



Book Discussion Groups

Selections for **January – June 2015**

JCPL offers monthly book discussion groups at many of our locations. All groups are drop-in; discussions are informal and you are not required to read the book! Just come for good conversation with other book lovers. The groups meet at various times and usually last 90 minutes. See the schedule for exact dates, times and locations.

Arvada Library

7525 W. 57th Ave.

303.235.5275

TUESDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP

6:30 p.m., first Tuesday of the month

Jan. 6	The Martian: a Novel Andy Weir	SF FICTION WEIR
Feb. 3	The Sixth Extinction: An Unnatural History Elizabeth Kolbert	576.84 KOLBERT
March 3	The Dinner: A Novel Herman Koch	FICTION KOCH
April 7	The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry: A Novel Gabrielle Zevin	FICTION KEVIN
May 5	A Long Way Down Nick Hornby	FICTION HORNBY
June 2	The Rosie Project Graeme Simsion	FICTION SIMSION

Belmar Library

555 S. Allison Pkwy.

303.235.5275

PAGE TURNERS BOOK GROUP

6 p.m., first Wednesday of the month

Jan. 7	Ogallala Road: A Memoir of Love and Reckoning Julene Bair	636.0109781 BAIR
Feb. 4	Dear Life: Stories Alice Munro	FICTION MUNRO
March 4	Those Angry Days: Roosevelt, Lindbergh, and America's Fight over WWII, 1939-1941 Lynne Olson	940.5310973 OLSON
April 1	My Name Is Mary Sutter Robin Oliveira	FICTION OLIVEIRA
May 6	Empty Mansions: The Mysterious Life of Huguette Clark and the Spending of a Great American Fortune Bill Dedman	328.73092 DEDMAN
June 3	The Sixth Extinction: An Unnatural History Elizabeth Kolbert	576.84 KOLBERT

Columbine Library

7706 W. Bowles Ave.

303.235.5275

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BOOK GROUP

2 p.m., first Tuesday of the month

Jan. 6	Nightwoods: A Novel Charles Frazier	FICTION FRAZIER
Feb. 3	Under the Wide and Starry Sky: A Novel Nancy Horan	FICTION HORAN
March 3	The Girl You Left Behind Jojo Moyes	FICTION MOYES
April 7	The Grass Is Singing Doris Lessing	FICTION LESSING
May 5	In the Kingdom of Ice: The Grand and Terrible Polar Adventure of the USS Jeannette Hampton Sides	910.91632 SIDES
June 2	Inferno: A Novel Dan Brown	FICTION BROWN

YOUNG READERS' FUN CLUB

4:30 p.m., first Tuesday of the month

For readers 8 and older.

Jan. 6	Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School and other Scary Things Lenore Look	J FICTION LOOK
Feb. 3	The Code Busters Club #1 Penny Warner	J FICTION WARNER
March 3	Glory Be Augusta Scattergood	J FICTION SCATTERGOOD
April 7	Saving Lucas Biggs Marisa de los Santos	J FICTION DE LOS SANTOS
May 5	Where the Red Fern Grows Wilson Rawls	J FICTION RAWLS
June 2	My Life as a Cartoonist Janet Tashjian	J FICTION TASHJIAN

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Columbine Library

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TEEN BOOK CLUB

3:30 p.m., one Saturday per month. For ages 12-18.

- Jan. 17 Teens will pick the books we plan to read at this meeting.
- Feb. 14 TBD
- Mar. 14 TBD
- April 11 TBD
- May 9 TBD
- June 6 TBD

Conifer Library

10441 Hwy. 73

303.235.5275

AWARD WINNING BOOK GROUP

6:30 p.m., last Tuesday of the month

- Jan. 27 **In Paradise**
Peter Mathiessen
- Feb. 24 **The Secrets of Elk Creek**
Bonnie Scudder
- March 31 **Half of a Yellow Sun**
Chimamanda Aidchie
- April 28 **Ghostman**
Roger Hobbs
- May 26 **Plainsong**
Kent Haruf
- June 30 **Still Life**
Louise Penny

Evergreen Library

5000 Hwy. 73 (at Buffalo Park Rd.)

303.235.5275

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP

6 p.m., second Wednesday of the month

- Jan. 14 **I Feel Bad About My Neck: And Other Thoughts on Being a Woman**
Nora Ephron 814.54 EPHRON
- Feb. 11 **The Light Between Oceans**
M.L. Stedman FICTION STEDMAN
- March 11 **The Scarlet Letter**
Nathaniel Hawthorne FICTION HAWTHORNE
- April 8 **The Rosie Project**
Graeme Simsion FICTION SIMSION
- May 13 **The Invention of Wings**
Sue Monk Kidd FICTION KIDD
- June 10 **Soldier Girls: the Battles of Three Women at Home and at War**
Helen Thorpe 956.7044342 THORPE

Young Reader's Book Club (ages 8-11)

4 p.m., third Monday of the month

- Jan. 26 **The Greenglass House**
Kate Milford J FICTION MILFORD
- Feb. 23 **Savvy**
Ingrid Law J FICTION LAW
- March 16 **Frindle**
Andrew Clements J FICTION CLEMENTS
- April 20 **Title TBD**
- May 18 **Title TBD**

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Golden Library

1010 W. 10th Ave.

303.235-5275

TUESDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP

6 p.m., third Tuesday of the month

- Jan. 20 **Geography of Bliss: One Grump's Search for the Happiest Places in the World**
Eric Weiner 910.4 WEINER
- Feb. 17 **Mr. Penumbra's 24-hour Bookstore**
Robin Sloan FICTION SLOAN
- March 17 **At Home in Mitford**
Jan Karon FICTION KARON
- April 21 **The Hare with Amber Eyes: A Family's Century of Art and Loss**
Edmund de Waal 909.0492400922 DE WAAL
- May 19 **Angle of Repose**
Wallace Stegner FICTION STEGNER
- June 16 **Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher: The Epic Life and Immortal Photographs of Edward Curtis**
Timothy Egan B CURTIS: EGAN

YOUNG READERS' FUN CLUB

4 p.m., last Wednesday of the month. For readers 8-11.

Books may be picked up at the Children's Information Desk

- Jan. 28 **Shipwrecked**
Rhoda Blumberg J B NAKAHAMA: M BLUMBERG
- Feb. 25 **Please Write in This Book**
Mary Amato J FICTION AMATO
- March 25 **The Mysterious Benedict Society**
Trenton Lee Stewart J FICTION STUART
- April 22 **Peter and the Starcatchers**
Dave Barry J FICTION BARRY
- May 27 **Charlotte's Web**
E.B. White J FICTION WHITE
- June 24 **The Breadwinner**
Deborah Ellis J FICTION ELLIS

Lakewood Library

10200 W. 20th Ave.

303.235.5275

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BOOK GROUP

1 p.m., fourth Tuesday of the month

- Jan. 27 **The Science of Shakespeare: A New Look at the Playwright's Universe**
Dan Falk 822.33 FALK
- Feb. 24 **The Aviator's Wife**
Melanie Benjamin FICTION BENJAMIN
- March 24 **The Zhivago Affair: The Kremlin, the CIA and the Battle over a Forbidden Book**
Peter Finn 891.7342 FINN
- April 28 **The Hundred Secret Senses**
Amy Tan FICTION TAN
- May 26 **Soldier Girls: The Battles of Three Women at Home and at War**
Helen Thorpe 956.7044342 THORPE
- June 23 **The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics**
Daniel Brown 797.1230973 BROWN

THURSDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP

6 p.m., first Thursday of the month

- Jan. 8 **Defending Jacob**
William Landay FICTION LANDAY
- Feb. 5 **The Invention of Wings**
Sue Monk Kidd FICTION KIDD
- March 5 **Of Love and Shadows**
Isabel Allende FICTION ALLENDE
- April 2 **The Story Hour**
Thrity Umigar FICTION UMIGAR
- May 7 **Shards**
Ismet Prsic FICTION PRSIC
- June 4 **White Dogs Fell from the Sky**
Eleanor Morse FICTION MORSE

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Lakewood Library

10200 W. 20th Ave.

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YOUNG READERS' FUN CLUB

4 p.m., third Tuesday of the month For readers 10 and older.

- Jan. 20 **The Wizard of Dark Street**
Shawn Odyssey J FICTION ODYSSEY
- Feb. 17 **The Rithmatist**
Brandon Sanderson TEEN FICTION SANDERSON
- March 17 **Because of Mr. Terupt**
Rob Buyea J FICTION TERUPT
- April 21 **Reluctant Assassin: W.A.R.P., Book #1**
Eoin Colfer TEEN SF FICTION COLFER
- May 19 **The Boundless**
Kenneth Oppel J FICTION OPPEL
- June 16 **The Iron Trial: Magisterium, Book #1**
Holly Black J FICTION BLACK

Standley Lake Library

8485 Kipling St.

303.235.5275

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BOOK GROUP

1 p.m., first Tuesday of the month

- Jan. 6 **The Kitchen House**
Kathleen Grissom FICTION GRISSOM
- Feb. 3 **Between Urban and Wild: Reflections from Colorado**
Andrea M. Jones 508.788 JONES
Author will attend.
- March 3 **Under the Wide and Starry Sky: A Novel**
Nancy Horan FICTION HORAN
- April 7 **Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail**
Cheryl Strayed B STRAYED: C STRAYED
- May 5 **Fallen Women**
Sandra Dallas FICTION DALLAS
- June 2 **The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics**
Daniel James Brown 797.1230973 BROWN

THURSDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP

6:30 p.m., second Thursday of the month

- Jan. 8 **The Secret Life of Pronouns: What Our Words Say About Us**
James W. Pennebaker 425.55 PENNEBAKER

- Feb. 12 **Death Comes for the Archbishop**
Willa Cather FICTION CATHER
- March 12 **The Romanov Sisters: The Lost Lives of the Daughters of Nicholas and Alexandra**
Helen Rappaport 947.0830922 RAPPAPORT
- April 9 **The Measure of a Man: A Spiritual Autobiography**
Sidney Poitier B POITIERS: S POITIER
- May 14 **Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**
Ransom Riggs TEEN FICTION RIGGS
- June 11 **The Goldfinch**
Donna Tartt FICTION TARTT

Wheat Ridge Library

5475 W. 32nd Ave.

303.235.5275

THURSDAY MORNING BOOK GROUP

9 a.m., third Thursday of the month

- Jan. 15 **Island Beneath the Sea: A Novel**
Isabel Allende FICTION ALLENDE
- Feb. 19 **Under the Wide and Starry Sky: A Novel**
Nancy Horan FICTION HORAN
- March 19 **Isaac's Storm: A Man, A Time and the Deadliest Hurricane in History**
Erik Larson 976.4139 LARSON
- April 16 **Code Name, Johnny Walker, The Extraordinary Story of the Iraqi Who Risked Everything to Fight with the U.S. Navy Seals**
Johnny Walker w/ Jim DeFelice 359.984092 WALKER
- May 21 **Bully Pulpit**
Doris Kearns Goodwin 973.911 GOODWIN
- June 18 **The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics**
Daniel James Brown 797.1230973

Most groups select titles for the second half of the year at April meetings.

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