

Outstanding and Fun Books

With Pacific Northwest Settings

Book talk by Carolyn Petersen and Kathryn Hamilton Wang
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Atwood, Kay. **Chaining Oregon: Surveying the Public Lands of the Pacific Northwest, 1851-1855.** McDonald & Woodward Pub. Co., 2008. 264 p. (non-fiction)
NW 917.9504 ATWOOD 2008; R 917.9504 ATWOOD

Banerjee, Anjali. **Invisible Lives.** Downtown Press, 2006. 280 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 BANERJE 2006

Blanchet, M. Wylie. **The Curve of Time.** Gray's Pub., 1968. 225 p. (non-fiction)
NW 971.13 BLANCHE 1968; RARE 971.13 BLANCHE 1968

*Box, C.J. **Open Season.** G. P. Putnam's Sons, 2001. 293 p. (fiction)

Briggs, Patricia. **Moon Called.** Ace Books, 2006. 288 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 BRIGGS

Cain, Chelsea. **Heartsick.** St. Martin's Minotaur, 2007. 326 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 CAIN 2007

Carr, Emily. **Klee Wyck.** Forewords by Ira Dilworth; Introduction by Kathryn Bridge. Douglas & McIntyre, 2003. 152 p. (non-fiction)
NW 971.1004 CARR 2003; R 971.1004 CARR 2003
Originally published 1942.
NW 971.1004 CARR 1942

Craven, Margaret. **I Heard the Owl Call my Name.** Doubleday, 1973. 166 p. (fiction)
NW 813.54 CRAVEN 1973

Crutcher, Chris. **Deadline.** Greenwillow Books, 2007. 316 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 CRUTCHE 2007; R 813.6 CRUTCHE 2007

Czerneda, Julie. **Survival: Species Imperative #1.** DAW Books, 2004. 401 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 CZERNED 2003

Davis, Claire. **Winter Range.** Picador USA, 2001. 262 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 DAVIS 2001

Dean, Debra. **The Madonnas of Leningrad.** William Morrow, 2006. 231 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 DEAN 2006

- Deverell, William. **April Fool.** McClelland and Stewart, 2006, c2005. 436 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 DEVEREL 2006
- Doig, Ivan. **The Whistling Season.** Harcourt, 2006. 345 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 DOIG 2006
- Downey, Roger. **Riddle of the Bones: Politics, Science, Race and the Story of the Kennewick Man.** Copernicus, 2000. 202 p. (non-fiction)
NW 979.701 DOWNEY 2000; R 979.701 DOWNEY 2000
- Guterson, David. **The Other.** Alfred A. Knopf, 2008. 255 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 GUTERSO 2008; R 813.6 GUTERSO 2008
- Hogan, Linda. **People of the Whale: A Novel.** W.W. Norton, 2008. 303 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 HOGAN 2008
- Josephy Jr., Alvin M. **Nez Perce Country.** Introduction by Jeremy Fivecrows. University of Nebraska Press, 2007. 174 p. (non-fiction)
NW 979.5004 JOSEPHY 2007
- Leighton, Caroline C. **West Coast Journeys, 1865-1879: The Travelogue of a Remarkable Woman.** Introduction by David M. Buerge. Sasquatch Books, 1995. 166 p. (non-fiction)
NW 917.9504 LEIGHTO 1995; R 917.9504 LEIGHTO 1995
Originally published in 1883 under the title *Life at Puget Sound.*
- Lichatowich, Jim. **Salmon Without Rivers: A History of the Pacific Salmon Crisis.** Island Press, 1999. 317 p. (non-fiction)
NW 333.9565 LICHATO 1999
- Lopez, Barry, editor. **Home Ground: Language for an American Landscape.** Trinity University Press, 2006. 449 p. (non-fiction)
RARE 917.3003 HOME GR 2006; 917.3003 HOME GR 2006
- Lukas, J. Anthony. **Big Trouble: A Murder in a Small Western Town Sets off a Struggle for the Soul of America.** Simon & Schuster, 1997. 875 p. (non-fiction)
NW 979.6031 LUKAS 1997; R 979.6031 LUKAS 1997
- Macomber, Debbie. **The Shop on Blossom Street.** Mira, 2004. 344 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 MACOMBE 2004
- *Mangelsen, Thomas D. **Polar Dance: Born of the North Wind.** Images of Nature, 1996. 264 p. (non-fiction)
- *McDougall, Walter. **Let the Sea Make a Noise: A History of the North Pacific From Magellan to MacArthur.** Basic Books, 1993. 793 p. (non-fiction)
- Murphy, C.E. **Urban Shaman.** Luna, 2005. 344 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 MURPHY 2005; R 813.6 MURPHY 2005

Newman, Sharan. **The Shanghai Tunnel.** Forge, 2008. 334 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 NEWMAN 2008

Pringle, Patrick T. **Roadside Geology of Mount Rainier National Park and Vicinity.** Washington State Dept. of Natural Resources, 2008. 190 p. (non-fiction)
NW 557.9778 PRINGLE 2008; R 557.9778 PRINGLE 2008; WA 333.7 G291roa g 2008

Reyes, Lawney L. **B Street: The Notorious Playground of the Coulee Dam.** University of Washington Press, 2008. 155 p. (non-fiction)
NW 979.731 REYES 2008

*Richardson, Bill. **Bachelor Brothers' Bed and Breakfast.** Douglas & McIntyre, 1993. 152 p. (fiction)

Robinson, Marilynne. **Housekeeping.** Farrar Straus Giroux, 1980. 219 p. (fiction)
NW 813.54 ROBINSO 1980; R 813.54 ROBINSO 1980

Soennichsen, John. **Bretz's Flood: The Remarkable Story of a Rebel Geologist and the World's Greatest Flood.** Sasquatch Books, 2008. 289 p. (non-fiction)
NW 550.92 SOENNIC 2008

Stirling, S.M. **Dies the Fire.** New American Library, 2004. 483 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 STIRLIN 2004

Taylor, Timothy. **Stanley Park.** Counterpoint, 2002. 423 p. (fiction)
NW 813.54 TAYLOR 2002

Watson, Larry. **Montana 1948: A Novel.** Washington Square, 1995. 175 p. (fiction)
NW 813.54 WATSON 1995

Wiggins, Marianne. **The Shadow Catcher.** Simon & Schuster, 2007. 323 p. (fiction)
NW 813.6 WIGGINS 2007; R 813.6 WIGGINS 2007

*Wilhelm, Kate. **Death Qualified: A Mystery of Chaos.** St. Martins, 1991. 438 p. (fiction)

Yahgulanaas, Michael Nicoll. **Flight of the Hummingbird.** With essays by Wangari Maathai and His Holiness the Dalai Lama. Greystone, 2008. 61 p. (fiction)
R 759.11 YAHGULA 2008

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