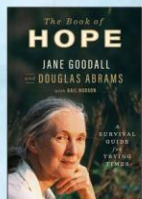
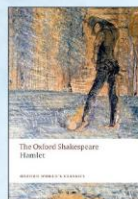


Friendly Book Discussion Group

Meets on the 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30p.m.
Grant R. Brimhall Library Technology Training Room and on Zoom



January 15, 2026 *3rd Thursday
this month only*
The Book of Hope
by Jane Goodall &
Douglas Abrams

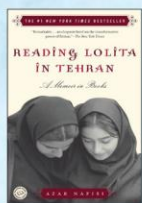


July 2, 2026
Hamlet
by William Shakespeare

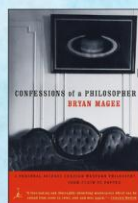
February 5, 2026
Sanshirō
by Natsume Sōseki



August 6, 2026
**One Day, Everyone Will Have
Always Been Against This**
by Omar El Akkad



March 5, 2026
Reading Lolita in Tehran
by Azar Nafisi

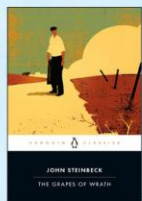


September 3, 2026
Confessions of a Philosopher
by Bryan Magee

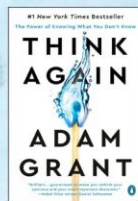
April 2, 2026
The Fox Wife
by Yangsze Choo



October 1, 2026
The Handmaid's Tale
by Margaret Atwood

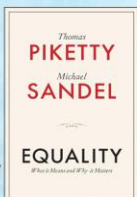


May 7, 2026
The Grapes of Wrath
by John Steinbeck



November 5, 2026
Think Again
by Adam Grant

June 4, 2026
**Equality: What It Means and
Why It Matters**
by Michael Sandel & Thomas Piketty



December 3, 2026
Annual Year End Event
Details to be announced



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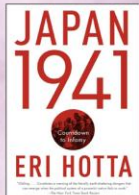
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History Book Discussion Group

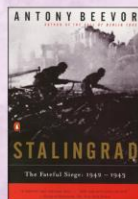
Meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Goebel Adult Community Center, 1385 E. Janss Road, Thousand Oaks



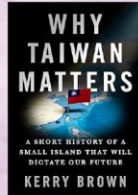
January 8, 2026
*Japan 1941:
 Countdown to Infamy*
 by Eri Hotta

February 12, 2026
*Stalingrad:
 The Fateful Siege: 1942-1943*
 by Antony Beevor



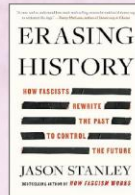
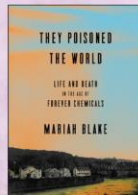
March 12, 2026
War
 by Bob Woodward

April 9, 2026
Why Taiwan Matters
 by Kerry Brown



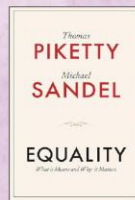
May 14, 2026
*One Day, Everyone Will Have
 Always Been Against This*
 by Omar El Akkad

June 11, 2026
They Poisoned the World
 by Mariah Blake



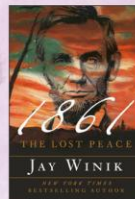
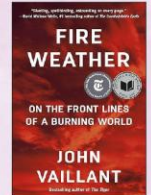
July 9, 2026
*Erasing History: How Fascists Rewrite
 the Past to Control the Future*
 by Jason Stanley

August 13, 2026
*Democracy Awakening: Notes
 on the State of America*
 by Heather Cox Richardson



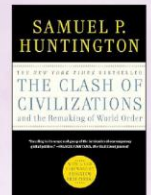
September 10, 2026
*Equality: What It Means
 and Why It Matters*
 by Thomas Piketty & Michael Sandel

October 8, 2026
*Fire Weather: A True Story
 from a Hotter World*
 by John Vaillant



November 12, 2026
1861: The Lost Peace
 by Jay Winik

December 10, 2026
*The Clash of Civilizations and
 the Remaking of World Order*
 by Samuel P. Huntington



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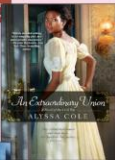


The ²⁰²⁶ Happily Ever After Book Club

Join the Thousand Oaks Library as we chat about our favorite romance novels, where a Happily Ever After (HEA) – or a Happily For Now (HFN) – is always guaranteed.



January 12
The Understatement of the Year
by Sarina Bowen



February 9
An Extraordinary Union
by Alyssa Cole



March 9
Lore Olympus
by Rachel Smythe



April 13
Single Player
by Tara Tai



May 11
Stalked by the Kraken
by Lillian Lark



June 8
Lady Eve's Last Con
by Rebecca Fraimow

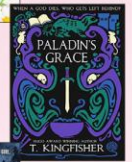
July 13
Free Hand
by E.M. Lindsey



August 17
The Bromance Book Club
by Lyssa Kay Adams



September 14
Paladin's Grace
by T. Kingfisher



October 12
Your Knife, My Heart
by K.M. Moronova



November 9
Can't Spell Treason Without Tea
by Rebecca Thorne





December 14
Love You a Latke
by Amanda Elliot



Mondays • 6:30pm - 7:30pm
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