



Pack the House: Recommendations for Star-Quality Book Discussions



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Do not be afraid



It's actually okay if you're nervous

Title Choices:



Dare to be different - it's okay to pick something offbeat!

Go with your gut: you know your group

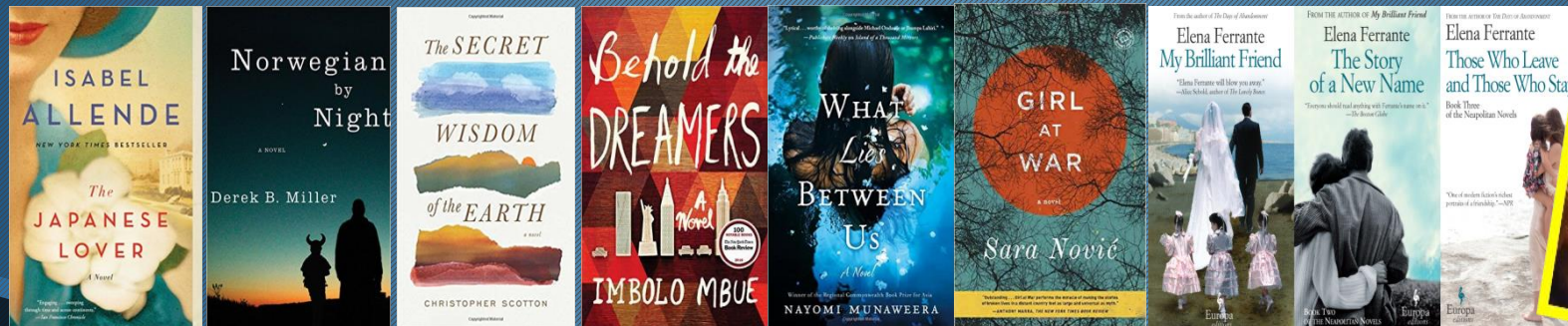
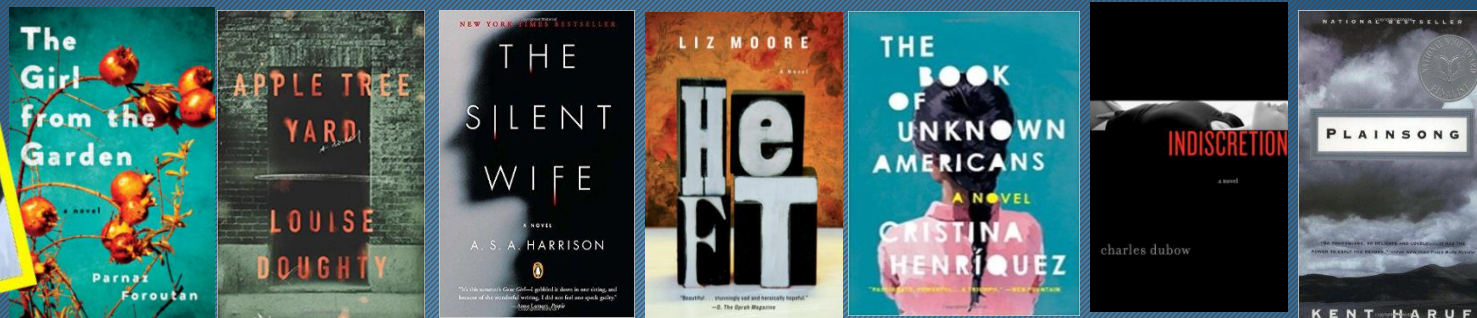
You won't always pick a winner

Talk to your colleagues

Our proven winners:



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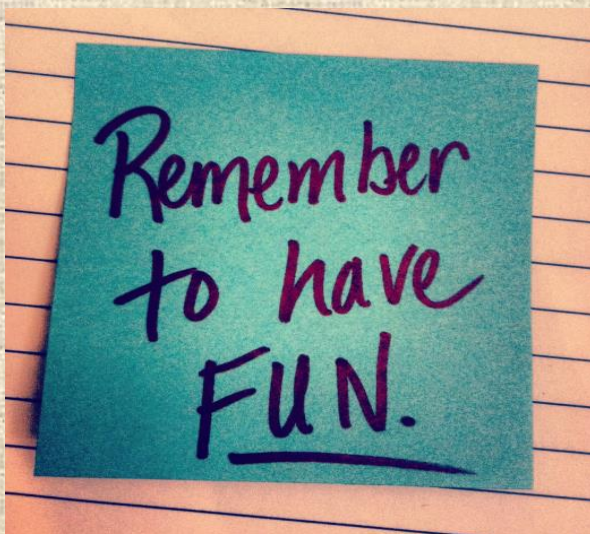


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Moderating/Facilitating/Wrangling:

- Practice makes mostly perfect.
- Prep makes it easier to wrangle.
 - Don't be discouraged.
 - Go with your gut.
 - Respect!



Be prepared
and
Keep it fun!



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**Thanks for
joining us!**

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Our proven book discussion winners:

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The Girl From the Garden by Parnaz Foroutan
Apple Tree Yard by Louise Doughty
The Silent Wife by A.S.A Harrison
Heft by Liz Moore
The Book of Unknown Americans by Cristina Henriquez
Indiscretion by Charles Dubow
Plainsong by Kent Haruf (Plainsong Trilogy)

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Japanese Lover by Isabel Allende
Norwegian by Night by Derek B. Miller
The Secret Wisdom of Earth by Christopher Scotton
Behold the Dreamers by Imbolo Mbue
What Lies Between Us by Nayomi Munaweera
Girl at War by Sara Novic
My Brilliant Friend Trilogy by Elena Ferrante

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A Man Called Ove by Frerik Backman
To Kill A Mockingbird by Harper Lee
The Perfume Collector by Kathleen Tesaro
The Death Instinct by Jed Rubenfeld
The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins
The Woman in Cabin 10 by Ruth Ware

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