

Book Discussions at Somerset County Libraries

Bound Brook Library

Each group meets at 7:00 p.m. Please call (732) 356-0043 for more information.

Nonfiction Group

July 10 - *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson
August 14 - *Reading Lolita in Tehran* by Azar Nafisi
September 11- *Warrors Don't Cry* by Melba Beals
October 2 - *All the Shah's Men* by Stephen Kinzer
November 13 - *The Professor and the Madman* by Simon Winchester

Mystery Group

July 24 - *The Closers* by Michael Connelly
August 28 - *The Historian* by Elizabeth Kostova
September 25 - *The Murder Room* by P.D. James
October 23 - *The Mephisto Club* by Tess Gerritsen
November 27 - *Cruel as the Grave* by Sharon Kay Penman

Fiction Group

July 23 – *Atonement: A Novel* by Ian McEwan
August 27 – *The Constant Gardener* by John Le Carre
September 24 – *Never Let Me Go* by Kazuo Ishiguro
October 22 – *Replay* by Ken Grimwood (7:00 p.m. session)
October 23 – *Replay* by Ken Grimwood (1:00 p.m. session)
November 26 – *Ha Ha: A Novel* by Dave King

Bridgewater Library

July 10 **	7:00pm @ Borders of Bridgewater	<i>Suite Francaise</i> by Irene Nemirovsky
July 12	1pm	<i>Blink: The Power of Thinking Without Thinking</i> by Malcolm Gladwell
August 14	7:00pm	<i>Nineteen Minutes</i> by Jodi Picoult
September 13	1:00pm	Non-Fiction Title – To Be Announced
September 18**	7:00pm @ Borders of Bridgewater	Popular Fiction Title – To Be Announced

* These book discussions are led by guest professors from Raritan Valley Community College.

** These book discussions will be held at the Borders Store of Bridgewater.

Hillsborough Library

July 2	7:00pm	<i>Their Eyes Were Watching God</i> by Zora Neale Hurston – Join us to discuss the 2007 One Book New Jersey
July 19	7:00pm	<i>Memoirs of a Geisha</i> by Arthur Golden
August 9	7:00pm	<i>March</i> by Geraldine Brooks
August 14	7:00pm	<i>An Inconvenient Truth</i> by Al Gore
September 20	7:00pm	<i>The Lovely Bones</i> by Alice Sebold
November 15	7:00pm	<i>The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time</i> by Mark Haddon

Mary Jacobs

The Mary Jacobs Library Book Discussion Group meets the last Tuesday of the month in the Library Conference Room at 7:30 p.m.

September 11*	10:30am @ Montgomery Senior Ctr	Title -- To Be Announced
September 25	7:30pm	Title -- To Be Announced

* Mary Jacobs also sponsors a book club held at the Montgomery Senior Center that meets the second Tuesday of each month. Call (609) 924-7073 for more details.

North Plainfield Library

Call (908) 755-7909 for more information.

Peapack-Gladstone Library

July 31	7:30pm	<i>The Namesake</i> by Jhumpa Lahiri
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Warren Township Library

All book discussions are held Tuesdays from 7:30-9 in Meeting Room 1

July 24	7:30pm	<i>Never Let Me Go</i> by Kazuo Ishiguro
September 11	7:30pm	Title -- To Be Announced
October 2	7:30pm	Title -- To Be Announced
November 13	7:30pm	Title -- To Be Announced
December 11	7:30pm	Title -- To Be Announced

Watchung Library

Current Book Club

July 9	7:30pm	<i>Pearl</i> by Mary Gordon
August 13	7:30pm	<i>Assassination Vacation</i> by Sarah Vowell
September 10	7:30pm	<i>The Heart is a Lonely Hunter</i> by Carson McCullers
October 14	7:30pm	<i>Running with Scissors</i> by Augusten Burroughs
November 19	7:30pm	<i>Skinner's Drift</i> by Lisa Fugard
December 10	7:30pm	<i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> by Margaret Atwood

Social Action Book Club

August 14	7:30pm	<i>Perilous Power</i> by Noam Chomsky & Gilbert Achcar
October 25	7:30pm	<i>The J Curve</i> by Ian Bremmer

Tasty Bites and Books

Bring a bag lunch and share your thoughts on books you've read.

July 23	12:00pm	<i>Gril in Hyacinth Blue</i> by Susan Vreeland
August 20	12:00pm	<i>I Feel Bad About My Neck</i> by Nora Ephron
September 17	12:00pm	<i>Inheritance of Loss</i> by Kiran Desai
October 22	12:00pm	<i>The Secret Book of Grazia dei Rossi</i> by Jacqueline Park
November 26	12:00pm	<i>Between Two Worlds</i> by Zainab Salbi
December 17	12:00pm	<i>A Thousand Splendid Suns</i> by Khaled Hosseini

Watchung Book Club

Second Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

July 12	7:00pm	<i>Carry Me Across the Water</i> by Ethan Canin
August 9	7:00pm	<i>The Glass Castle</i> by Jeannette Walls
September 13	7:00pm	<i>Lolita</i> by Vladimir Nabokov
October 11	7:00pm	<i>The History of Love</i> by Nicole Krauss