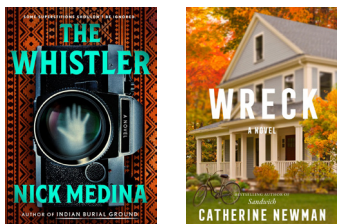
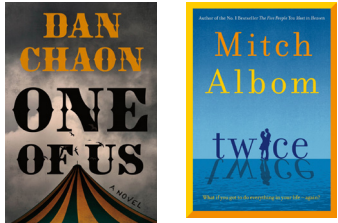


Between the Covers

See our selection of new books coming to Rocky River Public Library this Summer!



SEPTEMBER

One of Us
Dan Chaon

Thirteen-year-old twins Bolt and Eleanor flee their violent uncle and find a new home with Mr. Jengling, founder of the Emporium of Wonders. The two join their fellow misfits to travel the country, but as Bolt bonds with their new companions, Eleanor begins pulling away.

Vianne
Joanne Harris

Vianne finally feels in control of her life after settling in Marseille. Her job as a waitress and new friends have helped her come to terms with her pregnancy. When she begins experimenting in the kitchen, her recipes include a dose of magic in the form of bittersweet chocolate.

Amity
Nathan Harris

Coleman and June are formerly enslaved siblings who were separated when their old master Mr. Harper took June to Mexico. When a letter arrives summoning Coleman to Mexico, he’s unprepared for the disaster that awaits as he searches to find June.

What We Can Know
Ian McEwan

At a dinner party in 2014, renowned poet Francis reads ‘A Corona for Vivien,’ dedicated to his wife. One hundred years in the future, Thomas is a lonely scholar who chases the ghost of that poem and finds instead a story of entangled love and brutal crime.

The Whistler
Nick Medina

Henry’s ghost-hunting career is on hold as he learns to navigate life back on the reservation in a wheelchair. But he’s not alone. As his grandparents and girlfriend assist him with recovery, a specter haunts nearby, forcing him to confront his past and his reality.

Wild Reverence
Rebecca Ross

Matilda is a young goddess with messenger magic. Forced to come of age quickly, Matilda must carry letters through the realms where alliances break as quickly as the gods kill. Along the way, she remembers the mortal boy who dreams of her and knows they’re destined to find each other.

OCTOBER

Twice
Mitch Albom

Alfie has the ability to get a second chance at anything, but he must accept the consequences, whatever they may be. When he falls in love with Gianna, his magical ability isn’t needed as he finds contentment. Until years later, when he risks losing it all.

Girl Dinner
Olivia Blake

The House is the most exclusive sorority on campus, and sophomore Nina knows it’s the first step to her future. Professor Sloane is struggling to accept a demotion, but when she’s invited to be The House’s academic liaison, both women learn that living well comes with bloody costs.

This Is the Only Kingdom
Jaquira Diaz

Filled with dreams of life with local musician Rey, Maricarmen envisions a future free of her tight-knit community. Years later, she and her daughter Nena find themselves in the midst of a murder investigation with the very same community turned against them.

Boleyn Traitor
Philippa Gregory

Jane Boleyn’s survival demands her commitment to the Tudor court. As the devoted sister to Anne, she’s an obedient spy and a loving wife who must rely on her wit and secrets to maintain her place. In a court ruled by ambition, one wrong move could cost everything.

Wreck
Catherine Newman

Rocky’s life is finally stable. Her daughter is back home after college, her son has a new job, and her father Mort has just moved in. Everything is normal, until a local accident finds Rocky obsessed with an event that only tangentially affects them as community members.

Gone Before Goodbye
Reese Witherspoon & Harlan Coben

Maggie’s life as a highly skilled Army combat surgeon has always gone to plan until tragedy strikes and her medical license is revoked. Around the world a mysterious and wealthy man requires medical assistance, and Maggie finds herself pulled into a world of opulence and secrecy.

NOVEMBER

Cursed Daughters
Oyinkan Braithwaite

Ebun’s daughter Eniiyi is born the day the family buries her cousin Monife. The family curse arises as does the belief that Eniiyi is the reincarnation of the dead woman. As Eniiyi grows up, she must confront her family’s history and search for solutions in the dark corners of Lagos.

Lucky Seed
Justinian Huang

The Suns are the typical American billionaires facing a crisis: there must be a male heir to carry on the clan’s surname. When the matriarch Roses presents her favorite nephew with a challenge to produce an heir who will inherit everything, the family clashes in an epic war.

Queen Esther
John Irving

Esther is a fourteen-year-old Jewish orphan about to become a ward of the state. Dr. Larch knows Esther’s chance of finding a family to adopt her will be difficult, but when he meets the philanthropic Winslows, he’s hopeful. As Esther traces her roots back to Vienna, she finds her identity.

The Silver Book
Olivia Laing

Nicholas is a young artist arriving in Venice in 1974 when he meets Danilo, an illusionist known for his spectacular additions to cinema. When Danilo brings Nicholas to Rome, the two begin to work on a film together. But Nicholas has a looming secret that could mean tragedy.

The Burning Library
Gilly Macmillan

For over a hundred years, two organizations have attempted to secure a piece of an original medieval manuscript. When Eleanor Bruton’s body was found on the shores of Scotland, it seemed to be an ordinary case. But she was harboring the secret of an ancient text surrounded by shadows.

Palaver
Bryan Washington

A young man spends his nights with his chosen family at a gay bar in Tokyo. Estranged from his family, he’s shocked when his mother shows up unexpectedly on his doorstep. As the two reconcile their memories and intentions, they attempt to define what home really means.

DECEMBER

Everybody Wants to Rule the World
Ace Atkins

Teenage Peter is convinced his mom’s new boyfriend Gary is a Russian spy. It’s 1984, his mom works at a lab with government ties, and Gary keeps a gun in the glove box. When another female employee at the lab is killed, Peter is determined to protect his mom.

When the Fireflies Dance
Aisha Hassan

A large moon hangs low in the skies of Pakistan the night that Lalloo’s brother is murdered. Haunted by the memory, Lalloo’s parents and sisters are trapped as they work to pay off their debts. As he follows his own destiny, Lalloo must free himself and his family.

Dead Ringer
Chris Hauty

A Jesuit professor and disgraced former Secret Service officer work together to decipher the events behind the JFK assassination on November 22, 1963. Conspiracies abound as they realize that the forces behind the events are still active.

The Birdwatcher
Jacquelyn Mitchard

Felicity is a grad student and high-priced escort convicted of double homicide who swears she’s innocent. Her childhood best friend and journalist Reenie knows she’s not capable of murder and begins to uncover the truth, but why didn’t Felicity come to her own defense?

The Time Hop Coffee Shop
Phaedra Patrick

Greta’s quintessential acting role was the star of the Maple Gold coffee commercials, but her days of fame are long gone. When she stumbles into a coffee shop, she wishes for the idyllic life from the commercials and finds herself waking up in the town of Mapleville, where the sun always shines.

House of Day, House of Night
Olga Tokarczuk

In a remote Polish village, a woman settles amongst the odd inhabitants. Between the local drunk, the man whose death was an international incident, and the man whose nightmares come from another planet, the town is haunted and bound by the shards of history and cosmology.

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