## Classics Made Modern Book Discussion Group

### Join a book group in 3 easy steps!

1. **Read exemplary and award-winning literature.**
2. **Discuss how the book remains modern and relevant.**
3. **Repeat monthly.**

### Read the book!

Books are distributed at the previous month’s discussion, or read your own copy.

### Expand your knowledge!

Learn about author bio, historical context, memorable characters, quotes and the critic’s take in a brief presentation.

### Discuss at the library!

Second Monday of Each Month, 1:30–3 pm
Marvin Auditorium 101C

For more information, contact Lissa Staley at classicsmodern@tscpl.org

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### 2017 schedule

#### rode by Thomas Fox Averill
Monday, January 9, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics by Daniel James Brown
Monday, February 13, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Year of Wonders by Geraldine Brooks
Monday, March 13, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail by Cheryl Strayed
Monday, April 10, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Liar, Temptress, Soldier, Spy: Four Women Undercover in the Civil War by Karen Abbott
Monday, May 8, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Whose Names Are Unknown by Sanora Babb
Monday, June 12, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot *(2Book Topeka selection)*
Monday, July 10, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Mr. Penumbra’s 24-Hour Bookstore by Robin Sloan
Monday, August 14, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Devil in the White City: Murder, Magic, and Madness at the Fair that Changed America by Erik Larson *(2Book Topeka selection)*
Monday, September 11, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

A Mercy by Toni Morrison
Monday, October 9, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

Under the Wide and Starry Sky by Nancy Horan
Monday, November 13, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

End of Your Life Book Club by Will Schwalbe
Monday, December 11, 2017 • 1:30-3 p.m.

All discussions in Marvin Auditorium 101C.
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