

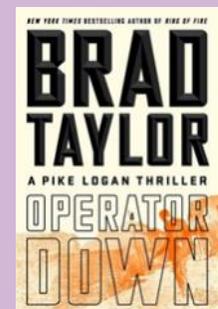
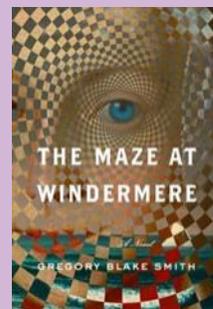
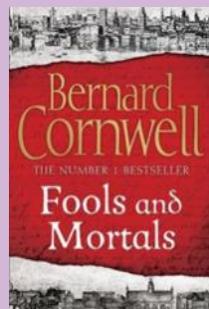
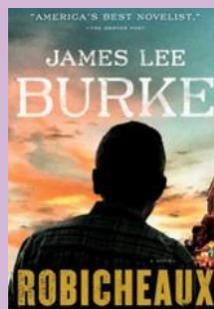
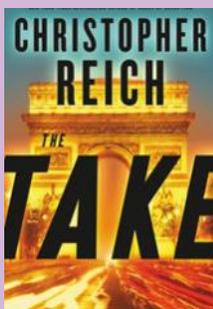
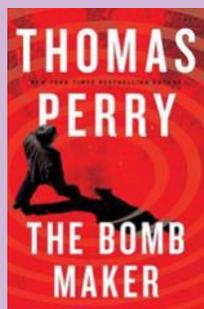
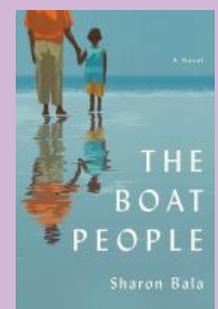
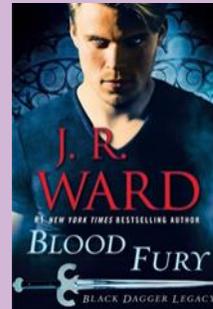
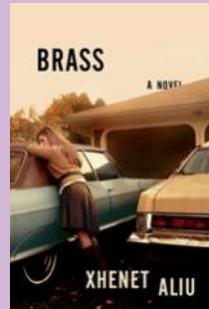
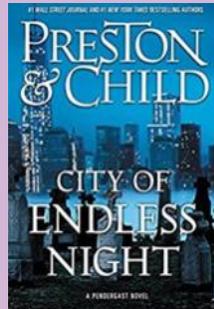
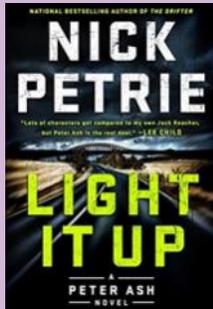
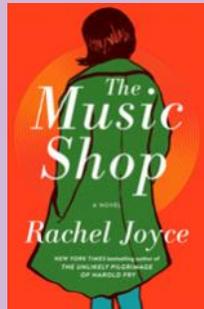
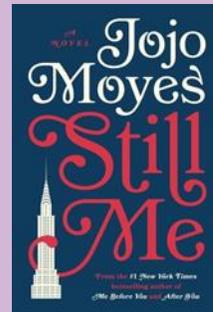
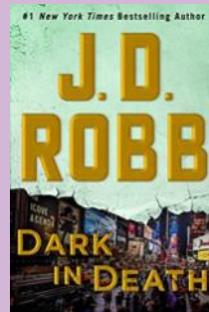
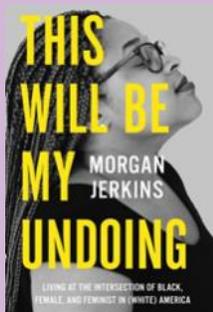
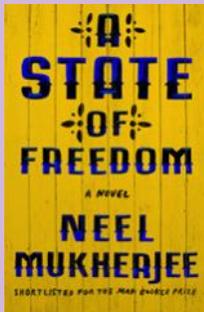
All Booked Up

January 2018

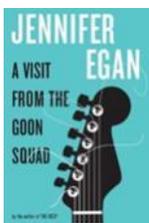
Windsor Library's
Newsletter
for Readers



Coming soon to a bookshelf near you:
(Place your hold today!)



Staff Pick of the Month



A Visit from the Goon Squad by Jennifer Egan

A Visit from the Goon Squad is a sprawling examination on the ravages of time on a group of individuals connected to a SoCal punk band in the early 1980's. The novel jumps around in time and only spends a chapter with each character. No perspective is revisited, but readers get to see past characters through a new set of eyes at different points in their lives. The structure makes it difficult to tell a cohesive narrative, and it is probably to Goon Squad's benefit that it doesn't try to stick to a single story. Threads are dropped off and questions are left unanswered, which was occasionally frustrating but by and large, this was an engrossing, rewarding read. Egan's new novel, Manhattan Beach, hit shelves in October.

No, But I Read the Book



Ready Player One by Ernest Cline

Before the movie comes out, be sure to read Ready Player One by Ernest Cline, especially if your formative years fell somewhere in the 1980's, or if you're a big fan of computer games. In a future dystopia, our hero, an appealing underdog who lives near the top of a high-rise made of trailers piled on top of trailers, must do online battle with wealthy corporate teams to find the "egg" hidden in the online world by its creator. Whoever finds it will inherit the virtual world. Our hero has an edge and just might win.

A Top Pick of 2017



The Child Finder by Rene Denfeld

Three years after five-year-old Madison Culver vanished while her family was choosing a Christmas tree in Oregon's Skookum National Forest, her family hires Investigator Naomi as their last hope to try to find her. Naomi has an almost otherworldly talent for finding lost children, possibly because she, herself, was once a lost child. Told in the alternating voices of Naomi and little Madison, who spins a fairy tale that helps keep her alive, The Child Finder is fascinating, well written, and impossible to put down.

Read All Booked Up from home! Sign up for our email newsletter at windsorlibrary.com.

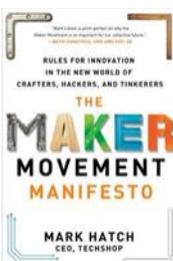
Spotlight on: Make it on the Mezzanine

Welcome to 2018 - this is a new year and it can be a new you. Would you like to pick up a new talent or hobby? Have you been upstairs to our Mezzanine? Come in and de-stress for an hour or two and make something using one of our machines. Or bring your project to a space with ample tables, scissors, glue, tape, stamps, and materials galore! Here are some helpful books from the mezzanine and library shelves.



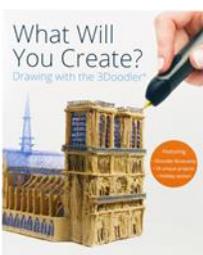
Modern Machine Embroidery by Lisa Archer

If you are just getting started with your embroidery machine, this book offers the know-how you need to embroider like a pro and create endless embroidery style. Inside, you'll find detailed step-by-step instructions along with essential information about stabilizer, thread, fabric, hooping, and more. You'll learn how to create fashionable appliques and custom monograms, as well as amazing in-the-hoop embroidery projects that take full advantage of today's embroidery machine capabilities.



The Maker Movement Manifesto by Mark Hatch

A co-founder of the popular makerspace TechShop discusses the growing maker movement, describing how ordinary individuals are using previously unavailable tools and technologies to create innovative products and successful businesses.



What Will You Create: Drawing with the 3Doodler by Joshua Klausner

This book will guide you through the basics of how to use your 3Doodler 3D printing pen with 26 exciting projects. The projects range from simple to challenging, making learning fun and easy. It also includes special multi-project holiday section to help you put your own creative spin on decorating for those special occasions.



The Costume Making Guide by Svetlana Quindt

Packed with more than 30 step-by-step demonstrations that teach the skills you need to bring all your favorite characters to life no matter the genre, Kamui Cosplay deconstructs the work that goes into making a complete costume, from the first thought to the final photo. Tutorials cover design planning, fabricating body armor, 3D painting techniques, and more. Best of all, you can adapt every lesson to use in all future fandom projects spanning video games, books, anime, movies, and even your own original characters!



The Big Book of Hacks from Popular Science

In this reboot of the popular 2012 title, readers will find a collection of the most up-to-date and thrilling DIY tech projects around -- straight from the experts at Popular Science magazine. Updated with new and more modern projects, the Big Book of Hacks the perfect book for aspiring makers, curious young techies and old-school enthusiasts alike ... especially any who love using a soldering iron! Charge up that drill, fire up your soldering iron, and get ready to hack! Starting with a robust introduction to basic yet essential maker skills and followed by four comprehensive chapters of hack projects, this book has everything you'll need.

"I kept thinking about the uneven quality of time — the way it was almost always so empty, and then with no warning came a few days that felt so dense and alive and real that it seemed indisputable that that was what life was, that its real nature had finally been revealed."

—Elif Batuman, The Idiot

