

Menagerie: The Animals in Our Lives

A Book Discussion Series

The Milford Public Library's Fall 2018 book discussions will be books with a focus on the animals in our lives. We'll be discussing the novels *A Dog's Purpose* by W. Bruce Cameron and *The Horse Dancer* by Jojo Moyes, along with the memoir *H is for Hawk* by Helen Macdonald.

Meetings are in the Community Room from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. on the second Monday of September, October, and November: Monday, September 10, 2018; Monday, October 8, 2018; and Monday, November 12, 2018.

Registration for this series begins on Monday, August 6, 2018. To register for one or more discussions:

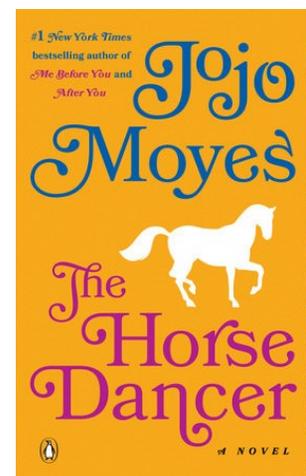
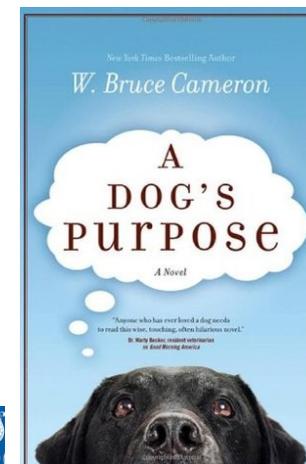
- Fill out the registration form in this brochure and hand it in at the Adult Reference desk or mail it to the library
- Call the Adult Services department at 248-684-0845, option 3

Books and/or books-on-CD can be reserved for participants. Books and books-on-CD

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To sign up for a discussion:

- Check the title of the book being discussed

To reserve books and/or books-on-CD:

- Check Book to reserve the book
- Check CD to reserve the book-on-CD
- Check both Book and CD to reserve both

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Horse Dancer</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Book | |
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A Dog's Purpose

By W. Bruce Cameron

Monday, September 10, 2018

6:30–8:00 PM

Cameron's novel follows his canine protagonist through numerous incarnations, experiencing a wide range of lives available to dogs in contemporary America: puppy-mill survivor, police dog, family pet, and stray. Through his many lives the dog searches for his purpose, his reason for living, as well as his reason for living again and again.

The Horse Dancer

By Jojo Moyes

Monday, October 8, 2018

6:30–8:00 PM

Fourteen-year-old Sarah only cares about two things: her grandfather and her horse, Boo. While training to join an exclusive French equestrian academy her grandfather suffers a stroke, leaving him in long-term care. The extremely independent Sarah finds herself in the care of a lawyer and her ex-husband; but, without her grandfather's presence, her guardians may not be able to protect Sarah and Boo from the teen's poor choices.



Non-Fiction November Title:

H is for Hawk

By Helen Macdonald

Monday, November 12, 2018

6:30–8:00 PM

Following the sudden death of her father, experienced falconer Macdonald obtains, raises, and trains a goshawk as a means of coping with her loss. Captivated by hawks since her childhood, she sees the goshawk's fierce and untamed anger mirrored in herself. Through her memoir, Macdonald introduces readers to the craft of falconry, and the patience required to successfully raise and train a hawk.