

### Raising Hare

by Chloe Dalton  
Biography Dalton

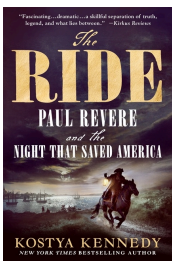
**Nonfiction.** Chloe Dalton, political advisor and speechwriter, spent lockdown far away from her usual busy London life deep in the English countryside raising a wild baby hare. **B, eA, eB, LP**



### The Vanishing Place

by Zoë Rankin  
F Rankin

**Mystery.** Growing up with her younger siblings in the unforgiving New Zealand bush, Effie believed their parents had cut them off from civilization because they loved nature. Their reasons might be more menacing. **B, eA, eB, LP**



### The Ride

by Kostya Kennedy  
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**Nonfiction.** Fresh research into archives, family letters, diaries, and contemporary accounts reveals Revere's ride to be more complex than it is usually portrayed. **B, eA, eB**



### The Wolf Tree

by Laura McCluskey  
F McCluskey

**Mystery.** Three lighthouse keepers disappeared in 1919, a mystery that was never solved. When a young man is found dead at the foot of the same lighthouse, two Glasgow detective inspectors are sent to investigate. **B, eA, eB**



### The River Has Roots

by Amal El-Mohtar  
F El-Mohtar

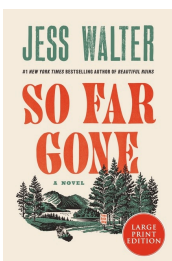
**Sci-Fi & Fantasy.** In the small town of Thistleford, on the edge of Faerie, the Hawthorn family tend and harvest the enchanted willows and honor an ancient compact to sing to them in thanks for their magic. Then Esther rejects a forceful suitor in favor of a lover from Faerie, risking everything. **B, eA, eB, LP**



### The Women of Wild Hill

by Kirsten Miller  
F Miller

**Fiction.** Tragedy scattered the Duncan sisters. Now they have been brought home to discover their family legacy. To reclaim their heritage, they must face old wounds, long-buried secrets, and the ties that bind them. **B, eA, eB, LP**



### So Far Gone

by Jess Walter  
F Walter

**Fiction.** Rhys Kinnick, a failed husband and father, emerges from isolation into a broken world to track down his missing daughter and save his sweet, precocious grandchildren from the members of a dangerous militia. **B, eA, eB, LP**



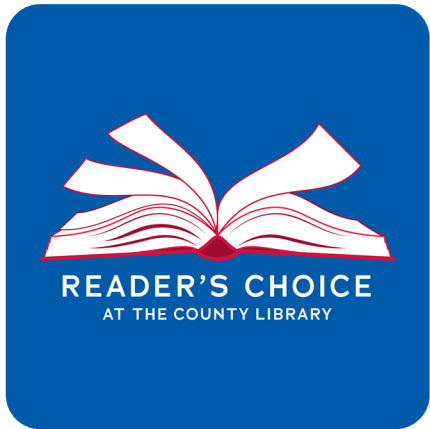
### You Are Fatally Invited

by Ande Pliego  
F Pliego

**Mystery.** Six thriller authors are invited to a retreat. Then a guest turns up dead. With the body count rising, Mila must outwit a killer who knows literally every trick in the book. **B, eA, eB**

# Adult

# Reader's Choice



## Nominees

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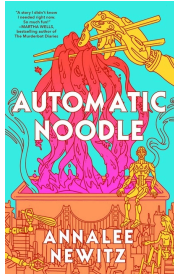
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**B:** Book **eA:** eAudiobook **eB:** eBook  
**LP:** Large Print **Sp:** Spanish

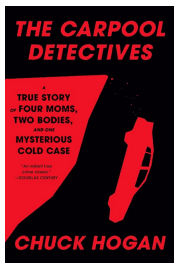


## Automatic Noodle

by Annalee Newitz

F Newitz

**Sci-Fi & Fantasy.** When a group of deactivated robots come back online in an abandoned ghost kitchen, they decide to make their own way doing what they know: making food—the tastiest hand-pulled noodles around. **B, eA, eB**

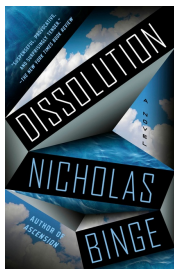


## The Carpool Detectives

by Chuck Hogan

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**Nonfiction.** The incredible true story of a group of moms who, united by a search for new purpose, attempt to solve a 15-year-old double murder. **B, eA, eB**



## Dissolution

by Nicholas Binge

F Binge

**Sci-Fi & Fantasy.** Maggie Webb learns her husband Stanley isn't just losing his memories. Someone is actively removing them to hide a long-buried secret from coming to light. **B, eA, eB, LP**

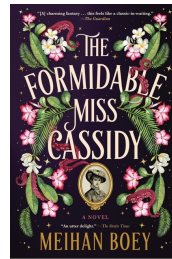


## The Favorites

by Layne Fargo

F Fargo

**Fiction.** A shocking incident at the Olympic Games ends Kat and Heath's legendary skating and personal partnership. As the 10-year anniversary approaches, an unauthorized documentary reignites public interest. **B, eA, eB, LP, Sp**

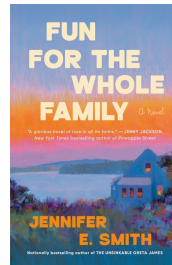


## The Formidable Miss Cassidy

by Meihan Boey

F Boey

**Sci-Fi & Fantasy.** A Scottish governess arrives in Singapore to take up her new post, only to find a host of paranormal problems await that require her very unique skills. **B, eA, eB**



## Fun for the Whole Family

by Jennifer E. Smith

F Smith

**Fiction.** The four Endicott siblings were once inseparable, but haven't spoken in years. Then one, now a famous actress, summons them to a small town in North Dakota. **B, eA, eB, LP**



## Grace & Henry's Holiday Movie Marathon

by Matthew Norman

F Norman

**Romance.** Grace and Henry both lost their spouses. Now, nearly a year later, the first holiday season approaches. Although their mothers scheme to matchmake the two, neither is ready to date again. **B, eA, eB**



## Harlem Rhapsody

by Victoria Christopher Murray

F Murray

**Fiction.** Jessie Redmon Fauset has been named the literary editor of *The Crisis*. The first Black woman to hold this position at a preeminent Negro magazine, Jessie is poised to achieve literary greatness. **B, eA, eB, LP**



## House of Monstrous Women

by Daphne Fama

F Fama

**Horror.** If Josephine wins Hiraya's game, she'll get her heart's desires. Josephine has heard Hiraya is a witch and her family spits curses, but Josephine is desperate to change her destiny. **B, eA, eB**



## If It Makes You Happy

by Julie Olivia

F Olivia

**Romance.** While running a bed and breakfast in Copper Run, Vermont, a divorcee is distracted by the handsome and charming single father who lives next door. **B, eA, eB**



## The Inheritance

by Trisha Sakhlecha

F Sakhlecha

**Mystery.** A billionaire is primed to announce the succession plan for his company to his family at a lavish reunion, but at least one person won't make it through the week alive. Most family reunions end in tears. This one will end in murder. **B, eA, eB, LP**



## The Odds of You

by Kate Dramis

F Dramis

**Romance.** Sage was a data analyst until she decided to pursue her dream of becoming an author. One bestseller and a struggling second book later, she isn't sure she'll ever write a novel again. Then she meets Theo Sharp, a breakout actor on the cusp of fame. **B, eA, eB**