

**Books Selected for Reading by Committee Members**

A Backpack, a Bear, and Eight Crates of Vodka  
A Thousand Splendid Suns  
All the Bright Places  
Buddha's Brain: The Practical Neuroscience of Happiness, Love, and Wisdom  
Clash of Civilizations Over An Elevator In Piazza Vittorio  
Deep South: Four Seasons on Back Roads  
Enrique's Journey  
Feed  
First They Killed My Father  
Green is the New Red  
I am the Messenger/The Messenger  
I'm a Stranger Here Myself  
LEFT NEGLECTED  
Love and Math: The Heart of Hidden Reality  
Nonviolence: The History of a Dangerous Idea  
Orphan Train  
Our Man in Charleston: Britain's Secret Agent in the Civil War South

**To be reviewed at 10/21 meeting**

Property  
Queen of Water  
Reclaiming the Commons for the Common Good: A Memoir and Manifesto  
Ruthless  
Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind  
Scatter, Adapt, and Remember  
Single Handed  
Sisters in Law  
Son Of Hamas (x2)  
Song of Solomon  
Speak  
The Aftermath  
The art of racing in the rain  
The Big Short: Inside the Doomsday Machine  
The Book of Unknown Americans  
The Circle  
The Color of Water  
The Death of the Professor  
The Defining Decade: Why your twenties matter- and how to make the most of them now (x2)  
The Empire of Necessity  
The Enemy  
The Glass Castle (x2)  
The God Delusion  
The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks  
The Israeli Solution  
The Kite Runner  
The Legacy of Luna

The Martian (x2)  
The Millionaire and the Bard  
The Modern Savage: Our Unthinking Decision to Eat Animals  
The Optimistic Environmentalist  
The Postmortal  
The Real Doctor Will See You Shortly  
The Republic of Imagination : A Life in Books  
The Road  
The Road to Character  
The Samurai's Garden  
The Things They Carried  
The Tipping Point  
The Travels of a T-Shirt in the Global Economy  
The True American  
Their Eyes Were Watching God  
Thirteen Reasons Why  
This Changes Everything: Capitalism vs The Climate  
Transparent: Love, Family, and Living the T with Transgender Teenagers  
Upheaval in Charleston  
Voyage of the Sable Venus: And Other Poems  
We Need to Talk About Kevin  
What is the What  
Why Zebras Don't Get Ulcers  
Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail  
With Charity for All  
Wool  
Zealot: The Life and Times of Jesus of Nazareth  
Zeitoun

**Books Not Selected**

A Curious Mind: The Secret to a Bigger Life  
A Forte Unseen  
A Tree Grows in Brooklyn  
Acts of Faith: The Story of an American Muslim, in the Struggle for the Soul of a Generation  
Adapt: Why Success Always Starts with Failure  
Americanah  
Asking for It: The Alarming Rise of Rape Culture - and What We Can Do About It  
Bearwallow: A Personal History of a Mountain Homeland  
Because they hate: A survivor of Islamic Terror warns America  
Between the World and Me (x2)  
Black Masters: A Free Family of Color in the Old South  
Citizen: An American Lyric  
Cloud Atlas  
Control Your Mind Control Your Destiny  
D.U.F.F.  
Ender's Game  
Everything I Never Told You

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Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close  
From Bauhaus to Our House  
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone  
Hate List  
Hold Still  
I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban  
I'll Give You the Sun  
Incognito: The Secret Lives of the Brain  
Into the Wild  
Ishmael  
Just Mercy  
Life of Pi  
Missoula: Rape and the Justice System in a College Town  
Modern Romance  
Nickel and Dimed: On (Not) Getting By in America  
Night  
Pagans: The End of Traditional Religion and the Rise of Christianity  
Persepolis The Story of a Childhood