

## Summer 2021 Reading Highlights – AAUW Afternoon Literature Group

*Dear Mrs. Bird* and sequel *Yours Cheerfully* – A. J. Pearce

*The Rose Code* – Kate Quinn

*Lightning Strike* – William Kent Krueger (prequel to Cork O'Connor mystery series)

*Pack Up the Moon* – Kristan Higgins

*Crazy Rich Asians* – Kevin Kwan

*The Jane Austen Society* – Natalie Jenner

*Sooley* – John Grisham

*The Chanel Sisters* – Judithe Little

*Where the Grass Is Green and the Girls Are Pretty* – Lauren Weisberger

*The Woman with the Blue Star* – Pam Jenoff

*The Winemaker's Wife* – Kristin Harmel

*The Gift of Our Wounds* – Arno Michaelis & Pardeep Kaleka

*Two if by Sea* – Jacquelyn Mitchard

*The Beekeeper's Apprentice* – Laurie R. King

*A High-End Finish* – Kate Carlisle

*Clawback* – J.A. Jance (Also *Day of the Dead*, *Edge of Evil*, *Skeleton Canyon*, *Dead to Rights*, *Taking the Fifth*)

*The Cinderella Murder* – Mary Higgins Clark & Alafair Burke (Also *All Dressed in White*, *Every Breath You Take*)

*The Tea Girl on Hummingbird Lane* – Lisa See [NOTE: This book is the February Second Choice book.]

*The Tubman Command* – Elizabeth Cobbs

*Harriet Tubman: the Road to Freedom* – Catherine Clinton

*The Orphan Collector: A Heroic Novel of Survival During the 1918 Influenza Pandemic* – Ellen Marie Wiseman

*True Sisters* – Sandra Dallas

*Sunflower Sisters* – Martha Hall Kelly

*Twelve Years Overseas: An Educator's Journey Across the Globe* – Carol Hoffman [Local Appleton Interest]

*Beartown* – Fredrik Backman

*So You Want to Talk About Race* – Ijeoma Oluo

*Into the Woods* – Tana French (1<sup>st</sup> in a series)

*The Marsh King's Daughter* – Karen Dionne

*The Exiles* – Christina Baker Kline

*Moriarty* – Anthony Horowitz (Also *The Word Is Murder*)

*White Nights* – Ann Cleeves (2<sup>nd</sup> book in Shetland Island series with Inspector Jimmy Perez)

*The Crow Trap* – Ann Cleeves (Also *Telling Tales*, *Hidden Depths* – DI Vera Stanhope series)

*The Long Call* – Ann Cleeves (1<sup>st</sup> in new series – Detective Matthew Venn)

*Death by Darjeeling* – Laura Childs (1<sup>st</sup> in the Tea Shop Mysteries series)

*Dog On It: A Chet and Bernie Mystery* – Spencer Quinn (1<sup>st</sup> in series)

*The Grapes of Wrath* – John Steinbeck [Suggested read before *The Four Winds* – Kristin Hannah]

*Murder on Astor Place* – Victoria Thompson (1<sup>st</sup> in the Gaslight Mysteries series)

*The Men of Brewster Place* – Gloria Naylor (Also *The Women of Brewster Place*)

*A Promised Land* – Barack Obama

*Born a Crime* – Trevor Noah

*Homeland Elegies* – Ayad Akhtar

*The Four: The Hidden DNA of Amazon, Apple, Facebook, and Google* – Scott Galloway

*Will's Red Coat: The Story of One Old Dog Who Chose to Live Again* – Tom Ryan