

No Pressure Book Group Book List

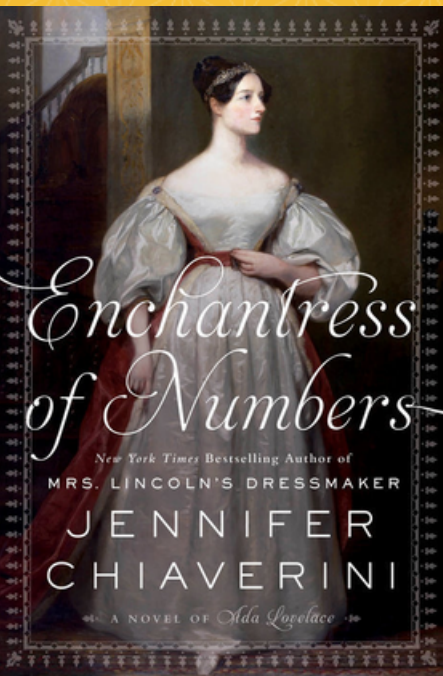
April 2023

The Waterbury Public Library's No Pressure Book Group meets on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7:00. Join us (in person or via Zoom) to share what you are reading, trade suggestions, and talk books!

Enchantress of Numbers

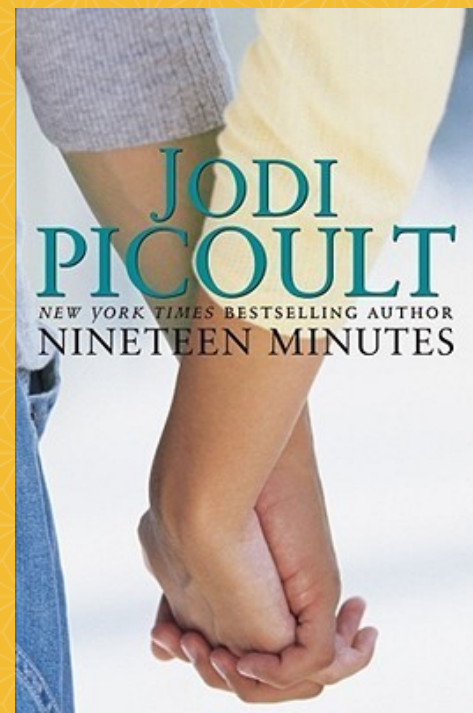
by Jennifer Chiaverini

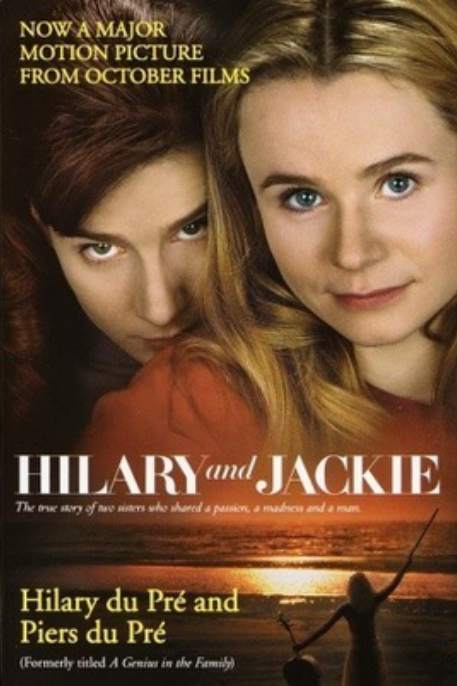
From a favorite NPBG author comes the story of Ada Byron King - Lord Byron's daughter and the world's first computer programmer. A wonderful look at an important and overlooked character from history.



Nineteen Minutes by Jodi Picoult

A sad, dark story that explores the aftermath of a school shooting in New Hampshire. Picoult is the queen of highly emotionally charged tear-jerkers and isn't afraid of difficult subjects.





Hilary and Jackie

by Hilary du Pre and Piers du Pre

The tragic true story of a genius cellist who rose quickly to fame only to have multiple sclerosis cut short her career and her life.

Too Bright to See by Kyle Lukoff

This award-winning young adult book explores issues of identity and gender in a compelling and thoughtful way. And it's set in Vermont!



WHEN THINGS FALL APART

HEART ADVICE for DIFFICULT TIMES



PEMA CHÖDRÖN

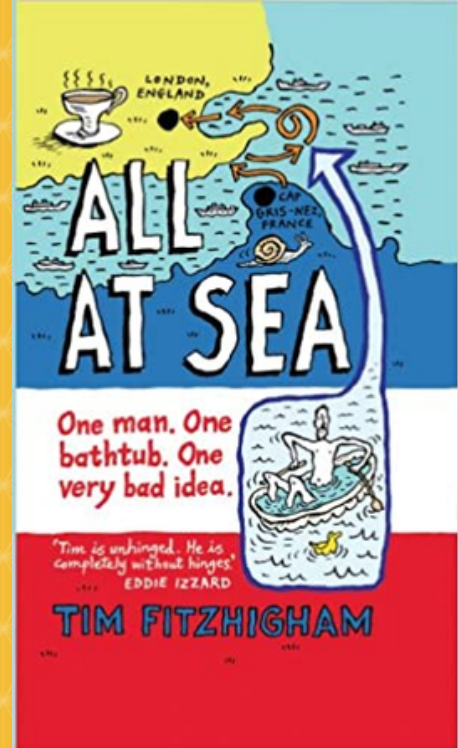
SHAMBHALA CLASSICS

When Things Fall Apart: Heart Advice for Difficult Times by Pema Chodron

Buddhist nun Pema Chodron explores how to approach the most difficult times in life with curiosity and acceptance.

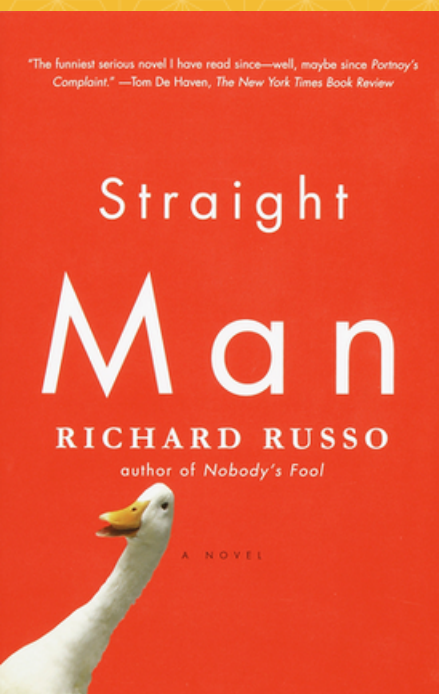
All At Sea by Tim Fitzhigham

The unbelievable true story of one man's determination to cross the English Channel - in a bathtub! Laugh out loud funny.



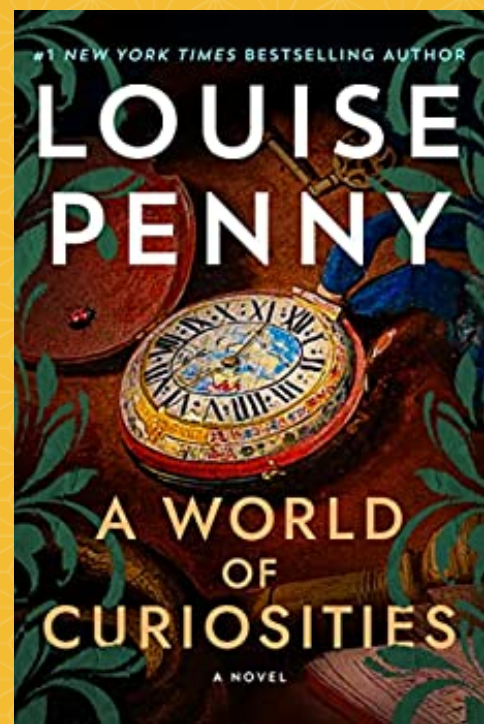
Straight Man by Richard Russo

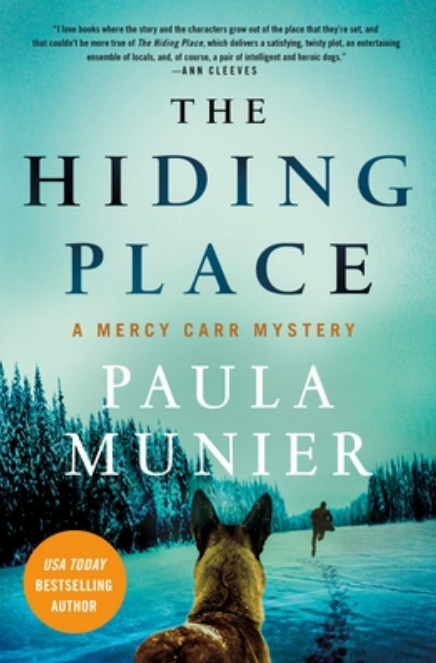
Another comedy, this one set in academia where a man in the midst of a mid-life crisis must contend with challenges in his professional and personal lives.



A World of Curiosities by Louise Penny

Louise Penny is, of course, an NPBG favorite! Our reader commented on how much she enjoys books with a strong sense of place and Penny's Quebec absolutely fits the bill.





The Hiding Place

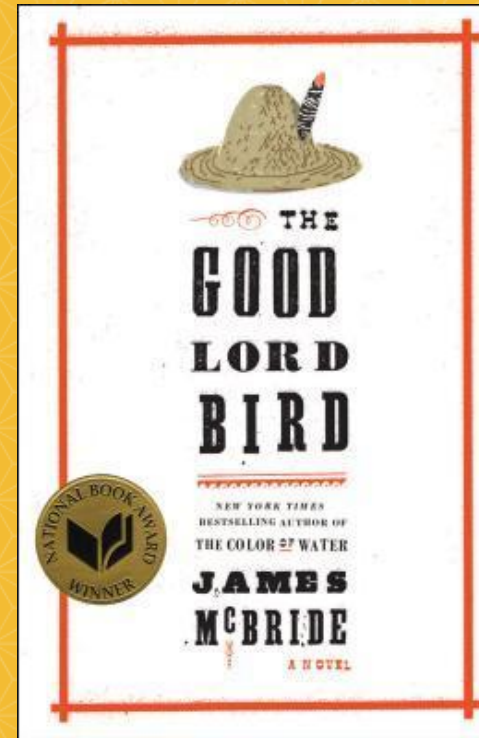
by Paula Munier

A New Hampshire writer captures Vermont wonderfully in this mystery series for dog lovers. Lots of intrigue, action and long-buried family secrets to be had here!

The Good Lord Bird

by James McBride

A rollicking adventure - the story of a boy born into slavery who joins up with John Brown's abolitionist movement and ends up on the run disguised as a girl.



The Vibrant Years

by Sonali Dev

A multi-generational tale of Indian and Indian-American women getting by in Florida. Family secrets, self-discovery and lots of fun are to be found in this book.

