

Kentlands Book Group  
***Out of the Best Books***

Month	Title	Author	Discussion Leader	Hostess
<b>1999</b>				
December	Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	J.K. Rowling	Anne Beecroft	
<b>2000</b>				
February	Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage	Alfred Lansing	Mary Markoff	
March	Mansfield Park	Jane Austen	group	
April	The Count of Monte Cristo	Alexander Dumas	group	
May	The Giver	Lois Lowry	Diane Romney	
June	Their Eyes Were Watching God	Zora Neale Hurston	Jen Markoff	
July	To School Through the Woods: An Irish Country Childhood	Alice Taylor	Terry Sabin	
September	Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglas: An American Slave	Frederick Douglas	Juliane Huguely	
October	Les Miserables (Abridged)	Victor Hugo, Charles E. Wilbour, translator	Jen Markoff	
November	The Killer Angels	Michael Shaara	Kate Shaffer	
December	Failure is Impossible: Susan B. Anthony in Her Own Words	Lynn Scherr	Anne Beecroft	
<b>2001</b>				
January	Out of the Dust	Karen Hesse	Diane Romney	
February	Cheaper by the Dozen	Frank Gilbreath, Jr. & Ernestine Gilbreath Carey	Nicole Hunter	
March	Death Comes for the Archbishop	Willa Cather	Anne Beecroft	
April	Huckleberry Finn	Mark Twain	Nancy Lee	
May & June	The Sound and the Fury	William Faulkner	Grace Wilson-Fletcher	
July	A Gift From the Sea	Anne Morrow Lindbergh	Becky Talbert	
September	Anna Karenina	Leo Tolstoy	Heidi Taylor	
October	The Mill on the Floss or Silas Mariner	George Eliot	Diane Romney	
November	Mere Christianity	C.S. Lewis	Terry Sabin	
<b>2002</b>				
January	The Long Walk	Slavomir Rawicz	Anne Beecroft	
February	Ender's Game	Orson Scott Card	group	
March	Howard's End	E.M. Forster	Anne Beecroft	
April	Miriam's Kitchen	Elizabeth Ehrlich	Anne Beecroft	
May	The Good Earth	Pearl S. Buck	Diane Romney	
June	The Bronze Bow	Elizabeth George Speare	Anjie Martinis	
July	Letters of a Woman Homesteader	Eleanor Pruitt Stewart	Lynne Morgan	
September	Gone With the Wind	Margaret Mitchell	Valerie Dickey	
October	A Merchant of Venice	William Shakespeare	Terry Sabin	
November	Flatland	Edwin Abbott	Connie Johnston	
<b>2003</b>				
January	The Diary of Young Girl	Anne Frank	Sharon Beebe	
February	The Friendly Persuasion	Jessamyn West	Kate Crane (Shaffer)	
March	Kim	Rudyard Kipling	Anne Beecroft	
April	To Kill A Mockingbird	Harper Lee	Diane Romney	
May	From Beirut to Jerusalem	Thomas Friedman	Janet Gress	
June	West With the Night	Beryl Markham	Anne Beecroft	
July	The Shakeress	Kimberly Heuston	Anne Beecroft	
September	John Adams	David McCullough	Teresa Wallace	
October	A Girl Named Zippy	Haven Kimmel	Becky Talbert	
November	Mitten Strings for God: Reflections for Mothers in a Hurry	Katrina Kenison	Jen Markoff	
<b>2004</b>				
January	Growing Up	Russell Baker	Lynne Morgan	
February	Brothers in Valor, A Story of Resistance	Michael O. Tunnell	Anne Beecroft	
March	The Secret Life of Bees	Sue Kidd Monk	Lora Zarchin	
April	The Best of Robert Service (Canadian Poet 1874 - 1958)	Robert Service	Terry Sabin	
May	Galileo	Bertolt Brecht	Teresa Wallace	
June	Jean De Florette	Marcel Pagnol	Nicole Hunter	
July	Excessively Diverted: the Sequel to Jane Austen's Pride and Prejudice	Juliette Shapiro	Anne Beecroft	

September	Leap of Faith: Memoirs of an Unexpected Life	Queen Noor	Lora Zarchin
October	Founding Mothers	Cokie Roberts	Diane Romney
November	Moonstone	Wilkie Collins	Kate Crane (Shaffer)
<b>2005</b>			
January	Daisy Miller	Henry James	Anne Beecroft
February	The Great Gatsby	F. Scott Fitzgerald	Anne Beecroft
March & April	Reading Lolita in Tehran: A Memoir in Books	Azar Nafisi	Anne Beecroft
May	Dandelion Wine	Ray Bradbury	Kristen Lewis
June	Mississippi Trial	Chris Crowe	Anne Beecroft
July	The Four Agreements: A Practical Guide to Personal Freedom	Don Miguel Ruiz	Katie Axley
September	Eugene Onegin: A Novel in Verse	Alexander Pushkin (translation James E. Falen)	Anne Beecroft
October	1776	David McCullough	Lynne Morqan
November	Follow the River	James Alexander Thom	Diane Romney
<b>2006</b>			
January	Where Nothing is Long Ago	Virginia Sorenson	Anne Beecroft
February	A Tree Grows in Brooklyn	Betty Smith	Lora Zarchin
March	A Study in Scarlet	Arthur Conan Doyle	Kate Shaffer
April	Joseph Smith: Rough Stone Rolling	Richard Lyman Bushman	Merikay Smith
May	The Alchemist: A Fable About Following Your Dream	Paulo Coelho	group
June	"The Gift Outright", "For John F. Kennedy His Inauguration", "Away"	Robert Frost	Anne Beecroft
July	Hoot	Carl Hiaasen	Anjie Martinis
September	The Lemon Tree: An Arab, a Jew, and the Heart of the Middle East	Sandy Tolan	Anne Beecroft
October	The City of Ember	Jeane Du Prau	Nicole Hunter
November	The Color of Water: A Black Man's Tribute to His White Mother	James McBride	Katie Axley
<b>2007</b>			
January	The Sewing Circles of Herat	Christina Lamb	Linda Shawen
February	The Peacegiver	James L. Ferrell	Diane Romney
March	Three Cups of Tea	Greg Mortenson, David Olive Relin	Linda Frankish
May	Little Britches: Father and I Were Ranchers	Ralph Moody	MaryAnn Parsons
July	In An Instant	Lee Woodruff, Bob Woodruff	Lora Zarchin
September	The Omnivore's Dilemma	Michael Polla	Chris Linford
October	Persuasion	Jane Austen	Anne Beecroft
November	The Lonesome Gods	Louis L'Amour	Terry Sabin
<b>2008</b>			
January	These is My Words: The Diary of Sarah Agnes Prine 1881 - 1901	Nancy E. Furner	Jen Markoff
February	What Happy People Know	Can Baker & Cameron Stauth	Diane Romney
March	Dance of the Happy Shades	Alice Munro	Rachel Sabin
April	The Book Thief	Marcus Zusak	Lynne Morqan
May	While They're At War: The True Story of American Families on the Homefront	Kristin Henderson	Lauris Hunter
June	Sense and Sensibility	Jane Austen	Anne Beecroft
July	Twilight	Stephenie Meyer	Terry Sabin
September	Mao's Last Dancer	Li Cunxin	Diane Romney
October	Ella Minnow Pea: A Novel in Letters	Mark Dunn	Diane Romney
November	So Big	Edna Farber	Connie Loomis
<b>2009</b>			
February	An Ideal Husband	Oscar Wilde	Terry Sabin
March	My Early Life, 1874 - 1904	Winston Churchill	Ruth Jacobs
April	The Glass Castle	Jeannette Walls	Lynne Morgan
May	Women Making America	Heidi Hemming, Julie Savage	Julie Savage
June	Forgiving Ourselves	Wendy Ulrich	Diane Romney
July	Christy	Catherine Marshall	
September	The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society	Mary Ann Shaffer & Annie Barrows	Diane Romney
October	The Screwtape Letters	C. S. Lewis	Becky Talbert
November	Eusebius, the Church History	Eusebius	Merikay Smith
December	<b>1st Annual Christmas Party</b>		Diane Romney
<b>2010</b>			

January	The Madonnas of Leningrad	Debra Dean	Lynne Morgan	
February	Peace Like a River	Leif Enger	Terry Sabin	
March	The Help	Kathryn Stockett	Kari Knell	
May	North and South	Elizabeth Gaskell	Terry Sabin	
September	My Stroke of Insight	Jill Bolte Taylor	Diane Romney	
October	The Hunger Games	Suzanne Collins	Jeannette Myers	
December	<b>2nd Annual Christmas Party</b>		Terry Sabin	
<b>2011</b>				
January	Girls On the Edge, Why Gender Matters	Leo Sax	Katie Axley	
February	Boys Adrift	Leo Sax	Katie Axley	
March	Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide	Nicholas D. Kristoff, Sheryl WuDunn	Lauris Hunter	
April	Beloved Bridegroom	Donna B. Nielsen	Diane Romney	
May	You Don't Have to be Famous to Write the Story of Your Life	Steve Zousmer	Sharron Barnum	
June	Laddie: A True Blue Story	Gene Stratton Porter	Mary Ann Parsons	
July	Wives and Daughters	Elizabeth Gaskell	Kate Shaffer	
October	Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival Resilience and Redemption	Laura Hillenbrand	Diane Romney	
November	Major Pettigrew's Last Stand	Helen Simonson	Ann Jex	
December	<b>3rd annual Christmas Party</b>		Kate Shaffer	Kate Shaffer
<b>2012</b>				
January	God Grew Tired Of Us	John Bul Dau		
February	Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet	Jamie Ford		
March	To Kill A Mockingbird	Harper Lee	Jennifer Markoff	
April	Crossing to Safety	Wallace Stegner		
May	Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	Nicole Hunter	
June	The Children, The Age of Innocence, Ethan Frome, The Glimpse of the Moon	Edith Wharton		
July	Cranford	Elizabeth Gaskell		
September	The Killer Angels	Michael Shaara	Kate Shaffer	
October	Rebecca	Daphne du Maurier		
November	Caleb's Crossing	Geraldine Brooks		
December	<b>4th annual Christmas Party</b>		Merikay Smith	
<b>2013</b>				
January	Brigham Young	John Turner	Merikay Smith	
February	Lincoln's Battle with God- A President's Struggle with faith and what it meant for America	Stephen Mansfield	Mary Markoff	
March	American Sphinx - The Character of Thomas Jefferson	Joseph Ellis	Merikay Smith	
April	A Perfect Union: Dolly Madison and the Creation of the American Nation	Catherine Allgot	Lauris Hunter	
May	The Light Between Oceans	LM Stedman	Sharron Barnum	
June	Daughter of Time	Josephine Tey	Linda Shawen	
July				
September	The Postmistress	Sarah Blake	Linda Shawen	
October	Painting as a Pastime	Winston Churchill	Sharron Barnum	
November	The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks	Rebecca Skloot	Merikay Smith	
December	<b>5th annual Christmas Party</b>			
<b>2014</b>				
January	Fearless	Eric Blehm	Lora Zarchin	Mary Ellen Rose
February	Monuments Men	Robert M. Edsell	Mimi Chipman & Sharron Barnum	Ann Jex
March	In the Heart of the Sea	Nathaniel Philbrick	Sharron Barnum	Sharron Barnum
April	Out of Egypt & Road to Cana	Ann Rice	Mary Ellen Rose	Merikay Smith
May	The Tiger Rising	Kate DiCamillo	Anjie Martinis	Mimi Chipman
June	David and Goliath	Malcolm Gladwell	Mary Ann Parsons	Linda Shawen
July	Gone with the Wind (movie night)			RoseMarie Briggs
September	The Anatomy of Peace	The Arbinger Institute	Katie Axley	
October	The Shoemaker's Wife	Adriana Trigiani	Ann Jex	Marinda Crowder
November	Jane Eyre	Charlotte Bronte	Jill Bond	Corinne Nelson
December	<b>6th annual Christmas Party</b>			