



BOOK NERD ALERT:

AARDVARK BOOK CLUB

main selections only

2026

March

- Nowhere Burning by Catriona Ward
- Operation Bounce House by Matt Dinniman
- Spoiled Milk by Avery Curran
- After the Fall by Edward Ashton
- Whidbey by T Kita Madden
- The Red Winter by Cameron Sullivan
- Star Shipped by Cat Sebastian

February

- Trad Wife by Saratoga Schaefer
- Adrift by Will Dean
- Burn Down Master's House by Clay Cane
- Love and Other Brain Experiments by Hannah Brohm
- The Poet Empress by Shen Tao
- Superfan by Jenny Tinghui Zhang

January

- Buffalo Hunter by Stephen Graham Jones
- The List of Suspicious Things by Jennie Godfrey
- An Arcane Inheritance by Kamilah Cole
- Is This A Cry For Help? By Emily Austin
- This House Will Feed by Maria Tureaud
- It Should Have Been You by Andrea Mara
- Meet The Newmans by Jennifer Niven

2025

December

- Itch by Gemma Amor
- Grace & Henry's Holiday Movie Marathon by Matthew Norman
- Victorian Psycho by Virginia Feito
- Canticle by Janet Rich Edwards
- Who Wants to Live Forever by Hanna Thomas Uose
- The Once and Future Queen by Paula Lafferty

November

- The Place Where Buried Your Heart by Christina Henry
- Isn't It Obvious by Rachel Runya Katz
- Girl Dinner by Olivie Blake
- Kill The Beast by Serre Swift
- Haven't Killed in Years by Amy K. Green
- Thirst Trap by Grainne O'Hare

October

- One Bad Night by various Aardvark Authors
- The Autumn Springs Retirement Home Massacre by Philip Fracassi
- Mate by Ali Hazelwood
- All of Us Murderers by K.J. Charles
- Saltcrop by Yume Kitasei
- The Mad Wife by Meagan Church

September

- Lucky Day by Chuck Tingle
- Coffin Moon by Keith Rossen
- The Wrong Daughter by Dandy Smith
- You Weren't Meant to be Human by Andrew Joseph White
- Local Heavens by K.M. Fajardo
- A Land So Wide by Erin A. Craig
- Witch You Would by Lia Arnador

August

- Too Old For This by Samantha Downing
- The Once and Future Me by Melissa Pace
- What Hunger by Catherine Dang
- The Hounding by Xenobe Purvis
- Well Actually by Mazey Eddings
- Moderation by Elaine Castillo

July

- A Witch'e Guide to Magical Innkeeping by Sangu Mandanna
- Salt Bones by Jennifer Givhan
- Sounds Like Love by Ashley Poston
- House of Beth by Kerry Cullen
- Party of Liars by Kelsey Cox
- Hot Girls with Balls by Benedict Nguyen

June

- The Starving Saints by Caitlin Starling
- Left of Forever by Tarah DeWitt
- Someone Knows by Vi Keeland
- The Devils by Joe Abercrombie
- The Memory Collectors by Dete Meserve
- Disappoint Me by Nicola Dinan

May

- When the Wolf Comes Home by Nat Cassidy
- Immaculate Conception by Ling Ling Huang
- The Pretender by Jo Harkin
- Julie Chan is Dead by Liann Zhang
- The Original Daughter by Jemimah Wei
- When the Tides Held the Moon by Venessa Vida Kelley

April

- The Tainted Cup Robert Jackson Bennett
- A Drop of Corruption by Robert Jackson Bennett
- Bat Eater and Other Names for Cora Zeng by Kylie Lee Baker
- Blood on Her Tongue by Johanna van Veen
- Any Trope But You by Victoria Lavine
- Dissolution by Nicolas Binge

- Tilt by Emma Pattee

March

- The Buffalo Hinter Hunter by Stephen Graham Jones
- You are Fatally Invited by Ande Pliego
- Upon A Starlit Tide by Kell Woods
- Back After This by Linda Holmes
- The Strange Case of Jane O. by Karen Thompson Walker
- The Unworthy by Agustina Bazterrica

February

- Hungerstone by Kat Dunn
- Junie by Erin Crosby Eckstine
- Death of the Author by Nnedi Okorafor
- Flirting With Disaster by Naina Kumar
- Good Girl by Aria Aber
- Dead Money by Jakob Kerr

January

- Cross My Heart by Megan Collins
- We Lived On The Horizon by Erika Swyler
- After the Ocean by Lauren E. Rico
- The Reformatory by Tananarive Due
- Unromance by Erin Connor
- Motheater by Linda H. Codega

2024

December

- What It's Like In Words by Eliza Moss
- The Serpent and the Wolf by Rebecca Robinson
- Under Lock and Key by Lana Ferguson
- The Resurrectionist by A. Rae Dunlap
- Alter Ego by Alex Segura
- Private Rites by Julia Armfield

November

- Memorials by Richard Chizmar
- The Scholar and the Last Faerie Door by H.G. Parry
- Like Mother, like Mother by Susan Rieger
- Perfect Fit by Clare Gilmore
- Eleanore of Avignon by Elizabeth DeLozier
- American Rapture by CJ Leede

October

- The City in Glass by Nghi Vo
- My Vampire Plus-One by Jenna Levine
- The Lightning Bottles by Marissa Stapley
- When the World Tips Over by Jandy Nelson
- Where I End by Sophie White
- This Cursed House by Del Sandeen

September

- Lady MacBeth by Ava Reid

- A Dark and Drowning Tide by Allison Saft
- Colored Television by Danzy Senna
- Red River Road by Anna Downs
- So Thirsty by Rachel Harrison
- How to Hide in Plain Sight by Emma Noyes

August

- Bury Your Gays by Chuck Tingle
- Gatalina by Karla Villavicencio
- The Truth According to Ember by Danica Nava
- Mistress of Lies by K.M. Enright
- The Bright Sword by Lev Grossman
- Look in the Mirror by Catherine Steadman

July

- A Novel Love Story by Ashley Poston
- The Stardust Grail by Yume Kitasei
- Masquerade by O.O. Sangoyimi
- Whoever You are, Honey by Olivia Gatwood
- I was a Teenage Slasher by Stephen Graham Jones
- The Unraveling by Vi Keeland

June

- Lies and Weddings by Kevin Kwan
- Dreadful by Caitlin Rozakis
- This Summer Will Be Different by Carley Fortune
- Perfume and Pain by Anna Dorn
- The Eyes Are The Best Part by Monika Kim
- The Last Murder at the End of the World by Stuart Turton

May

- Ghost Station by S.A. Barnes
- Happy Medium by Sarah Alder
- The Garden by Clare Beams
- You Know What You Did by K.T. Nguyen
- Lovers and Liars by Amanda Eyre Ward
- Evocation by ST Gibson

April

- Expiration Dates by Rebecca Serle
- How to Solve Your Own Murder by Kristen Perrin
- James by Percival Everett
- The Rule Book by Sarah Adams
- A Sweet Sting of Salt by Rose Sutherland
- Diavola by Jennifer Thorne

March

- Brode by Ali Hazelwood
- Everyone Who Can Forgive Me Is Dead by Jenny Hollander
- Piglet by Lottie Hazell
- Baby X by Kira Peikoff
- The Warm Hands of Ghosts by Katherine Arden
- Wandering Stars by Tommy Orange

February

- Valley Verified by Kyla Zhao
- The Clinic by Cate Quinn
- The Tainted Cup by Robert Jackson Bennett
- Come and Get It by Kiley Reid
- The House of Last Resort by Christopher Golden
- A Love Song for Ricki Wilde by Tia Williams

January

- Where You End by Abbott Kahler
- Sugar, Baby by Celine Saintclare
- The Djinn Waits A Hundred Years by Shubnum Khan
- Rabbit Hole by Kate Brody
- The Fake Mate by Lana Ferguson
- Chain-Gang All-Stars by Nan Kwame Adjei-Brenyah

2023

December

- Act Like a Lady Think Like a Lord by Celeste Connally
- The Fiction Writer by Jullian Cantor
- The Other Half by Charlotte Wassell
- What Waits in the Woods by Terri Parlato
- Your For the Taking by Gabrielle Korn

November

- Love Interest by Clare Gilmore
- The Reformatory by Tananarive Due
- Midnight is the Darkest Hour by Ashley Winstead
- The Good Part by Sophie Cousens
- The Favorites by Rosemary Hennigan

October

- The Roaring Days of Zora Lily by Noelle Salazar
- Black Sheep by Rachel Harrison
- Death Valley by Melissa Broder
- The Burnout by Sophie Kinsella
- Starter Villain by John Scalzi
- Rouge by Mona Awad

September

- Learned by Heart by Emma Donoghue
- Amazing Grace Adams by Fran Littlewood
- The Lounge Game by Elena Armas
- Bridge by Lauren Beukes
- Perfectly Nice Neighbors by Kia Abdullah

August

- Small Worlds by Caleb Azumah Nelson

- How Can I Help You by Laura Sims
- California Golden by Melanie Benjamin
- Business or Pleasure by Rachel Lynn Solomon
- Mister Magic by Kiersten White

July

- The Paris Daughter by Kristin Harmel
- The Memory of Animals by Claire Fuller
- The Drowning Woman by Robyn Harding
- Same Time Next Year by Annabel Monaghan
- The Rachel Incident by Caroline O'Donoghue

June

- Ascension by Nicholas Binge
- Cassandra in Reverse by Holly Smale
- Practice Makes Perfect by Sarah Adams
- The Chateau by Jaclyn Goldis
- The Guest by Emma Cline

May

- This Bird Has Flown by Susanna Hoffs
- An American Beauty by Shana Abe
- The Perfect Ones by Nicole Hackett
- Swamp Story by Dave Berry
- Chain-Gang All-Stars by Nan Kwame Adjei-Brenyah

April

- What Happened to Ruthy Ramirez by Claire Jimenez
- A likely Story by Leigh McMullian Abramson
- A Spinster's Guide to Danger and Dukes by Manda Collins
- A Brief History of Living Forever by Jaroslav Kalfar
- Death of a Book Seller by Alice Slater

March

- Sink by Joseph Earl Thomas
- The Magicians' Daughter by H.G. Parry
- 48 Clues into the Disappearance of my Sister by Joyce Carol Oates
- Big Swiss by Jen Beagin
- For Her Consideration by Amy Spalding

February

- A Half-Kaked Murder by Emily George
- Liar, Dreamer, Thief by Maria Dong
- The House Of Eve by Sadeqa Johnson
- The Dream Builders by Oindrila Mukherjee
- The Sweet Spot by Amy Poeppel

January

- Desery Creatures by Kay Chronister
- All the Dark Places by Terri Parlato
- How To Turn Into A Bird by Maria Jose Ferrada
- The New Life by Tom Crewe

- The Key To My Heart by Lia Louis
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2022

December

- None of This Would Have Happened If Prince Were Alive by Caolyn Prusa
- Aesthetica by Allie Rowbottom
- Meredith, Alone by Caire Alexander
- Factory Girls by Michelle Gallen
- Twice In A Lifetime by Melissa Baron

November

- Singer Distance by Ethan Chatagnier
- Gilded Mountain by Kate Manning
- The Other Side of Night by Adam Hamdy
- Closer to Okay by Amy Watson
- The Socialite's Guide to Murder by S.K. Golden

October

- Ithaca by Clare North
- The Night Ship by Jess Kidd
- The Marsh Queen by Virginia Hartman
- The House in the Orchard by Elizabeth Brooks