinese-American family in 1970s Ohio.

December 11, 2018
Magpie Murders
Anthony Horowitz

When she realizes that the final chapter of mystery writer Alan Conway's latest manuscript is missing and Alan later turns up dead, editor Susan Ryeland follows clues buried in the text to investigate the author's suspicious death.



January 8, 2019
The Circle (novel) and The Circle (movie)
Dave Eggers

Hired to work for the Circle, the world's most powerful Internet company, Mae Holland begins to question her luck as life beyond her job grows distant, a strange encounter with a colleague leaves her shaken, and her role at the Circle becomes increasingly public.

Our discussion will concentrate on the novel, but we will also compare and contrast how the novel is presented in the film format. DVD will be available for check-out.

February 12, 2019
Varina
Charles Frazier

Sooner or later, history asks, which side were you on? Varina is a novel of an American war and its aftermath. Ultimately, the book is a portrait of a woman who comes to realize that complicity carries consequences.

March 12, 2019
The Woman in the Window
A.J. Finn

An agoraphobic recluse languishes in her New York City home, drinking wine and spying on her neighbors, before witnessing a terrible crime through her window that exposes her secrets and raises questions about her perceptions of reality.

April 9, 2019
Educated
Tara Westover

Traces the author's experiences as a child born to survivalists in the mountains of Idaho, describing her participation in her family's paranoid stockpiling activities and her resolve to educate herself well enough to earn acceptance into a prestigious university and the unfamiliar world beyond.

May 14, 2019
Stay With Me
Ayobami Adebayo

A married Nigerian couple must grapple with staggering levels of loss and betrayal in their quest to create a family for themselves.

June 11, 2019
The Great Alone
Kristin Hannah

When her father impulsively moves the family to mid-1970s Alaska to live off the land, young Leni and her mother are forced to confront the dangers of their lack of preparedness in the wake of a dangerous winter season.

