Friends of Perry Public Library Book Discussion Group List of Titles

August 29, 2001 First Meeting "Bring A Book You Enjoyed"

September 25, 2001 Any book concerning local history or a local author

October 23, 2001 Any book by Ernest Hemingway

November 27, 2001 *Jeeves and the Tie that Binds* by P. G. Wodehouse

January 22, 2002 The Last Dance, a mystery by Ed McBain

February 26, 2002 Founding Brothers: The Revolutionary Generation by Joseph J Ellis

March 26, 2002 Empire Falls, a novel by Richard Russo

April 23, 2002 The Sweet Hereafter, a novel by Russell Banks

May 28, 2002 (May 21) The Tipping Point by Malcolm Gladwell

June 25, 2002 Girl with a Pearl Earring, a novel by Tracy Chevalier

July 20, 2002 The Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood, a novel by Rebecca Wells

August 27, 2002 The Aguero Sister, a novel by Cristina Garcia

September 24, 2002 Back Roads, a novel by Tawni O'Dell

October 22, 2002 Open Discussion

November 26, 2002 *Julie and Romeo*, a novel by Jeanne Ray

January 28, 2003 Behind the Scenes at the Museum, a novel by Kate Atkinson

February 25, 2003 Peace Like a River, a novel by Leif Enger A Tale for Three Counties #1

March 25, 2003 An American Childhood, an autobiography by Annie Dillard

April 22, 2003 Step-Ball-Change, a novel by Jeanne Ray
May 27, 2003 Falling Angels, a novel by Tracy Chevalier
June 24, 2003 Enemy Women, a novel by Paulette Jiles

July 22, 2003 The Girls' Guide to Hunting and Fishing, a novel by Melissa Bank August 26, 2003 Year of Wonders: A Novel of the Plague, by Geraldine Brooks

September 23, 2003 The Nanny Diaries, a novel by Emma McLaughlin and Nicola Kraus

October 28, 2003 Open Discussion

November 25, 2003 Balzac and the Little Chinese Seamstress, a novel by Dai Sijie

January 27, 2004 Skipping Christmas, a novel by John Grisham

February 24, 2004 Northern Borders, a novel by Howard Frank Mosher A Tale for Three

Counties #2

March 23, 2004 Too Close to the Falls, a memoir by Catherine Gildiner

April 27, 2004 The Lobster Chronicles: Life on a Very Small Island by Linda Greenlaw

May 25, 2004 *Memoirs of a Geisha*, a novel by Arthur Golden June 22, 2004 *The Secret Life of Bees*, a novel by Sue Monk Kidd

July 27, 2004 *Mystic River*, a novel by Dennis Lehane

August 24, 2004 The Great Gatsby, a novel by F. Scott Fitzgerald September 28, 2004 We are Our Mothers' Daughters, by Cokie Roberts

October 26, 2004 Open Discussion

November 23, 2004 *Life of Pi*, a novel by Yann Martel

January 25, 2005 The Alchemist: A Fable About Following Your Dreams, by Paulo Coelho February 22, 2005 In the Bleak Midwinter, a mystery by Julia Spencer-Fleming A Tale for

Three Counties #3

March 22, 2005 Plainsong, a novel by Kent Haruf

April 26, 2005 The Red Tent, a novel by Anita Diamant Eventide, a novel by Kent Haruf May 24, 2005 June 28, 2005 Nickel and Dimed: On (Not) Getting Ny in America, by Barbara Ehrenreich July 26, 2005 (Aug 2) March, a novel by Geraldine Brooks August 23, 2005 The White, a novel by Deborah Larsen (Based on Mary Jemison) September 27, 2005 Light on Snow, a novel by Anita Shreve October 25, 2005 Open Discussion November 22, 2005 Lazy B: Growing Up On A Cattle Ranch in the American Southwest, by Sandra Day O'Connor The Kite Runner, a novel by Khaled Hosseini January 24, 2006 February 28, 2006 A Northern Light, a novel by Jennifer Donnelly A Tale for Three Counties #4 Extremely Loud & Incredible Close, a novel by Jonathan Safran Foer March 28, 2006 April 25, 2006 The Weight of All Things, a novel by Sandra Benitez May 23, 2006 Animals in Translation: Using the Mysteries of Autism to Decode Animal Behavior, by Temple Grandin and Catherine Johnson June 27, 2006 The World to Come, a novel by Dara Horn July 25, 2006 Digging to America, a novel by Anne Tyler The Sunday Philosophy Club, a mystery by Alexander McCall Smith August 22, 2006 September 26, 2006 The DaVinci Code, a novel by Dan Brown Open Discussion October 24, 2006 November 28, 2006 The Rich Part of Life, a novel by Jim Kokoris (included a call-in w/ author) January 23, 2007 The Historian, a novel by Elizabeth Kostova February 27, 2007 An Unfinished Life, a novel by Mark Spragg A Tale for Three Counties #5 March 27, 2007 The Bookseller of Kabul, by Asne Seierstad April 24, 2007 *The Memory Keeper's Daughter,* a novel by Kim Edwards Mrs. Kimble, a novel by Jennifer Haigh May 22, 2007 The God of Animals, a novel by Aryn Kyle June 26, 2007 Galileo's Daughter: A Historical Memoir of Science, Faith, and Love, by Dava July 24, 2007 Sabol August 28, 2007 Water for Elephants, a novel by Sara Gruen September 25, 2007 Burning Bright, a novel by Tracy Chevalier October 23, 2007 Open Discussion November 27, 2007 *The Place in Between,* by Rory Stewart January 22, 2008 Bridge of Sighs, a novel by Richard Russo February 26, 2008 The Last Town on Earth, a novel by Thomas Mullen A Tale for Three Counties #6 Dream When You're Feeling Blue, a novel by Elizabeth Berg March 25, 2008 April 22, 2008 A Thousand Splendid Suns, a novel by Khaled Hosseini May 27, 2008 Case Histories, a novel by Kate Atkinson

June 28, 2008 People of the Book, a novel by Geraldine Brooks

July 22, 2008 Standing Tall: A Memoir of Tragedy and Triumph, by C. Vivian Stringer, with

Laura Tucker

August 26, 2008 Remember Me?, a novel by journalist Sophie Kinsella

September 23, 2008 **Poetry Sharing** Open Discussion October 28, 2008 This Land is Their Land, by Barbara Ehrenreich November 25, 2008 January 27, 2009 The Eyre Affair, a novel by Jasper Fforde February 24, 2009 Separate from the World: An Ohio Amish Mystery, by P. L. Gaus A Tale for **Three Counties #7** March 24, 2009 Three Cups of Tea: One Man's Mission to Promote Peace... One School at a Time, by Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin Dewey: The Small-Town Library Cat Who Touched the World by Vicki Myron, April 28, 2009 with Bret Witter May 26, 2009 The White Tiger, a novel by Aravind Adiga June 23, 2009 The Beekeeper's Apprentice (Mary Russell and Sherlock Holmes mystery #1) by Laurie R. King July 28, 2009 Enrique's Journey, a true story by journalist Sonia Nazario Be Creative-Bring any book that helps us to be more creative August 25, 2009 September 22, 2009 The Wordy Shipmates, by Sarah Vowell October 27, 2009 Open Discussion November 24, 2009 That Old Cape Magic, a novel by Richard Russo January 26, 2010 All Other Nights, a novel by Dara Horn February 23, 2010 The Art of Racing in the Rain, a novel by Garth Stein A Tale for Three Counties #8 March 23, 2010 Bel Canto, a novel by Ann Patchett April 27, 2010 Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide, by Nicholas D. Kristof and Sheryl WuDunn Half Broke Horses, a true-life novel by Jeannette Walls May 25, 2010 June 22, 2010 The Help, a novel by Kathryn Stockett A Tale of Two Cities, a novel by Charles Dickens July 27, 2010 The Shallows: What the Internet is Doing to Our Brains, by Nicholas Carr August 24, 2010 The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo, a novel by Stieg Larsson September 28, 2010 October 25, 2010 Open Discussion November 23, 2010 The Glass Castle, a memoir by Jeannette Walls January 25, 2011 *Five Quarters of the Orange,* a novel by Joanne Harris February 22, 2011 Mudbound, a novel by Hillary Jordan A Tale for Three Counties #9 March 22, 2011 Freedom, a novel by Jonathan Franzen The Imperfectionists, a novel by Tom Rachman April 26, 2011 May 24, 2011 The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie, a mystery by Alan Bradley June 28, 2011 Journey to Nowhere, a novel by Mary Jane Auch July 26, 2011 Finding Nouf, a mystery by Zoe Ferraris August 23, 2011 Among the Hidden, by Margaret Peterson Haddix September 27, 2011 Oliver Kitteridge, by Elizabeth Strout 10th Anniversary Dinner at Hole in the Wall Wed. October 19, 2011 October 25, 2011 Open Discussion

The Most Dangerous Thing, by Laura Lippman

Caleb's Crossing, a novel by Geraldine Brooks

November 22, 2011

January 24, 2012

February 28, 2012	The Call, a novel by Yannick Murphy A Tale for Three Counties #10
March 27, 2012	Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival, Resilience, and Redemption by Laura Hillenbrand
April 24, 2012	In the Garden of Beasts: Love, Terror, and an American Family in Hitler's Berlin,
11pm 24, 2012	by Erik Larson
May 22, 2012	Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet, a novel by Jamie Ford
June 26, 2012	Summer in a Glass: The Coming of Age of Winemaking in the Finger Lakes, by
June 20, 2012	Evan Dawson
July 24, 2012	When She Woke, a novel by Hillary Jordan
August 28, 2012	Nothing But the Truth, a documentary novel by Avi
September 25, 2012	The Scarlet Letter, by Nathaniel Hawthorne
October 23, 2012	Open Discussion
November 27, 2012	Housekeeping, a novel by Marilynne Robinson
January 22, 2013	Dandelion Wine, a novel by Ray Bradbury
February 26, 2013	May the Road Rise Up to Meet You, a novel by Peter Troy A Tale for Three
1 cordary 20, 2010	Counties #11
March 26, 2013	The Fault in Our Stars, a novel by John Green
April 23, 2013	Elsewhere, a memoir by Richard Russo
May 28, 2013	Butter, a novel by Anne Panning
June 25, 2013	Anna Karenina, a novel by Leo Tolstoy
July 23, 2013	My Beloved World, a memoir by Sonia Sotomayor
August 27, 2013	The Book Thief, a novel by Markus Zusak
September 24, 2013	The Silver Star, a novel by Jeannette Walls
October 22, 2013	Open Discussion
	20) A Guide for the Perplexed, a novel by Dara Horn
January 28, 2014	One Summer: America, 1927, by Bill Bryson
February 25, 2014	The Age of Miracles, a novel by Karen Thompson Walker A Tale for Three
1 columny 25, 2014	Counties #12
March 25, 2014	Little Bee, a novel by Chris Cleave
April 22, 2014	A Constellation of Vital Phenomena, a novel by Anthony Marra
May 27, 2014	This the Story of a Happy Marriage, personal essays by Ann Patchett
June 24, 2014	May postponed to June
July 22, 2014	Persepolis, a memoir told in graphic format by Marjane Satrapi
August 26, 2014	Still Life, a mystery by Louise Penny
September 23, 2014	Hard Choices, by Hillary Rodham Clinton
October 28, 2014	Open Discussion
November 25, 2014	A Fatal Grace, a Chief Inspector Armand Gamache mystery by Louise
	Penny
January 27, 2015	The Liar's Wife, four novellas by Mary Gordon
February 24, 2015	We Are Called to Rise, a novel by Laura McBride A Tale for Three Counties
•	#13
March 24, 2015	The Invention of Wings, a novel by Sue Monk Kidd
April 28, 2015	The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1926
	Berlin Olympics, by Daniel James Brown

May 26, 2015 Deep Down Dark, The Untold Stories of 33 Men Buried in a Chilean Mine, and

the Miracle That Set them Free, by Hector Tobar

June 23, 2015 The Traitor's Wife, by Allison Pataki July 28, 2015 The Tempest, by William Shakespeare

August 25, 2015 Bomb, The Race to Build—and Steal—the World's Most Dangerous

Weapon, by Steve Sheinkin

September 22, 2015 Go Set a Watchman, by Harper Lee

October 27, 2015 Open Discussion

November 24, 2015 A Spool of Blue Thread, a novel by Anne Tyler

January 26, 2016 Pride and Prejudice, by Jane Austen

February 23, 2016 Black River, by S. M. Hulse A Tale for Three Counties #14

March 22, 2016 Between the World and Me, by Ta-Nehisi Coates

April 26, 2016 Ghostbread, by Sonja Livingston
May 24, 2016 The Nightingale, by Kristin Hannah
June 28, 2016 Queen of the Fall, by Sonja Livingston

July 26, 2016 Twelfth Night, by Shakespeare

August 23, 2016 A Murder in Time, by Julie McElwain September 27, 2016 Everybody's Fool, by Richard Russo

October 25, 2016 Open Discussion

November 22, 2016 *Crenshaw*, by Katherine Applegate January 24, 2017 *Forward*, by Abby Wambach

February 28, 2017 438 Days, by Jonathan Franklin

March 28, 2017 A Man Called Ove, by Fredrik Backman

April 25, 2017 *Commonwealth,* by Ann Patchett May 23, 2017 *Heart of a Samurai,* by Margi Preus

June 27, 2017 Book of Joy, by Desmond Tutu and Dalai Llama

July 25, 2017 Romeo and Juliet, by William Shakespeare

August 22, 2017 Small Great Things, by Jodi Picoult September 26, 2017 Hillbilly Elegy, by J. D. Vance

October 24, 2017 Open Discussion

November 28, 2017 *Hidden Figures*, by Margot Shetterly

January 23, 2018 Trajectory, by Richard Russo

February 27, 2018 Astrophysics in a Hurry, by Neil DeGrasse Tyson

March 27, 2018 A Long Way Home, by Saroo Bierley

April 25, 2018 Lincoln in the Bardo, by George Saunders

May 23, 2018 Glitter and Glue, by Kelly Corrigan

June 27, 2018 Exit West, by Mohsin Hamid

July 25, 2018 Richard III, by William Shakespeare
August 22, 2018 Carnegie's Maid, by Marie Benedict
September 26, 2018 Cleopatra: A Life, by Stacy Schiff

October 24, 2018 Open Discussion

November 28, 2018 Educated, a memoir by Tara Westover

January 23, 2019 Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine, by Gail Honeyman

February 27, 2019 *Night Circus*, by Erin Morgenstern

March 27, 2019 The Day the World Came to Town, by Jim Defede

April 24, 2019 The Shoemaker's Wife, by Adriana Trigiani

May 22, 2019 The Library Book, by Susan Orlean
June 26, 2019 Unsheltered, by Barbara Kingsolver
July 24, 2019 As You Like It, by William Shakespeare

August 28, 2019 All the Light We Cannot See, by Anthony Doerr

September 25, 2019 Southernmost, by Silas House

October 23, 2019 Open Discussion

November 20, 2019 Chances are..., by Richard Russo

January 22, 2020 Killers of the Flower Moon, by David Grann

February 26, 2020 Dignity, by Chris Arnade

March 2020 Cancelled

April 22, 2020 Little Women, by Louisa May Alcott May 27, 2020 Jane Eyre, by Charlotte Bronte

June 24, 2020 Open Discussion

July 22, 2020 Othello, by William Shakespeare August 26, 2020 Fanny Herself, by Edna Ferber

September 23, 2020 How to be an Antiracist, by Ibram X. Kendi

October 28, 2020 White Fragility, by Robin Diangelo
November 18, 2020 Maisie Dobbs, by Jacqueline Winspear
January 27, 2021 Anxious People, by Fredrik Backman
February 24, 2021 Nothing More Dangerous, by Allen Eskens

March 24, 2021 Afterlife, by Julia Alvarez

April 28, 2021 I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings, by Maya Angelou

May 26, 2021 Olive Kitteridge, by Elizabeth Strout June 23, 2021 The Midnight Library, by Matt Haig July 28, 2021 Othello, by William Shakespeare

August 25, 2021 The Paris Library, by Janet Skeslien Charles

September 22, 2021 The Great Alone, by Kristin Hannah

October 27, 2021 Open Discussion

November 24, 2021 The Personal Librarian, by Marie Benedict

January 26, 2022 Libertie, by Kaitlyn Greenidge

February 23, 2022 The Greatest Beer Run Ever, by John Donohue

March 23, 2022 The Music of Bees, by Eileen Garvin April 27, 2022 One Last Stop, by Casey McQuiston

May 25, 2022 Vanderbilt: The Rise and Fall of an American Dynasty, by Anderson Cooper &

Katherine Howe

June 22, 2022 Her Hidden Genius, by Marie Benedict July 27, 2022 MacBeth, by William Shakespeare

August 24, 2022 *Violeta*, by Isabel Allende