Young Adult



A deadly education: a novel

by Naomi Novik

An unwilling dark sorceress destined to rewrite the rules of magic clashes with a popular combat sorcerer while resolving to spare the lives of innocents. By the award-winning author of the Temeraire series.

Staff Picks!



The change: a novel

by Kirsten Miller

When midlife changes give three different women special powers, they come together to solve the murder of a teenage girl.



Unmasked : my life solving America's cold cases

by Paul Holes

An icon in the true crime world, the cold case investigator who finally caught the Golden State Killer provides an insider account of some the most notorious cases in contemporary American history and opens up to the most intimate scenes of his life.



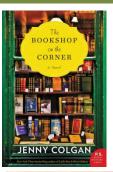
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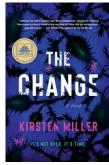
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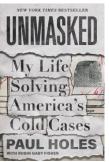
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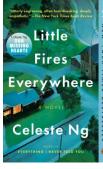


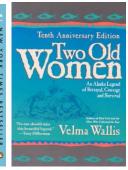




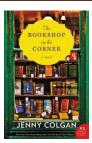








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The bookshop on the corner: a novel

by Jenny Colgan

A "literary matchmaker" who takes joy in pairing readers with perfect books moves from the city to a sleepy village where she becomes a bookmobile driver and rediscovers her senses of adventure and home while searching for a happy ending of her own.



Gory Stories, September 6 | 12:00 p.m.

Dead air: the disappearance of Jodi Huisentruit

by Beth Bednar

On her way to work one summer morning, a beautiful young television anchorwoman vanishes without a trace. Precious little evidence remains: only her car and a few puzzling clues. Peer behind the scenes of this true crime story, and uncover

the cold case file of Jodi Huisentruit, the Iowa anchorwoman who mysteriously disappeared.



Readers Rendezvous, September 21 | 1:00 p.m.

Persuasion

by Jane Austen

Twenty-seven-year old Anne Elliot is happily betrothed to a naval officer, Frederick Wentworth, but she precipitously breaks off the engagement when persuaded by her family.

From the Youth Librarian's Desk



The summer of June

by Jamie Sumner

During the summer, 12-year-old June sets out to beat her anxiety with the help of a poetry-citing soccer star who believes in her, even when she doesn't believe in herself.

What Book Cubs are Reading Now...



Little fires everywhere: a novel

by Celeste Ng

Fighting an ugly custody battle with an artistic tenant who has little regard for the strict rules of their progressive Cleveland suburb, a straitlaced family woman who is seeking to adopt a baby becomes obsessed with exposing the tenant's past, only to trigger devastating consequences for both of their families.



Be not far from me

by Mindy McGinnis

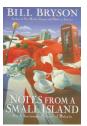
Feeling more at home in the woods than under a roof, Ashley finds the limits of her survival abilities tested when a betrayal and an accident strand her in untracked territory.



Gone

by Lisa Gardner

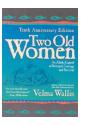
When his partner, Rainie, vanishes during her investigation into the case of a foster child, who has disappeared, private detective and former FBI profiler Pierce Quincy enlists the aid of his daughter Kimberly, a rookie FBI agent, to uncover the truth about the case



Notes from a small island

by Bill Bryson

The author of Made in America combines social commentary and travel notes, irreverent wit and fond appreciation, in an account of life in and the land of Great Britain, his adopted home for the past two decades.



Two Old Women

by Velma Wallis

The retelling of a classic Alaskan legend about two elderly women abandoned by their tribe during a severe winter famine depicts their friendship, fierce determination, desperate struggle for survival, and ultimate need to forgive.