



# Read 'n Share Titles

## August 2023 Meeting

### Fiction

- Audrain, Ashley      *The Whispers*– Three women grapple with what led to a boy falling from a window the night after his mother explodes in fury because he disobeyed.
- Brodeur, Adrienne      *Little Monsters* – As their father turns 70, siblings who have a complicated relationship separately plan elaborate gifts for him in order to gain his favor.
- Davis, Fiona      *The Spectacular*– In the 1950's a Rockette and a psychiatrist find themselves caught up in the search for a bomber terrorizing New York City.
- Edwards, Shaunna J. & Richman, Alyson      *The Thread Collector*–A Black woman, who embroiders maps to help the enslaved flee, crosses paths with a Jewish seamstress as their partners serve in the Union Army.
- Erlick, Nikki      *The Measure* – Things are thrown into chaos when every adult in the world receives a wooden box with a piece of string inside that tells the length of their life.
- Gold, Michael      *Jews Without Money*– A fictionalized look at the thieves, gangsters, and ordinary citizens who struggled against brutal odds in lower East Side Manhattan.
- Harmel, Kristin      *The Paris Daughter*– At the end of WWII, a mother returns to Paris to find that both her daughter and the woman she had entrusted her to have disappeared.
- Hearth, Amy Hill      *Silent Came the Monster*- The mysterious death of a swimmer at the Jersey Shore during 1919 portends a summer of shark attacks.
- Kuang, R.F.      *Yellowface* – After the death of her more successful literary rival in a freak accident, an author steals her just-finished masterpiece and passes it off as her own.
- Lapena, Shari      *Everyone here is Lying*– A father whose affair just ended badly loses his temper, with his daughter and discovers he's not the only with secrets when she goes missing.
- Linwood, Jade      *Charming*– Three Princesses decide to get revenge when they find out their Prince Charming is a con-man after he rescued, romanced and then robbed them all.
- Marshall, Heather      *Looking for Jane*– Three women's lives are connected by a long-lost letter, a mother's love and a secret network fighting for the right to choose.
- Moreno-Garcia, Silvia      *Silver Nitrate* – A sound editor and her friend help a cult horror director shoot a missing scene to lift a curse and must unravel the mystery of the film to survive.
- Nesbo, Jo      *Killing Moon* – Fired from the force and drinking heavily, Harry Hole agrees to assist the police in an investigation about two missing women only connected by a party. (*Harry Hole #13*)
- Napolitano, Ann,      *Dear Edward*– A 12-year-old lone survivor of a plane crash investigates the stories of his less-fortunate fellow passengers and discovers his purpose in life.

- Newman, T.J. *Drowning* – A flight crashes into the ocean and the surviving passengers believe they are lucky until the plane starts to sink to the ocean floor, trapping them inside.
- Ogden, Jenni *A Drop in the Ocean* – A researcher flees Boston for Australia’s Great Barrier Reef after her lab is closed and finds family and love among the eccentric islanders.
- Pride, Christine & Piazza, Jo *You Were Always Mine* – A Black woman takes an abandoned White baby into her home and struggles to keep her secrets while dealing with the judgment of others.
- Reid, Taylor Jenkins *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* – An aging and reclusive Hollywood icon selects an unknown magazine reporter to write her life story.
- Rogers, Harold *Tropicália* – A pair of Brazilian siblings from a cursed family reach their breaking point when the mother who abandoned them returns after her father’s death.
- Rosen, Jane *Eliza Starts a Rumor.* –A suburban housewife struggling with agoraphobia engages in fabricated gossip to keep the community site she manages more interesting.
- Rosen, Jane *A Shoe Story* – A young woman has one month and a closetful of shoes to discover the future she thought she'd lost when her life was derailed by a tragedy.
- Russell, Craig *The Devil’s Playground* – In 1967, a journalist searches for the only copy of a horror film from 1927 rumored to have cursed everyone involved in making it.
- Sittenfeld, Curtis *Romantic Comedy* – A writer on a live TV comedy show connects with a musician guest host, but someone like him couldn’t date her. Right?
- Slocumb, Brendan *The Violin Conspiracy* – A young man who is intent on becoming a professional musician despite racism has his priceless violin stolen and is determined to get it back.
- Steel, Danielle *Happiness* - A successful author of thrillers receives a mysterious letter about an inheritance of a manor and a title from a recently deceased uncle outside London.
- Stevenson, Benjamin *Everyone in My Family Has Killed Someone* – During a reunion at a mountain resort, a family with a complicated past is snowed in and bodies start to pile up.
- Sutanto, Jesse Q. *Vera Wong’s Unsolicited Advice for Murderers*– Discovering a dead man in her shop, a Chinese mother swipes a flash drive from the body before calling the police.
- Thai, Thao *Banyan Moon* - Follows three generations of Vietnamese American women reeling from the death of their matriarch and the revelation of buried family secrets.
- Trussoni, Danielle *The Puzzle Master* – Reality and the supernatural collide when an expert puzzle-maker is thrust into an ancient mystery with explosive consequences.
- Urrea, Luis Alberto *Good Night, Irene* – After D-Day, two heroic Red Cross women join the Allied soldiers streaming into France where they are embroiled in danger.
- Ware, Ruth *Zero Days* – When a routine assignment goes horribly wrong, resulting in her husband's murder, a security specialist must go on the run and clear her name.

## Non-Fiction

Finkel, Michael

***Art Thief***—The riveting true story of a master art thief who carried out over 200 successful heists until it all fell apart in a spectacular fashion.

Grann, David

***White Darkness*** – Traces the South Pole expedition of a decorated British special forces officer, who in 2015 risked his life to walk across Antarctica alone.

Grann, David

***Killers of the Flower Moon***- A chilling account of the early 20th-century murders of dozens of wealthy Osage, and the contributions and missteps of a fledgling FBI.

Jaouad, Suleika

***Between Two Kingdoms*** – A writer and activist describes the harrowing years she spent in early adulthood fighting leukemia and how she learned to live again.