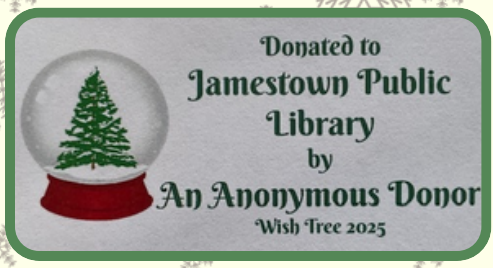
Wish Tree 2026









Help us add new materials to our collection while honoring someone special this holiday season!

1. Select an item from the catalog (stop by or give us a call to make sure the item is available)
2. Fill out the form
3. Pay the corresponding price
4. Hang your paper ornament on the Christmas tree!
5. Send your honoree a card (available upon request)

A personalized name plate will be placed in each donated item

Wish Tree

2026



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2026 WISH TREE

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Items can also be viewed in our catalog online
Please call us, 336-454-4815, or drop by to make sure your selection is available. You can then fill out the back form and drop off or mail in your payment to: Jamestown Public Library, PO Box 1437, Jamestown, NC 27282

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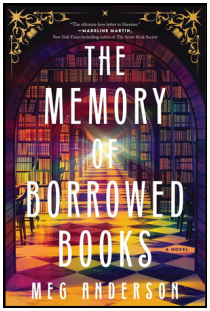
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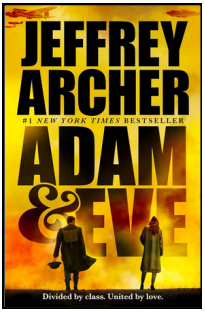


The Memory of Borrowed Books **$19.00**

By: Meg Ande

A sweeping, to community & the stories we l e *Memory of Borrowed B* e librarian who discovers a of unfinished memories—and must find that can save her beloved library from closing forever.

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Adam and Eve **$17.00**

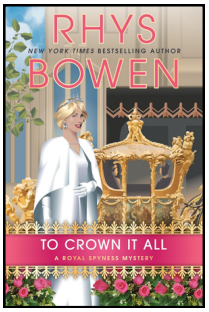
By: Meg Anderson

Jeffrey Archer's final historical fiction novel.

Armistice Day 1918. Two children are born on the same day, hours – but worlds – apart. One the son of a shepherd, the other the daughter of an Earl.

Adam and Eve.

Their births mark the end of one war. Their love will change the outcome of another.

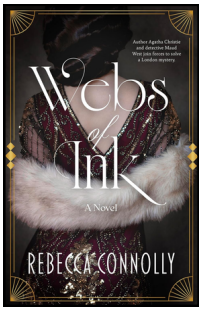


To Crown It All **$17.00**

By: Rhys Bo

The Royal S es continue with book 20 - Lady Georg never expected to be more than a gues ation of King George VI but murder and s ational intrigue make for a change of plans...

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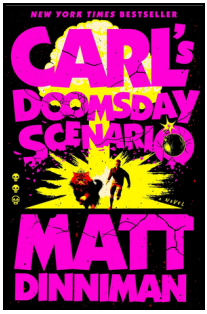
Webs of Ink **$16.00**

By: Rebecca

In 1920s Lond ctive" Maud West enlists newly publis ristie to covertly investigate a dangerous elling the unlikely duo through mou and blackmail in a quest to deliver justice.

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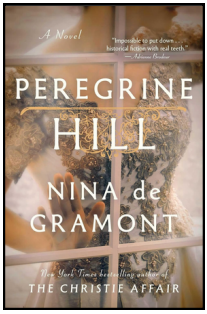


Carl's Doomsday Scenario — $16.00

By: Matt Dinniman

Join Carl and h riend's cat, Princess Donut, as th tical creatures and deadly mob the next level and build the kin ng the dungeon masters can't e second book in the smash-hit Dungeon Crawler Carl series.

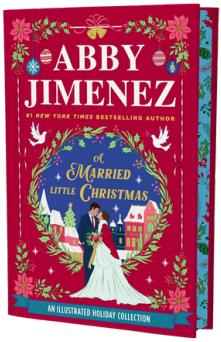
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Peregrine Hill — $16.00

By: Nina de Gramont

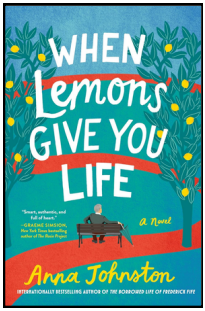
From the bestselling author of *The Christie Affair* comes a sweeping novel set in Gilded Age New York where a forced marriage, family secrets, and the fight for freedom collide in an unforgettable story about a desperate mother and headstrong daughter navigating a world built on men's appetites and women's silence.



A Married Little Christmas — $17.00

By: Abby Jimenez

A collection of three holiday-themed romance novellas following characters navigating fake dating, a zombie-Santa bet, and a whirlwind three-day engagement in small-town Minnesota. As the couples cross paths during the festive season, each story turns holiday chaos into unexpected, heartwarming love stories.



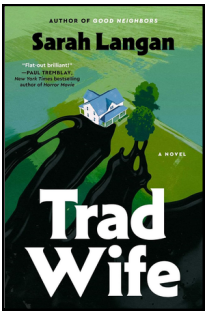
When Lemons Give You Life — $17.00

By: Anna Joh

Heartfelt an author of *The Borrowed Life of Frederick* ther deeply human novel about love, demption, and rediscovering joy when life avor.

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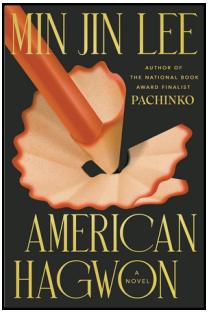
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Trad Wife **$16.00**

By: Sarah Langan

Struggling journalist Jenny Kaplan travels to Black Swan Farm to write an exposé on charismatic trad-wife influencer Mia Wright. As she stays at the farm, Jenny uncovers a sinister, reality-bending horror hidden beneath the family's picture-perfect social media veneer.



American Hagwon **$20.00**

By: Min Jin Lee

Follow the Koh fa hn, Helen, and their three children—as d the 1997 Asian financial crisis uproot ul to Australia and finally Southern Ca ing the immense pressures of immigrant and their community place an all-consumi n education and private cram schools (hagwons) as vehicles for survival and upward mobility.

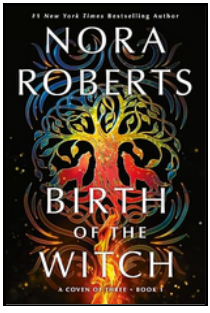
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Music Against the Night **$16.00**

By: Yiyun Li

Music Against the Night follows the parallel lives of John Field, an awkward Irish piano prodigy who invents the nocturne, and Adelaide Percheron, an orphaned girl from French India who escapes to Europe. As their paths converge into a complex marriage, the two musicians navigate the delicate balance between talent, ambition, and the harsh realities of the Romantic era.

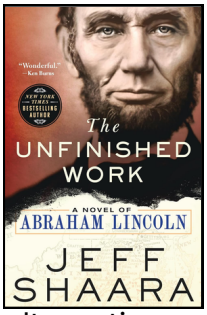


Birth of the Witch **$17.00**

By: Nora Roberts

In this immersive, enchanting first novel in a new epic trilogy, Nora Roberts introduces the magical world of Neve McShane, a young witch tasked with stopping a growing darkness, and the coven she has been connected to across lifetimes. While at night, she dreams of a young man from Ireland whose eyes met with hers for a fateful moment, centuries ago.

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The Unfinished Work: **$20.00**

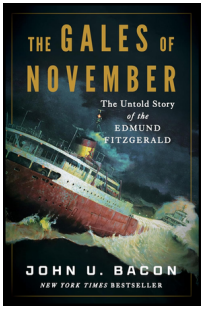
A Novel of Abraham Lincoln

By: Jeff Shaara

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Shaara's novel follows Lincoln from his el… through the first three years… , concluding after the Getty… in 1863. Through the alternating perspectiv… n, his wife Mary, Secretary of State William Seward, and General George McClellan, the story captures both his daunting political struggles and his deeply personal family grief.

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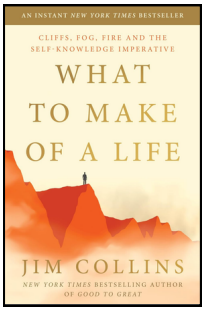
The Gales of November: **$23.00**

The Untold Story of the Edmund Fitzgerald

By: John U. Bacon

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Both an e… tribute to the lives lost and a prop… turning narrative history of Am… ourned maritime disast… s on more than 100 intervie… amilies, friends, and former crewmates of tho… to explore the vital role Great Lakes shipping played in America's economic boom, the uncommon lives the sailors led, the sinking's most likely causes, and the heartbreaking aftermath for those left behind.



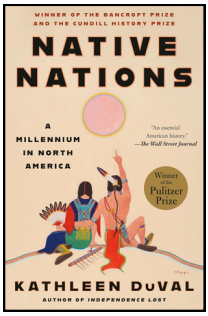
What to Make of a Life: **$21.00**

Cliffs, Fog, Fire and the Self-Knowledge Imperative

By: Jim Collins

Collins uses a ten-year study of 34 remarkable individuals to argue that a fulfilling life comes from aligning your daily work with your innate, internal "encodings" rather than chasing a pre-ordained purpose. He further provides a practical framework for rebuilding and sustaining drive when life-altering "cliffs" and periods of uncertainty ("fog") knock you off course.

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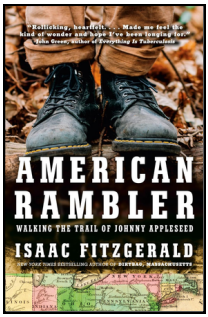
Native Nations: $18.00

A Millennium in North America

By: Kathleen DuVal

In this magisteri… …he continent, DuVal surveys … …ative nations from the rise o… …more than 1000 years ago to cu… …acing how these complex, adapta… …es exercised enduring political power, diplomacy, and resistance from ancient urban centers all the way to the present day.

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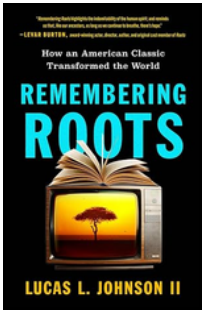
American Rambler: $22.00

Walking the Trail of Johnny Appleseed

By: Isaac Fitzgerald

Join Isaac Fitzger… …mbarks on a yearlong journey from M… …g the trail of the legendary Joh… …while exploring the history behind … …olk hero. Blending travelogue, men… …erican history, Fitzgerald reflects on family, grief, faith, and the meaning of home while discovering how the myths of Johnny Appleseed connect to the larger story of America.

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Remembering Roots: $22.00

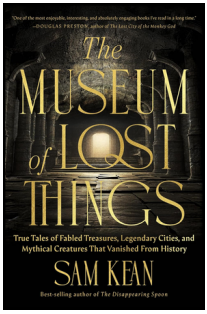
How an American Classic Transformed the World

By: Lucas L. Johnson II

Journalist and st… …cas L. Johnson II reflects on the enduring le… …aley's Pulitzer Prize-winning novel … …d its landmark television adaptation (19… …voices of those it continues to mo… …how Haley's vision gave birth to a genealogy movement, inspired generations to reclaim their identities, and challenged America to confront its past.

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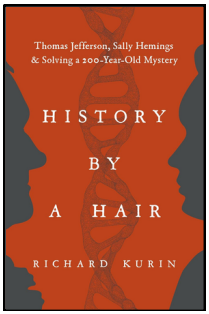
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The Museum of Lost Things: **$20.00**
True Tales of Fabled Treasures, Legendary Cities, and Mythical Creatures That Vanished From History
By: Sam Kean

Provocative, surprising, and above-all entertai… globe-trotting narrative ackno… …neer scale of humanity's losses, celebrates th… …have managed to retain, and reveals why they… …ptivate us centuries later. Includes the long-lost … …the hidden tomb of Genghis Khan, the destruction of the fabled library of Alexandria, the near-destruction of the Mona Lisa and other art, the decipherment of ancient Egyptian hieroglyphs, & the extinction—and potential resurrection—of dodos, mammoths, and other iconic species.

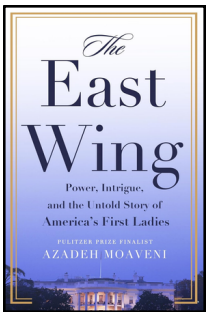
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History by a Hair: **$20.00**
Thomas Jefferson, Sally Hemings & Solving a 200-Year-Old Mystery
By: Richard Kuri…

The definitive … …a discarded strand of hair found in T… …n's Bible led to a sweeping, mul… …c investigation, drawing on technologica… …n DNA to finally resolve a 200-year national controversy.

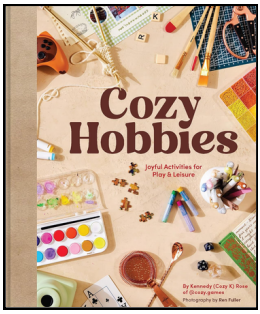
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The East Wing: **$19.00**
Power, Intrigue, and the Untold Story of America's First Lad…
By: Azadeh M…

Spanning the … …ecades of the twentieth century, from t… …a, to the myth-making Kennedys, to th… …AGA-influenced 2020s, *The East Wing* is t… …vating true story of the First Lady's staffers and their role in the executive branch of governance, as well as the evolution of female leadership in our country.

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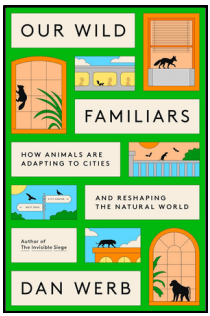
Cozy Hobbies: **$16.00**

Joyful Activities for Play & Leisure

By:Kennedy Rose

Amid a culture obsessed with productivity & hustle, hobbies offer us essential opportunities for joy, relaxation, mindfulness, & creativity. But finding the right hobby & committing yourself to it can be overwhelming. If the question "What do you do for fun?" prompts sheer panic, let this book welcome you into the enriching world of hobbying. Explore 45+ hobbies that range from birdwatching & woodworking to video gaming & embroidery.

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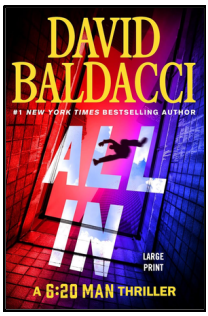
Our Wild Familiars: **$17.00**

How AnimalsAre Adapting to Cities and Reshaping the Natural World

By: Dan Werb

From award-winn[illegible]r and scientist Dan Werb comes a dazzli[illegible]o the hidden lives of synanthropes, [illegible]ls who've found ingenious ways to survive [illegible]human communities. Through fascinating stories and [illegible]iscoveries, Werb reveals how these unexpected neighbors are changing our cities, and challenges us to rethink our relationship with nature and the possibility of sharing our world more harmoniously.

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All In **$34.00**

6:20 Man Series, Book 4

By: David Baldacci

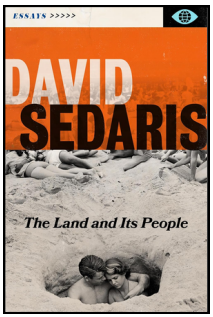
When fearless war correspondent Theresa Lee is shot and left for dead on a Manhattan street, the authorities are left with zero leads. But when Bill Walker - the intelligence analyst she was meeting with at the time of her attack also vanishes without a trace, the stakes reach terrifying new levels.

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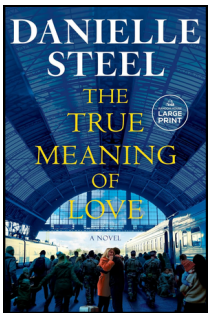


Belle Haven Finishing School **$21.00**
By: Adele Myers *Publishes 1/19/27*
From the author of *The Tobacco Wives* comes an intergenerational tale about a Southern finishing school set in 1951 and 1987, inspired by the true story of a decades-old cover-up that binds two women together, thirty years apart.

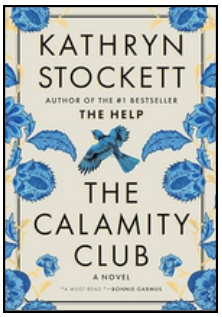


The Land and Its People **$28.00**
By: David Sedaris
In this new colle[illegible]aris reflects on what it means to be [illegible]rother, & a lifelong friend. In essays tha[illegible]erbic & tender, playful & profound, he [illegible]ch there is to marvel at when you keep [illegible]up and your eyes open, observing with warmth and curiosity our fascinating human species and the lands we inhabit.

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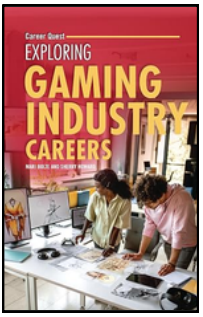


The True Meaning of Love **$19.00**
By: Danielle Steel
Set during the Russian invasion of Ukraine, the novel follows several ordinary people—including a young ballerina, a fleeing mother, and doctors in Kyiv—as they face heartbreaking losses and impossible choices. Through their resilience and sacrifice to protect loved ones, the characters discover that love provides the strength and hope needed to survive unimaginable tragedy.



The Calamity Club **$29.00**
By: Kathryn Stockett
Set in 1933 Mississippi [illegible]the Great Depression, this historical n[illegible]an 11-year-old orphan named Meg [illegible]ggling young woman named Birdie[illegible]e lives intersect. To escape pove[illegible]e cruelty & corruption around them, B[illegible]eg's mother, Charlie, secretly turn a wealthy family mansion into an underground speakeasy and brothel.

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Exploring Gaming Industry Careers — $14.00

By: Sherry Howard

Learn about the evolution of the gaming industry & find insights into the future of the field, such as what jobs are available, how much hiring outlooks are expected to boost, and potential salaries for professionals. Find out how to make the most of your classes & extracurriculars, what further education you might need, and more to turn your high scores into paychecks.

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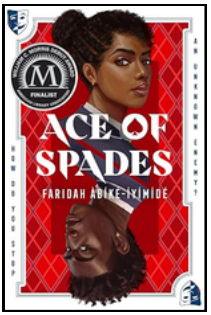


True or False: — $17.00

A CIA Analyst's Guide to Spotting Fake News

By: Cindy L. Otis

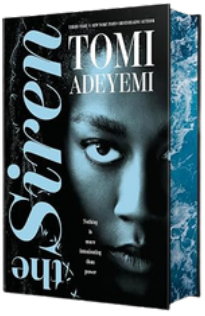
Join former CIA analyst Cindy L. Otis as she unveils the true history of fake news and provides tips on how to avoid falling victim to it in this informative and timely YA nonfiction title.



Ace of Spades — $20.00

By: Faridah Àbíké-Íyímídé

At elite Niveus Private Academy, two Black senior prefects—impoverished musician Devon & ambitious head girl Chiamaka—are systematically targeted by an anonymous tormentor named "Aces" who exposes their private secrets. What begins as a series of malicious text messages spirals into a dangerous, life-threatening game tied to the school's deep-seated institutional racism and social eugenics.

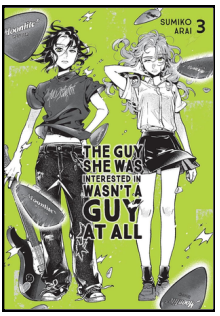


The Sirens — $14.00

By: Tomi Adeyemi

When first-generation Dartmouth freshman Emery arrives on campus, she is drawn into an exclusive, enigmatic group of glamorous women known as "The Sirens" led by a charismatic leader named Roux. As Emery becomes deeply entangled in their high-stakes world of privilege & dark secrets, she decides to claim that seductive power for herself, no matter the cost.

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The Guy She Was Interested In Wasn't a Guy at All - Vol. 3 **$16.00**

By: Sumiko Arai

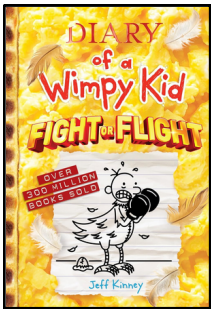
With Aya's encouragement and inspiration from a music festival, Mitsuki begins pursuing her passion for music in earnest. However, a video of her singing goes viral and turns her into a school celebrity, creating unexpected challenges for both her and Aya. What trials await the pair in their final year of high school?



Hekate: The Witch **$14.00**

By: Nikita Gill

A richly imagined novel-in-verse retelling of the Greek myth of Hekate & the first book in the *Goddesses of the Underworld* series. This is the story of a young godling raised in the Underworld after her parents lose the war against the Olympian gods. As she uncovers her terrifying powers to become the goddess of witchcraft and necromancy, will she decide to step up to end a new & devastating immortal war?



Diary of Wimpy Kid: Fight or Flight **$10.00**

By: Jeff Kinney

In the 21st book of this best-selling series, Greg's hard-earned e[illegible]avigating the rough-&-tumble world [illegible]ol is put to the test. When a secre[illegible]ith Greg's notes on the school's bigge[illegible]into the wrong hands, his world quickly be[illegible]ravel. Now it's a race against time before the truth comes out. Will Greg throw in the towel—or go down swinging?

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When Shadows Burn **$13.00**

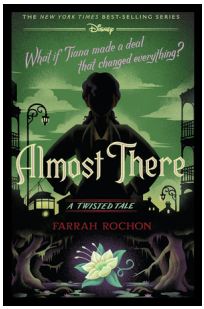
By: Vanessa Le

Vanessa Le's new fantasy duology starter follows a demon-hunting duo in an exorcist university layered with magic, murder, and corruption. Perfect for fans of dark academia, murder mysteries, slow burn romances, secret identities, family drama, demons & magic.

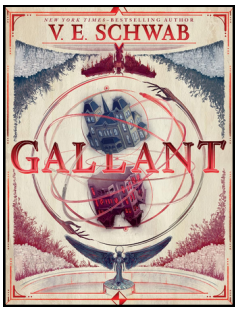
Young Adult



Camp Half-Blood: **$12.00**
The Wild Zone
By: Rick Riordan & Annabelle Oh
Ever wonder what goes on at Camp Half-Blood in between Percy Jackson's legendary quests? Find out in the start of a new series from Riordan & an all-star team of coauthors! In Book 1, five newbie demigods dare to enter Camp Half-Blood's forbidden Wild Zone, unleashing ancient curses, bloodthirsty monsters—and a fight to survive.



Almost There: **$10.00**
A Twisted Tale
By: Farrah Rochon
The 13th installment in *Disney's Twisted Tales* series asks: *What if Tiana made a deal that changed everything?* Tiana makes a desperate deal with Dr. Facilier to resurrect her father & achieve all her dreams, waking up in an alternate 1920s New Orleans where her life seems perfect. However, as the city grows increasingly eerie and new threats emerge, she must team up with Naveen and Charlotte to set things right before she loses everything.



Gallant **$10.00**
By: V.E. Schwab
Olivia Prior, a m[illegible]an, inherits her family's decaying & h[illegible]e, Gallant, only to discover a hidden wo[illegible]eadly shadow realm. When she ci[illegible]mirrored world ruled by Death, she m[illegible]her family's dark legacy to stop the master [illegible]house from breaking through.

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Foreigners **$11.00**
By: E.L. Shen
This propulsive, tender novel follows an immigrant family across generations as they navigate love, belonging, and the great fictions we must weave to preserve a legacy.

Young Adult

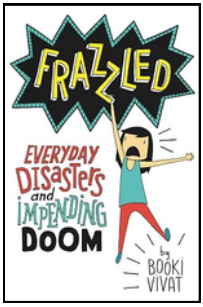


Wings of Fire: The Hybrid Prince **$12.00**

Book 16

By: Tui T. Sutherland

After fleeing Jade Mountain Academy, MudWing siblings Umber & Sora are rescued from a kraken by a hybrid prince named Mulberry & brought to a hidden island sanctuary called the Court of Refuge. As Umber falls for Mulberry and uncovers that the idyllic community is actually an inescapable prison with a dark history, he must unlock the past to secure a future for himself and his sister.



Frazzled: Everyday Disasters and Impending Doom **$12.00**

By: Booki Vivat

Dive into the mind of Abbie Wu, a hilariously neurotic middle school girl as she tries to figure out who she is & where she belongs. Akin to *Smile* by Raina Telgemeier, *Frazzled* is heavily illustrated, embarrassingly honest, & sure to appeal to anyone in the middle of figuring out how to survive the everyday disasters of growing up.

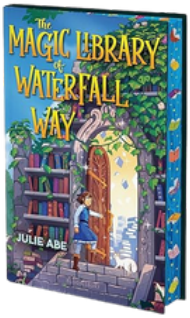


Lying About Last Summer **$10.00**

By: Sue Wallman

Last summer, Skye's sister died in a tragic accident. Skye's parents think that the back-to-back activities of a summer camp might be just what she needs to process through her grief. While at a remote, week-long camp for troubled teens at Morely Hill Activity and Adventure Center, Skye recieves a text...from her dead sister. Who is pretending to be Luisa? And who at camp can be trusted? Skye must confront her past. But what if the danger is right in front of her?

Juvenile Fiction



The Magic Library of Waterfall Way **$11.00**

By: Julie Abe

In this delightful cozy fantasy, an Unremarkable girl with a remarkable destiny must save a magic library to find her forever home.

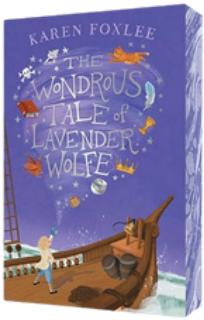
Juvenile Fiction



Wombat Waiting **$14.00**

By: Katherine Applegate

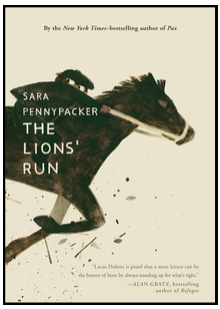
A stunning middle grade standalone novel-in-verse about compassion, resilience, and surprising friendships, following a dog named Wombat in the aftermath of a catastrophic fire.



The Wondrous Tale of Lavender Wolfe **$8.00**

By: Karen Foxlee

When young Lavender Wolfe is swept aboard a magical pirate ship, she discovers she has mysterious powers and joins a crew of extraordinary children on a quest to recover stolen treasure and break a deadly curse. Filled with magic, adventure, and unforgettable characters, this enchanting tale explores friendship, courage, and the meaning of finding a place to belong.



The Lions' Run **$10.00**

By: Sara Pennypacker

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During the Nazi [illegible]tion of a small French village, young Luca[illegible]y known for his cowardice, discovers [illegible]f secrets and resistance after befrie[illegible]ing a horse from German soldiers. Insp[illegible]quiet courage of those around him, Lu[illegible]ast find the bravery to risk everything in a dangerous mission to save innocent lives.



Dog Man: A Sprinkle in Time **$11.00**

Book 15

By: Dav Pilkey

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Buckle up for [illegible]og Man space-capade! Mischievous [illegible] is back with more lies & trickery as h[illegible]ic of time, turning Dog Man's world [illegible]And to top it off, Nurse Lady has been [illegible]d by the Space Cuties & imprisoned on Planet Precious with Li'l Petey and Molly.

Juvenile Fiction



I Survived the California Wildfires, 2018 **$5.00**

By: Lauren Tarshis

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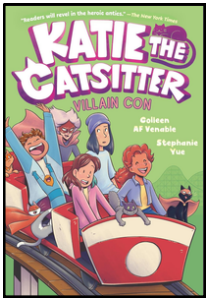
In this gri[illegible]nstallment of the *I Survive*[illegible]r-old Josh is visiting his cousin[illegible]lifornia when he & his cousin [illegible]s trapped in the path of the devastating 2018 wild[illegible]ey fight to survive the fast-moving flames, Josh must also face the personal challenges & family struggles that have followed him across the country.



I Survived the Night of the Lions, 2025 **$6.00**

By: Lauren Tarshis

The 26th installment of the *I Survived* series sees 11-year-old Dylan travel to Botswana with his filmmaker sister, hoping to escape the disappointment of a sports injury & experience the wonders of the African wilderness. But when a plane crash leaves him alone & injured in the dangerous Okavango Delta, Dylan must summon all his courage & strength to survive a land filled with deadly predators.



Katie the Catsitter 5: Villain Con **$13.00**

By: Colleen AF Venable

In this fun, cat-filled graphic novel, Katie finds herself questioning what it means to be a hero or a villain as friendships change & unexpected surprises turn her world upside down. As her friends begin moving in new directions, Katie must decide whether she's ready to embrace change & discover who she really wants to be.

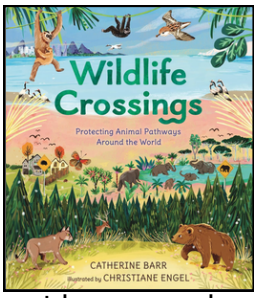
Children



Rumpelstiltskin **$10.00**

By: Mac Barnett

With Barnett's signature pacing and wit, his subversive storytelling style and narrative voice, and Ellis's stunning folk-art style, this retelling of Rumpelstiltskin will introduce this classic story to a new generation of readers!



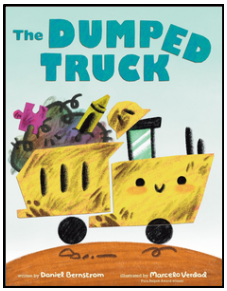
Wildlife Crossings **$18.00**

By: Catherine Barr

A compelling[illegible]book about threatened animal sp[illegible]the world. Discover how the i[illegible]humans into these creature[illegible]cut them off from vital pathw[illegible]em at risk, then find out how people are helping the[illegible]reconnecting wildlands and waterways.

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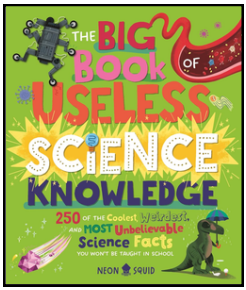
Children



The Dumped Truck **$15.00**

By: Daniel Bernstrom

Welcome to Toyville, where Dump Truck does his work. His dirty work. But the other toys can't stand Dump's less-than-tidy appearance. So they make a new rule: NO DIRTY DUMP TRUCKS. When Dump Truck gets dumped, what will he—and the other toys—do? Find out in this funny yet thoughtful tale about working together & proving that there's nothing wrong with getting a little dirty.



The Big Book of Useless Science Knowledge: 250 of the Coolest, Weirdest, and Most Unbeli[illegible]cience Facts You Won't be Taught in

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Marvelous Mistakes: **$11.00**

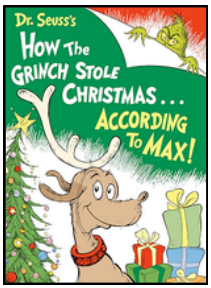
Accidents That Made History

By: Callie D[illegible]

Everybod[illegible]kes. Some mistakes go down in [illegible]kinds of reasons. This picture b[illegible]ers on a playful, rhyming journey thr[illegible]ous mistakes made by historical figures. Some mistakes led to discoveries or new inventions. Others forced their makers down new, more successful paths. But every mistake highlighted in this book led to something good.

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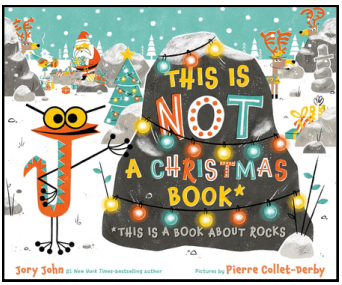
Children



Dr. Seuss's How the Grinch Stole Christmas...According to Max! — $12.00

By: Alastair Heim

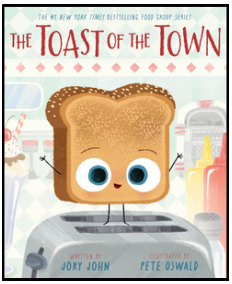
Everyone's favorite sidekick, Max—aka the Grinch's partner-in-crime—is BACK! And this time, he's the hero of the story. Get Max's point of view on what happened that fateful Christmas Eve in this heartwarming retelling of the classic *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*!



This Is Not a Christmas Book (*This Is a Book About Rocks)* — $11.00

By: Jory John

A funny & fresh holiday picture book starring a rock-loving lizard who has no interest in being the hero of a Christmas story. This laugh-out-loud story will bring some extra sparkle (& giggles) to the most wonderful time of the year.



The Toast of the Town — $11.00

By: Jory John

Meet Toast. He knows everybody, and everybody knows him. But Toast wasn't always so warm and toasty. In his younger days, he kept to himself, loafed around, & mostly just felt a little . . . stale. It took one life-changing moment to help him rise to the occasion. Can one ordinary piece of toast transform an entire community? And can helping others turn out to be the best thing since sliced bread?



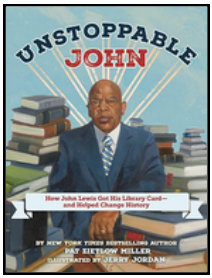
Bittersweet: — $16.00

Based on the True Tale of the Berlin Candy Brothers

By: Christy Mandin

Soar into the tender true story of how one airman inspired a movement by airdropping little parachutes of candy to kids trapped in occupied Berlin in this nonfiction picture book ode to everyday acts of kindness.

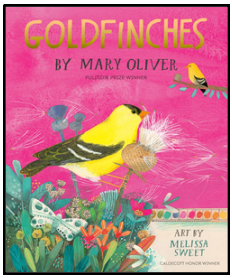
Children



Unstoppable John: **$12.00**
How John Lewis Got His Library Card--
and Helped Change History
By: Pat Zietl

Purchased

All John Lew a library card, but in 1956, librari white people. That didn't seem so he spent a lifetime advocating for change & fig st unfair laws until the laws changed. With an in-depth author's note, a timeline of John Lewis's life, & a lengthy list of resources, *Unstoppable John* explores the profound impact John had on the world and that books had on him.



Goldfinches **$18.00**
By: Mary Oliver

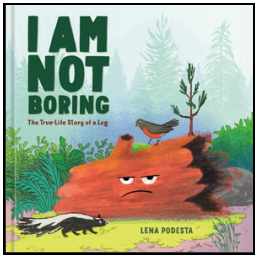
Mary Oliver, one of America's most beloved poets, introduces her unforgettable words to children for the very first time with her poem "Goldfinches" which joyfully observes the power of the natural world as only Mary Oliver can. Illuminated by the exquisite mixed-media artwork of Melissa Sweet, *Goldfinches* fills the reader with wonder for the beauty around them and gratitude for the ability to bear witness to it.



Run. Sing. Dream. **$14.00**
By: Linda Sue Park

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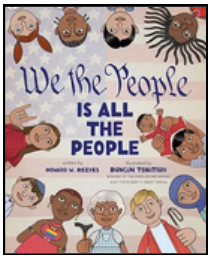
From R s to Greta Thunberg, from Jam Malala Yousafzai, the world ha by those who found the co speak, sing, & dream. This lyric gs together a stirring collection of voices—activists, eaders, & visionaries—who refused to be silent in the face of injustice.



I Am Not Boring: **$17.00**
The True-Life Story of a Log
By: Lena Podesta

Told with humor & heart, *I Am Not Boring* shows how an old log is not, in fact, boring at all. Readers will be giggling along as they learn about the importance of ecosystems—& believing in themselves.

Children



We the People Is All the People **$16.00**

By: Howard W. Reeves

This beautifully illustrated picture book explores the meaning of "We the People" in the U.S. Constitution, celebrating the many different backgrounds, cultures, & experiences that make up America. Through an inspiring message of inclusion & unity, it reminds readers that building a more perfect union means making sure everyone belongs.



Dad **$19.00**

By: Christian Robinson

There are as many ways to be a dad as there are dads in the world & this is a big-hearted love letter to all of them! This loving tribute reflects the range of relationships that dads, both animal and human, have with their little ones.



Help! I'm Being Eaten by a Bear!! **$12.00**

By: Neil Sharpson

Bears are full of surprises. Luckily, the author of this picture book found out exactly what NOT to do when meeting a bear so that YOU can be totally prepared. For example, DO NOT make fun of the bear's silly little ears and big hairy nose. And definitely DO NOT let the bear draw you a picture, even if he is a surprisingly good artist. Otherwise, you might end up on a wild adventure that could cost you your very favorite pair of pants...and win you an unexpected new friend.



Jia Has a Dog Problem **$14.00**

By: Stephanie Ellen Sy

Jia runs from every dog—big, tiny, spotted, or shaggy. Charlie the French bulldog hides from every kid—behind couches, laundry, even grown-ups' legs.

When something far scarier forces these 2 together, they discover a sweet surprise: a friend who understands.

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Christmas on Main *at the library*



Dec. 2nd : The Bells of Saint Mary's (1945)

Dec. 9th : Miracle on 34th Street (1947)



Dec. 16th : "Scrooge" A Christmas Carol (1951)

As part of Jamestown's *Christmas on Main*, the library will be open extended hours on **Wednesday Nights** in December, leading up to the week of Christmas.

We'll be showing **Holiday Movies** while sharing cider & other goodies. Each Weds. will start with *A Charlie Brown's Christmas* at 6pm, followed by a Black-and-White holiday film at 6:30pm.

Need a gift idea? Lots of wonderful **Holiday Gift Baskets** will be on sale!! Made by our wonderful Friends of the Library.

Join us after the Jamestown Christmas Parade,

December 6th

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4PM-6PM

Baked Goods & Cider

Crafts

Santa

Music & Stories

The Friends of the Jamestown Public Library was formed in 1987 to provide many types of support for the library. Membership dues and proceeds from the organizational fundraisers are key sources that provide funding for books, equipment, programs, and supplies for the library.

Come to a meeting!

Meetings are held at the library, the 4th Monday of each month at 6:30pm.

Next meetings:
Nov. 23, 2026 & Jan. 25, 2027

Events & Fundraisers

- Ongoing Basket Sales
- Ongoing Book Sales
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- Various Community Outreach events
- ...And More!

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