

SUMMER READING

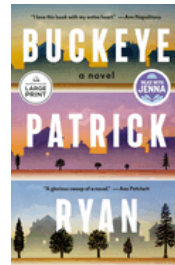
For Adults
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The Land in Winter

by Andrew Miller (F MIL)

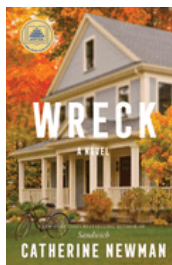
December 1962: In a village deep in the English countryside, two neighboring couples begin the day. Local doctor Eric Parry commences his rounds in the village while his pregnant wife, Irene, wanders the rooms of their old house, mulling over the space that has grown between the two of them.



Buckeye

by Patrick Ryan (F RYA)

In postwar Ohio, a stolen moment between Cal Jenkins and Margaret Salt reverberates through generations, as a small town's buried secrets and a wife's spiritual gift expose the longing for love and goodness.



Wreck

by Catherine Newman (F NEW)

In Western Massachusetts, Rocky juggles family life with her husband, adult children and aging father, until her fixation on a local accident and an ominous medical concern stirs up anxieties that threaten to upend her fragile sense of normalcy.



The Librarians

by Sherry Thomas (MYS THO)

When two patrons die after a themed game night, four Austin librarians--each guarding painful secrets--must overcome mistrust and unite to protect their beloved library, unraveling a mystery that threatens the refuge they've built and the fragile peace they've found.



The Black Wolf

by Louise Penny (MYS PEN)

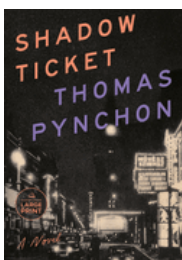
Weeks after foiling an attack in Montréal and arresting the so-called Black Wolf, Chief Inspector Armand Gamache, confined by his injuries to Three Pines, quietly leads a covert investigation with agents Beauvoir and Lacoste, fearing the conspiracy he uncovered is only a deliberate misdirection.



Gone Before Goodbye

by Reese Witherspoon (MYS WIT)

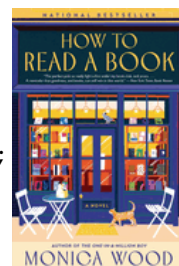
Maggie McCabe, a disgraced former combat surgeon, is offered a secretive second chance by a top plastic surgeon. When her mysterious patient vanishes mid-treatment, Maggie must go on the run to avoid becoming the next victim in a dangerous game of secrets and survival.



Shadow Ticket

by Thomas Pynchon (MYS PYN)

Milwaukee 1932, private eye Hicks McTaggart searches for a Wisconsin cheese fortune heiress, but he's shanghaied onto a transoceanic liner to Hungary; before he finds her he will be entangled with Nazis, Soviet agents, British counterespies, swing musicians, practitioners of the paranormal and outlaw motorcyclists.



How to Read a Book

by Monica Wood (F WOO)

After being released from prison for a fatal drunk-driving accident, a young woman's life intersects at a Portland bookstore with a retired prison book club leader and the grieving husband of the victim, sparking a transformative journey of forgiveness and second chances.