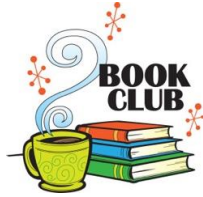


IRSC Book Club - Discussion Tips and Schedule



1. Prepare by reading the book before the book club session for each selection. If you don't finish, come to the session anyway – but beware of story spoilers 😊.
2. As you are reading take notes or bookmark any favorite passages or quotes that you would like share with the club (note page numbers so everyone can read along in their own book). These could be about something you learned, something that inspired you, something that you found emotionally touching or funny – anything you want to share.
3. Take a look at the discussion questions ahead of time and choose one or two that you are most interested in talking about.
4. During the discussions, try to focus on specific aspects of the story as opposed to general statements like “that was boring” or “that was a really great book”,
5. Enjoy the fun of sharing your thoughts and hearing how others experienced the same reading adventure.

*Adapted from the American Library Association's tips on book discussions.
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What's coming up:

May 12, 2021	The Rose Code	Historical fiction
June 9, 2021	Sun Down Motel	Mystery
July 14, 2021	The Four Winds	Historical fiction
August 11, 2021	Midnight Library	Fiction/fantasy
September 14, 2021	The Agitators	Nonfiction/history