

Newsletter from Friends of the Ripley Library

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Friends of the Ripley Library Welcome You

NOTE:

New Temporary Hours of Operation

Open Tues & Thurs

10am-3pm for pickup only

Monday 10 - 5 Tuesday 10 - 7:30 Wednesday 10 - 5 Thursday 10 - 5 Friday 10 - 5 Saturday 9 -2 Sunday Closed

Ready? Set? GO!

Construction, at long last, is set to begin on August 3rd! But first we'd like to thank those wonderful volunteers who came to help move everything out of the library! Without them we would have had to pay the construction company extra for them to remove items.

A BIG THANK YOU to:

Lew Barnes Elias Quintero

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Mike Probst

Stephanie Feiss, Nancy McIntosh and Rhonda Thompson for their unfailing dedication and hard work on this project.



Friends of the Library Meeting: Friday, August 28 at 10a.m. At Coffee on Main



John Thompson

The first round of volunteers removed all the shelving and most of the furniture from the library and stored it in the container behind the library. The second round packed everything up and moved it to waiting pickup trucks to be stored at Richard & Stephanie Eimers' facility on Main Street.

Boxes at the ready, waiting to be filled.



Teresa and Stephanie packing, moving, toting, sweating...



Packing on a sweltering hot day



Books, books, and more books



Some of our book collection in their temporary home.



Looking Good on https://www.ripleylibrary.org

Looking for something new to check out on the web? Try scrolling down to the bottom of the Ripley library website (listed above) and click on Virtual Tours/Cams. There you will find a large selection of Aquariums, Museums and Zoos. These virtual tours have so much to see and do with information and activities for the entire family. Should anyone have a favorite virtual tour that we could share with our viewers, please send an email to thebookworm14775@gmail.com. We will consider all entries.

FOL Update

It's time to update our email listing for the Friends of the Library. Anyone who would like to remain or be added to our list to receive any updates, messages, planned group meetings or fundraiser information is being asked to send their names and email addresses to: thebookworm14775@gmail.com. Thank you.

Among Friends

Nancy McIntosh

The Friends of the Library held their most recent meeting at Coffee on Main on July 8th. It was wonderful to see everyone's smiling faces as we exchanged stories of our trials and tribulations throughout the past few Covid months. Everyone appeared a little worn but none the worse for 🐫 wear.

Discussion included plans and changes for the upcoming months. Regrettably, the Christmas Trivia in July has been cancelled. The Family Fun Run/Scavenger Hunt, currently planned for late September, remains undetermined at this time due to the virus. The Annual Auction, scheduled in November, is still on track as this year we hope to add an exciting online auction, allowing our Auction to proceed even if we are restricted on location.

As always, the Friends group welcomes any newcomers to join us. Call the library at 736-3913 for more details.

From the Director's Desk

By Rhonda Thompson

It has been so nice being able to serve patrons even in the limited capacity as curbside. At least we get to talk to you and take books out to you. Perhaps in a few months we will be able to do much more.

That said, it is time to let you in on what we have been doing for the last month. The library has been boxed up and shelves torn down. These items have made it over to the old post office for safe keeping. An enormous thank you goes out to Richard and Stefanie Eimers for allowing us to use their building. We purchased a storage container, but it only held about 25% of the space we would need.

We also held a yard sale to help get rid of some items we didn't need, but perhaps were of some use to someone else. We also set some items out for free. Thank you to everyone who stopped and bought something. Your purchase allows us to make a bit of money and free up some space.

This has all been done in order to prepare for the long awaited renovations to the library. They will be starting very soon. As of right now, I am unsure of exactly when the contractor will be

here, but likely within the last few days of July. I cannot wait. We have been working on this for so long, from the start of writing the first grant and the start of the fundraising. It will be so nice to finally see this come to fruition.

It does not end here though. We will have to resume fundraising soon in order to meet the 25% plus of the grants we applied for. Be watching for some events as time goes on and activities can be held safely and Covid-19 hopefully fades away.

The library will stay with a curbside pickup through this phase of the renovations. Once we can move bookshelves and books back into the library we will open back up to the public to come on in. We will still have to social distance, wear masks and sanitize your hands and everything else, but at least we will be able to open back up. It will be so wonderful to operate as a regular functioning library again!

The amount of work that has been done is crazy, almost impossible when you think about it. Please read the other sections of the newsletter to see our appreciation for those who gave of their time, muscle, sweat and equipment to make this possible. When you get to come into the library again it will all be due to these wonderful people.

Join a Board Meeting

If you are interested in virtually joining a Ripley Public Library Board meeting, please contact the director, Rhonda Thompson, 716-736-3913 with your email address and you can be sent a link to the meeting. Or you can email her at director@ripleylibrary.org Leave a message. We will return your call.

Ripley Writer's Group

Our budding authors have been on hiatus since the COVID-19 outbreak, but that doesn't mean they have stopped writing. Hopes are they can get back together this fall. If you'd like to join this talented group of writers for some tips or encouragement with your own writing, let the library know by calling 716-736-3913.

We Get Letters

Every so often The Bookworm receives a letter or email telling us of the good things we're doing. The Director received the following letter and would like to share it with you. We're so glad to know our efforts help, especially during this COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Good morning!

Hope you're staying safe & healthy! I wanted to take a sec and let you know what a great resource your library's web page https://www.ripleylibrary.org/virtual-tours has been for my family... My mother moved in with us just before the COVID outbreak and with twin 9 year olds we definitely had our hands full LOL. But we were able to get some AWESOME resources to use while everyone was stuck at home during quarantine thanks to your links...especially the virtual field trip resources! My girls loved exploring the Boston Children's museum.. it's great granddaughter/grandma bonding time too!

The girls suggested that we send a thank-you note...or e-mail haha. But it does feel like a good time to show gratitude and put some positivity into the world so here we are =) Thank you!!

We also wanted to share another good resource to return the favor, so the girls and their Nana all picked out a neat article about museums in Dubai, at https://www.bayut.com/mybayut/best-museums-dubai-list/. Their older sister studied abroad in Dubai last year and they loved hearing all her stories.. They thought you'd want to add this to your virtual museum resources, for other people to learn from this summer! Hopefully it's helpful..

Thanks again, and have a good day. If you're able to use their suggestion on your page I'll be sure to show them.. everyone was so excited to see if you liked it so I think they'll be proud seeing it there haha. Stay safe and have a wonderful summer! Thanks.

From The Bookworm Staff: Thank you for writing to us! We can't wait to explore the website you suggested!

Fun in the Kitchen With Rhonda Thompson Zucchini Fritters

Are you a cuisine artist? Maybe you just like to get creative in the kitchen. I do. My family has suffered through many of my experiments. Some okay, others not so much. Some have even been keepers.

I was playing around with some zucchini the other day and realized how much I hated frying them. They taste very good that way, but what a pain.... dipping in the egg mixture, then dipping in crumbs then put in the frying pan, cook to a golden brown, flip the dumb things then repeat. Take them out of the pan drain on paper towels, add more grease (not good for you) and start again.

So I said to myself... "self, there has to be a better way". So I grated the zucchini, mixed it with egg and some spices. Then I added some cracker crumbs.

(I use cracker crumbs instead of bread crumbs, I just like them better) You could even try instant mashed potatoes, maybe even the flavored ones.

They were very sticky but I made patties out of them and fried them in very little grease. You could even put them in the oven, but I would still grease the pan. I cooked them until golden brown on each side and they were very good. They did not taste like fried zucchini, but they are more like a zucchini fritter. My husband insisted he tasted corn, but there was no corn in them. It was fun, they were easy and tasted good even cold out of the fridge.

Since this first time of doing this, I made zucchini fritters again and added some fresh corn, green peppers and a small amount of onion. These were good too. What amazes me is how good they are cold. They can be used as a snack to just grab and go. You should try them out. Put your own spin on them. Let us know what your creations turn out to be.

In this election year it is more important than ever to understand the process of politics. As much as we hope our politicians are honorable and working in our best interests, it isn't always that easy. The following is part of a series of articles written by Mary Ellen Humphrey who served as both a state representative and senator.

Adventures in Politics Land

By Mary Ellen Humphrey, former State House and Senate Member

ABOVE THE FOLD

Every unique environment has its own jargon. When I arrived at the State House, it was a whole new world, with its unique words and phrases. ABOVE THE FOLD was an important one, which I learned when I sponsored a bill for someone.

This gentleman came to my office shortly after I was elected to the Senate. "I'd like you to sponsor a bill for me," he said.

He was an older gentleman who lived in a different senate district. "Why aren't you asking your own senator to sponsor your bill?" I asked.

He explained that the bill had been sponsored several times and always failed. Apparently he'd read about me in the newspaper and decided I was the right one to sponsor his bill in hopes of success this time.

He explained that he had four sons and when he passed away, he wanted his sons to take his body and bury him in his home-made pine coffin in their family burial plot on his own land. He did not want to be forced to use a funeral parlor. I was struck by his sincerity.

I asked why the bill failed in the past. Turned out funeral parlors opposed it, and the hospital association had concerns about dead bodies in the custody of grieving relatives. We strategized how to deal with the opposition, and I

agreed to sponsor his bill.

To my surprise many people shared his view-point and the public hearing was filled with supporters. The funeral parlors opposed it and there was no convincing them otherwise, but the hospital association decided, considering new evidence we provided, they would remain neutral, albeit expressing concerns. People spoke about the olden days when houses had wider doors to allow for at-home funerals, and how normal it was to take care of loved ones who passed away. The bill passed out of the Senate unanimously. Even the Senate president stepped aside briefly to register his supporting vote.

The newspapers picked up the story perhaps as a bit of political respite from the more challenging and partisan issues that session. Front page articles ran statewide with clever captions like "Senator Sponsors Bill to Conduct Own Funeral."

My mentor, Howard, told me "ABOVE THE FOLD – Good job!" As usual he laughed when I looked at him quizzically. Apparently politicians want to be on the top of the front page in newspapers, above the fold, where people will at least see the headlines.

The bill ran into obstacles in the House, but with a lot of work and patience, it eventually passed. The day after it was signed into law by the governor, I arrived at my office to find a beautiful plant and a thank you note. In all my tenure as a legislator, he was the only one who actually thanked me. His note said, "I knew you'd get it done." Perhaps it was all those articles ABOVE THE FOLD.

Virtual Visits

While we're still semi-quarantined there is still a lot to do and places to see. You can explore dozens of museums, aquariums, and zoos around the world without leaving home.

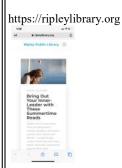
Let's take a sample trip! Go to https://www.ripleylibrary.org then scroll down to the bottom of the page where it says Resources.

At the bottom of the Resources list is Virtual Tours/Cams. Click on that and explore the list of places you can go. Just for fun, let's go to the list of Zoos and click on The Cincinnati Zoo. From there you can explore their Facebook page, or you can click the zoo's link (http://cincinnatizoo.org) to be taken to their home page. Close the Reopen Policies window.

Want to hear a lion roar? Click on Animals at the bottom of the home page, then click on the A-Z tab, where all the animals are listed alphabetically. Oh! There's the African Lion! Click on him to read about lions and listen to a clip of lions roaring.

You and your child can spend hours exploring and perhaps learn a bit along the way! To quote Dr. Seuss, "Oh, the places you'll go!"

Screen Shots to Guide You!















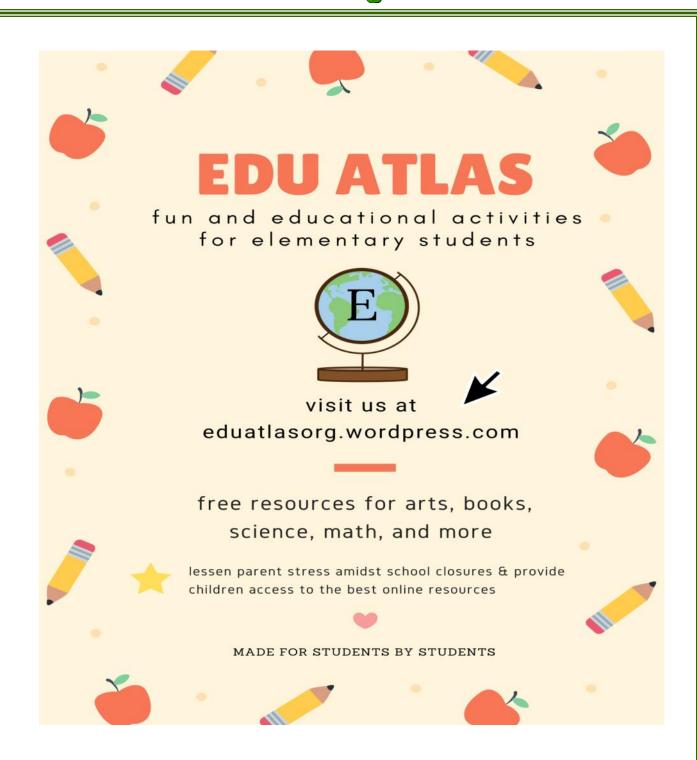












Out of ideas of what to do with your kids during the summer months? Your local library has come to the rescue once again. Check out the above website for exciting activities that will keep your child occupied for hours while continuing their education during the summer months. (Don't tell them they're learning!)

My Choice

By Sharon McIntosh

Periodically I like to return to a favorite author for a good comfortable read. This month, the author is Debbie Macomber and the title is **Starting Over**.

Libby Morgan had worked relentlessly and exhaustively for six years in a corporate law office, made a name for herself by going over and above what she thought was expected of her, working long hours and taking files home with her.

When her boss called her into his office, she was ready and eager for the promotion to full partner that she had been dreaming of. Instead, he told her that because of the economic downturn, he had to pare some of the staff and she no longer had a job. He further told her that another reason she was being let go was because she hadn't brought in enough paying customers. He told her she needed to use her time off to regroup and "get a life". He softened this somewhat by saying that she needed to find a purpose and a cause and that work wasn't everything.

Libby returned to a small town outside Seattle, WA and made friends with the staff of a yarn shop, took up knitting caps for preemies, befriended the shop owner's daughter and her teen-age friend. Libby volunteered at the local hospital to rock preemies, met a Doctor and made more friends.

Learning to knit, making friends outside of work, becoming more aware of everyday problems and helping others along the way provide an interesting and satisfying read.

Time to Show You Care

The coronavirus has placed a great deal of stress on us all. Some people have gone above and beyond in their response during these troubling times.

To show your gratitude, here is a great activity for parents to teach their children how to appreciate the people who care for us.

Brighten the day of these special caregivers. Copy and paste this website (eduatlasorg.wordpress.com). Then let the games begin.

Each child can show off their creative talents while showing how much they care.



BOOK CLUB IS BACK!

The Silent Patient by Alex Michaelides

The Book Club will meet at Coffee on Main on Friday, August 7th at 10 a.m. to discuss *The Silent Patient*. We will meet outside on the deck, weather permitting.

September's Book Club selection is *Nights in Rodanthe* by Nicholas Sparks.

How to Beat the Heat

The summer months often bring very hot and humid weather. Not everyone has the luxury of air conditioning. While the Ripley Library was often an escape from the heat, this year, due to the virus and upcoming renovations, the doors remain closed to the public as a means of cooling off.

Instead, the following suggestions may help you keep cooler:

- Run fans to keep the air circulating
- Don't cook inside try grilling and a variety of salads and fresh fruits
- Keep your windows covered during the heat of the day
- Go underground your basements may be 10 degrees cooler
- Stick your sheets in the freezer for awhile before making up the bed
- Wear loose clothing
- Place a shallow pan full of ice in front of a fan
- Add ice packs or cold compresses to pulse points at neck, wrists, elbows and ankles
- Decrease your intake of alcohol beverages, sugar and caffeine
- Drink lots of water
- Consider using a spray bottle filled with water for refreshing spritzes
- Try to get your work done in the early morning when possible
- Enjoy a good book while relaxing
- Keep your pets cool with a bath or shower that will lower their body temperatures.

Enjoy the summer while keeping as cool as possible!



Helpful Hints

Make your own Laundry Soap

Would you like to save money? Want to stretch your dollars further? Well, you can if you make your own laundry soap. I have done this for a very long time and then one day I ran out. I had to buy a bottle of laundry detergent. I was shocked at the price. This was not something I had budgeted into my shopping for a while.

Here is the recipe:

4 cups of very hot tap water

1 cup of washing soda (available in most stores for about \$4.00)

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of borax (also available in most stores for about \$4.50)

1 bar of Fels Naptha soap (available in most stores for about \$1.00)

1 five-gallon bucket

Heat 4 cups of water in a large pot (I actually use more water than this, I usually use about 2-3 quarts) add washing soda and borax to hot water and begin heating on medium heat.

Grate the bar of Fels Naptha soap and add to the heating mixture. Continue heating until the soap has melted. Fill the five-gallon bucket about half full of hot tap water. Add the heated soap mixture to the water. Stir until well mixed. Then fill to the top of the bucket and let sit overnight. The laundry soap will thicken as it cools and becomes almost gelatinous. I like to mix it all up with my hands as it feels cool. You can use a large spoon or paddle to do this, but you will miss the gratifying feeling of playing in the soap. (Good clean fun)

Use about ³/₄ cup of soap for each load of clothes. Something to be aware of though is it will not suds up like regular laundry soap. This does not mean it is not working or cleaning, it just makes it easier to rinse the clothes thoroughly.

If you want to add fragrance just use a few drops of essential oil in each bucket. You can put the detergent in old bottles if you want. Just shake well before using. I keep mine in the bucket I made it in and stir it with a large stirring stick. You can use any usual laundry additive like bleach or OxiClean.

Go ahead have some good clean fun. Make your own laundry detergent and save yourself some money.

August New Books

ADULT FICTION

Ahern/If You Could See Me Now

Allende/A Long Petal of the Sea

Avon/Sweet Tea & Secrets

Brown/The Empty Nesters

Costeloe/The Lost Soldiers

Cussler/The Rising Sea

Diffenbaugh/The Language of Flowers

Dobson/Memories of Glass

Donlea/Some Choose Darkness

Grainger/The Tour

Grisham/The Appeal

Jen/The Resisters

Kelly/The Unlikely Master Genius

Kidd/The Book of Longings

Lake/The Last Lie

Lessing/The Grass is Singing

Mandel/The Glass Hotel

Mosley/Down the River unto the Sea

Musser/Searching for Eternity

O'Neal/The Art of Inheriting Secerts

Patterson/Texas Outlaw

Petch/The Tuscan Secret

Price/Ettie Smith Amish Mysteries 1-6

Proulx/The Shipping News

Reasoner/Six-Gun Law

Riley/The Italian Girl

Steel/Lost and Found

Wetmore/Valentine

Wiseman/Amish Celebrations

ADULT NONFICTION

Beattie/Fit for Heaven

Brokaw/BOOM!

Canfield/Chicken Soup for the Recovering Soul

Coe/You Never Forget Your First

Kissel/The Last Book on the Left

Kolker/Inside the Mind of an American Family

Miller/Know My Name

Rubenhold/The Five

Simpson/Open Book

ADULT LARGE PRINT

Coyle/Brewed Awakening

Gappah/Out of Darkness, Shining Light

Hiller/The Butcher

Huber/This Side of Murder

Mantel/Bring Up the Bodies

Westhoff/Fentanyl, INC

PAPERBACKS

Ahern/P.S. I Love You

Bradford/Emma's Secret

Byler/BIG Decisions

Connolly/A Killer Crop

Elliott/Murder by the Book

Goldberg/Mr. Monk Goes to Germany

Harris/Deadly Exchange

Holmes/Clock and Dagger

YOUNG ADULT

Clare/Chain of Gold

Collins/The Ballad of Songbirds and Snakes

Duncan/Ruthless Gods

Jackson/Good Girl's Guide to Murder

JUNIOR BOOKS

Brezenoff/The Zombie Who Visited New Orleans

Brown/Lola Levine is Not Mean

Kim/Constellations

Kirby/Captain Awesome and the Mummy's Treasure

Maddox/Second Shot

Miedoso/Desmond Cole Ghost Patrol

Roy/The Jaguar's Jewel

Tarshis/I Survived the Attack of the Grizzlies, 1967

EASY READERS

Arnold/Hooray for Fly Guy

Burton/Mike Mulligan and his Steam Shovel

Lennon/Heal the World

McPhail/A Bug, A Bear, and a Boy

Stein/POUCH!

Urbanovic/Happy Go Ducky

Ward/Cookie's Week

AUDIOBOOKS

Clark/Cursed

Kanon/The Accomplice

Ryan/Echo

Storey/Oil and Marble

MOVIES

Any Which Way You Can

Imagine That

Wavne's World

Salt

Deliverance

The Sopranos- The Complete Fifth Season

Bad Timing?

If a class or event is taking place at a bad time for you, please call the Ripley Library (716-736-3913) and request a time that is convenient for you. The Library tries to make events available to as many people as possible. Don't be left out!

Quilting & Sewing

The Ripley Library Quilters have been busy. They meet on **Thursdays at 1 pm**. If you've never tried quilting, there are seasoned quilters available to help you. If you are experienced, join in the social side of quilting.

Any sewing project is welcome as well. Open to all levels.

Come sew or quilt!

Meeting Space Available

Until such time as the Library renovations are finished, meeting space is limited. Please check with the library if you need a space to meet. (716)736-3913

Knitters and Crocheters meet every Tuesday between 3-7:30 pm. Learn from experienced knitters or bring your own projects to work on.

Open Craft Can't make it for scheduled craft times? Come on in **Thursdays at 10:30 am.** Bring whatever craft you are working on and settle in with the rest of the group. Knitting, painting, sewing - or whatever your area of interest. Everyone welcome!

Ripley Public Library Mission Statement

The mission of the Ripley Public Library is to promote life-long learning for all community residents, providing unrestricted free access to all printed and recorded material from its own collection as well as that of the Chautauqua-Cattaraugus Library System. The Library will endeavor to create a community center that provides so much more than information for all of those who ask questions and seek answers.

Please Note

All groups and activities have been suspended until further notice. COVID-19 guidelines are in effect and the Ripley Public Library is closed until the "self quarantine" is lifted. We hope to see you again soon!

Join Friends of the Library Now!

The Friends of the Ripley Library have made a huge difference in not only the library, but in the town as well. We need YOU to join us in doing something worthwhile that benefits our entire community. Membership is as simple as filling out your name, address and phone number and contributing a \$5 per year membership fee. No experience necessary, all ages are welcome. WE NEED YOU!

Thank you so much for your past support. We hope you will become a member and contribute to another great year.

| Friends of the Ripley Library Application |
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| Name: Mailing Address: |
| S Town/ZIP: |
| Phone Number: (Home)Cell: |
| Email Address: |
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| Dues are \$5 annually in January |
| Print this portion and return it to the library, or pick up a form at the library desl |
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Email Newsletter

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*Also now available—The Bookworm and About Town on the library website https://www.ripleylibrary.org

Library Calendar of Events

- Friends of the Library meeting Thursday, August 27, 10a.m. at Coffee of Main
- Curbside pickup will be Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10a.m. til 3p.m.



Please note: all letter and/or emails to the Library and staff MUST be signed. Those without a signature will not be recognized. Names will be omitted, to protect privacy, if published.

Notes & Things

The following pages list the book and movie titles still available at the Ripley Library, even while renovation goes on. The library has over 600 titles to choose from. This is just a fraction of the total collection that will be available when construction is done. We appreciate your continued patronage!

The Library is still looking for someone to fill the one-year opening on the Board of Trustees.

If you are interested, please send a letter of interest to:

Director Ripley Public Library P.O.Box 808 Ripley, NY 14775

OR director@ripleylibrary.org

Books Available to be Checked Out Alphabetical by Author

Adult Fiction

Ahern / P.S. I Love You Arbor / The Pursuit

Armstrong / The Unsuspected Atwood / The Blind Assassin Atwood / The Testaments Baldacci / One Good Deed

Baldacci / A Minute to Midnight

Baldacci / Redemption

Baldwin / If Beale Street Could Talk

Barclay / Never Look Back

Beck / Lost You Bell / Cemetery Girl

Berenson / The Midnight House

Berg / Open House

Blanchard / Traces of Evil

Benedict, L / The Stranger Inside

Benedict, M / The Only Women in the Room

Bohjalian / The Flight Attendant

Boone / Lake of Destiny

Box / Bitterroots

Box / Forces of Nature Box / Force of Nature

Brackston / The Winter Witch Brough / The Prussian Captain Brown / The Family Journal Brown / The Lost Symbol

Brunstetter / Women of Courage

Bryndza / Nine Elms Bunn / Gold of Kings Carey / Victory Girls

Carey / The Other Side of the Street

Carey / Lavender Road Carey / Some Sunny Day Case / The Syndrome

Chevalier / Burning Bright

Child / Blue Moon

Clipston / A Place at our Table Clipston / An Amish Reunion Clipston / Amish Sweethearts

Clipston / Room On the Porch Swing Clipston / An Amish Christmas Gift

Coates / The Water Dancer Colgan / The Cafe' by the Sea

Colvin / Africaville

Connelly / The Night Fire

Connelly / The Concrete Blond Connelly / The Fifth Witness Connelly / Chasing the Dime Cooper / Good Guys Love Dogs Crichton / Pirate Latitudes Cummins / American Dirt Cussler / The Titanic Secret Cussler / Journey of the Pharaohs

Cussler / Crescent Dawn Cussler / The Oracle

Dare / The Girl with the Louding Voice

Dean / There'll be Blue Skies Dengler / The Shamrock Shore

Devine / Desired

Dickson / Our Last Goodbye

Diffenbaugh / The Language of Flowers Dobson / Hidden Among the Stars

Ducharme / The Outer Banks
Dugoni / Damage Control

Duke / It All Comes Back to You Egan / A Visit from the Goon Squad

Esquivel / The Law of Love

Evanovich / Twisted Twenty-Two Evanovich / Twisted Twenty-Six Evanovich / The Big Kahuna

Evanovich / The Heist Farley / Nell and Lady

Feather / A Wicked Gentleman Ferrante / My Brilliant Friend Fisher / Minding the Light

Fletcher / The List

Fluke / Banana Cream Pie Murder Fluke / Chocolate Cream Pie Murder

Flynn / Kill Shot

Foley / The Hunting Party Fuller / Words from the Heart

Fuller / An Honest Love Fuller / A Hand to Hold Fuller / A Man of his Word Garrity / 44 Irish Short Stories

Gaylin / If I Die Tonight Giffin / Heart of the Matter

Gilbert / City of Girls

Goss / The Strange Case of the Alchemists

Daughter

Gould / A Plain Leaving Gould / A simple Singing

Grainger / Safe at the Edge of the World

Grainger / What Once was True

Grainger / The Homecoming of Bubbles

O'Leary

Grainger / So Much Owed

Grainger / The Star and the Shamrock Grainger / Under Heaven's Shining Star

Gray / The Protective One Gray / The Patient One

Gray / Grace

Green / Exact Revenge Green / An Orphan's Wish

Gregory / Tidelands

Grisham / Gray Mountain Grisham / The Guardians Grisham / Ford County

Grisham / The Street Lawyer Grisham / The Reckoning

Gudenkauf / The Weight of Silence Gunnis / The Girl in the Letter

Hannah / Fly Away

Harmon / The Smallest Part Harmon / Running Barefoot

Hart / The Warehouse

Hedlund / With You Always

Helluma / All That's Bright and Gone

Hilderbrand / Summer of '69 Hill / The Missing Ones Jance / Field of Bones Jay / When we Were Brave Jenoff / The Lost Girls of Paris Jio / All the Flowers in Paris

Kellerman / Trouble

Kellerman / The Wedding Guest

Kelly / Lost Roses

King / Full Dark, No Stars

King / 11/22/63 King / The Outsider

King / Cell

King / The Institute King / The Dark Half

Kinkade / On Christmas Eve Kinkade / A Season of Angels Krueger / This Tender Land

Kubica / The Good Girl

Lane / The Girls of Pearl Harbor

Lee / Emily and Einstein Letts / Where the Heart is Lewis / The Wish Lewis / The Tinderbox Lewis / The Mercy Lewis / The Road Home

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Patterson / Women of God

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Penny / Kingdom of the Blind

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Rimmer / The Things We Cannot Say

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Rollins / The Bone Labyrinth

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Steel / A Gift of Hope

Steel / Echoes

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Tyler / Redhead by the Side of the Road

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Walker / All is Not Forgotten

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White / Widow

White / Bone Deep

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Junior Books

Adler / The Scary Snake Mystery

Adler / Cam Janson: The Mystery at the Mon-

key House

Anderson / Gunpowder Girls Applegate / Roscoe Riley Rules #6 Benton / Dear Dumb Diary, Year Two

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Gipson / Old Yeller

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Klein / Homework Hassles

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Lord / Rules

Lowry / Messenger Manning / Pretty Things

Manning / Spiderman: Inside the World of

Your Friendly Neighborhood Hero

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Park / Junie B Jones has a Peep in her Pocket

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Paxton / Papa's Angels

Pilkey / Dogman and Catkid

Pilkey / Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot

Rix / Panda Panic

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Salisbury / Calvin Coconut: Dog Heaven

Sceiford / Sausage and Biscuit

Schmidt / Okay for Now

Spinelli / Stargirl

Stilton / The Hunt for the Colosseum Ghost

Stitt / Computer Virus

Sutherland / A Guide to the Universe

Tarshis / I Survived: The Children's Blizzard,

1888

Warner / The Boxcar Children Wheeler / Home in the Woods

Winkler / Hank Zipzer

Yolen / Animal Stories

Easy Readers

Appelt / Cowboy Dreams
Antony / I'll Wait Mr. Panda
Ashburn / I Has a Favorite Dress
Aspinall / Penguins Love Counting

Blabey / Unicorn Breen / Violet the Pilot

Brown / The Diggers

Bruel / A Bad Kitty Christmas Bruss / Good Morning Snowplow

Buzzeo / Little Loon Papa

DayWalt / The Day the Crayons Quit

Dean / Pete the Cat and the missing cupcakes

Elva / Oh No, Gotta Go

Faulkner / The Long Nosed Pig

Harrison / Bear is Awake Hawkinson / Snow What Fun

Hurley / Fetch

John / The Cool Bean Keats / The Snowy Day Kim / Cat on the Bus

Korman / The Hunchback of Notre Dame Krensky / Ben Franklin and his First Kite

Lehrhaupt / Chicken in Mittens

Maccarone / Pizza Party

Patterson / My No, No, No Day Pepin / Little Bear's New Friend Rolli / Just One More

Rosenburg / The Biggest, Most Beautiful

Christmas Tree

Sceiford / Sausage and Biscuit Sollinger / Who Bob What Pants? Srinivasan / Little Owl's Night Sullivan / Paw Patrol Ice Team Wick / I SPY Extreme Challenger

Wick / I SPY Treasure Hunt Willems / I Really Like Slop

Willems / Are You Ready to Play Outside

Willems / Happy Pig Day Willems / We Are in a Book

Willems / Should I Share my Ice Cream

Wheeler / Home in the Woods

Movies

16 Blocks

A Chorus Line A Dog's Journey A Walk to Remember

Aftermath

Akeelah and the Bee Along Came Polly Avengers End Game

BumbleBee

Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid

Casino

Dark Night Rises
Dolores Claiborne
Dr. Seuss The Grinch
E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial

Enough

Four Christmases

Godzilla Goldfinger

Goodnight of Justice

Gunfight at the O.K. Corral

Harriet

Hope Springs

I Don't Know How She Does It

Joker Ladder 49 Long Shot

Love's Long Journey

Megamind: The Button of Doom

Monster Family

Monster High Ghouls Rule

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The Help

The Little Drummer Boy The Man from Snowy River

The Marksman

The Mule

The Sixth Sense

The Sopranos/ The Complete 1st Season

The Sopranos/ The Complete 2nd Season

The Sopranos/ The Complete 3rd Season

The Sopranos/ The Complete 4th Season

The Women

Though None Go With Me

Twister

Unconditional Love

Willy Wonka and the Chocalate Factory

Wonder

Audio Books

Buck / The Good Earth

Child / Bad Luck and Trouble

Clancy / Dead or Alive

Cleeton / When We Left Cuba

Cussler / The Mayan Secrets

Evanovich / Full Bloom and Full Scoop

Furst / Under Occupation

Goldman / The Shallows

Gorzelanczzyk / Arrows

Grisham / A Time to Kill

Grisham / The Firm

Grisham / The Client

Hannah / Fly Away

Jackson / Tell Me

King / Lisey's Story

Kinsella / Can You Keep a Secret Kinsella / Shopaholic & Sister

Marlantes / Deep River

Matalin / Letters to my Daughters

Matzen / Dutch Girl Meyer / Heartless

Packer / The Children's Crusade

Palmer / A Heartbeat Away Patterson / Crazy House

Patterson / Humans, Bow Down Richardson / Troublesome Creek

Robb / Midnight in Death

Roberts / Chesapeake Bay Collection

Roberts / Year One

Taylor / An Irish Country Practice

Yancey / The 5th Wave Young / The Shack