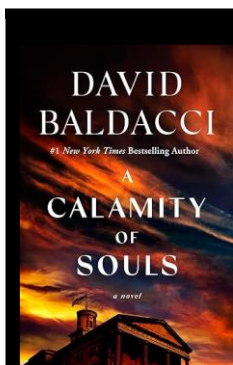




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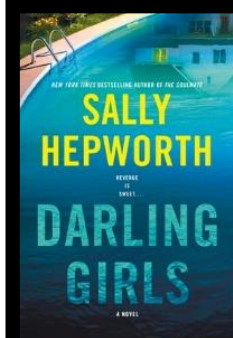
May 2024 Edition

Here are some this month's staff picks and new bestsellers available through the Southeast Regional Library and the Estevan Public Library



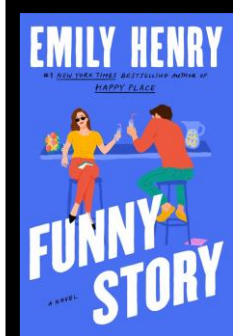
Calamity of Souls by David Baldacci

Set in the tumultuous year of 1968 in southern Virginia, a racially-charged murder case sets a duo of white and Black lawyers against a deeply unfair system as they work to defend their wrongfully-accused Black defendants in this courtroom drama from #1 New York Times bestselling author David Baldacci. Jack Lee is a white lawyer from Freeman County, Virginia, who has never done anything to push back against racism, until he decides to represent Jerome Washington, a Black man charged with brutally killing an elderly and wealthy white couple.



Darling Girls by Sally Hepworth

SISTERS, SECRETS, LOVE, AND MURDER... Sally Hepworth's new novel has it all. For as long as they can remember, Jessica, Norah, and Alicia have been told how lucky they are. As young girls they were rescued from family tragedies and raised by a loving foster mother, Miss Fairchild, on an idyllic farming estate and given an elusive second chance at a happy family life. But their childhood wasn't the fairy tale everyone thinks it was. Miss Fairchild had rules. Miss Fairchild could be unpredictable. And Miss Fairchild was never, ever to be crossed.



Funny Story by Emily Henry

A shimmering, joyful new novel about a pair of opposites with the wrong thing in common. Daphne always loved the way her fiancé Peter told their story. How they met (on a blustery day), fell in love (over an errant hat), and moved back to his lakeside hometown to begin their life together. He really was good at telling it...right up until the moment he realized he was actually in love with his childhood best friend Petra.



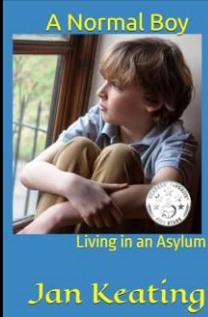
Good Fortune by C. K. Chau

A whip-smart and charming debut novel that brilliantly reimagines Pride and Prejudice, set in contemporary Chinatown, exploring contemporary issues of class divides, family ties, cultural identity, and the pleasures and frustrations that come with falling in love. When Elizabeth Chen's ever-hustling realtor mother finally sells the beloved if derelict community center down the block, the new owners don't look like typical New York City buyers. Brendan Lee and Darcy Wong are good Chinese boys with Hong Kong money. Clean-cut and charismatic, they say they are committed to cleaning up the neighborhood.



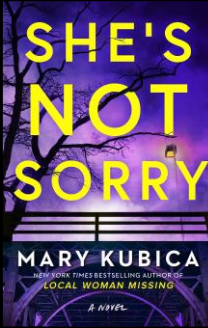
The Legatus Prophecy by Taylor R. Kelly

Remiel is a girl like every other. She has dreams for her life and a smart head on her shoulders that would help her see those become a reality. But when two men follow her into the woods and kidnap her she's left struggling to find a way to survive a world that wants her dead. From local author Taylor R. Kelly.



A Normal Boy Living in an Asylum by Jan Keating

Donald is a "normal boy", living with his family on a prairie farm near Weyburn, Saskatchewan during the "Dirty Thirties". When his father is tragically killed, Donald's mother decides to marry the hired hand, Frank, in order to save her farm. Frank hates children and gives Donald's mother an ultimatum that he will only agree to marry her if she gets rid of her four children. This ultimatum leads to Donald being placed in the Mental Hospital at age 9 where he struggles for many years dealing with horrific trauma, loneliness, abandonment and abuse. Normal children living in this asylum were a well-kept secret.



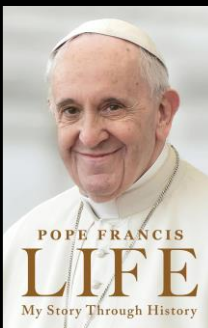
She's Not Sorry by Mary Kubica

An ICU nurse accidentally uncovers a patient's frightening past in this chilling thriller. Meghan Michaels is trying to find balance between being a single mom to a teenage daughter and working as a full time nurse. While on duty at the hospital one day, a patient named Caitlin arrives in a coma with a traumatic brain injury, having jumped from a bridge and plunging over twenty feet to the train tracks below. But when a witness comes forward with shocking details about the fall, it calls everything they know into question. Was Caitlin pushed and if so, by whom and why?



The Storm We Made by Vanessa Chan

A novel about a Malayan mother who becomes an unlikely spy for the invading Japanese forces during WWII—and the shocking consequences that rain upon her community and family. Malaya, 1945. Cecily Alcantara's family is in terrible danger: her fifteen-year-old son, Abel, has disappeared, and her youngest daughter, Jasmin, is confined in a basement to prevent being pressed into service at the comfort stations. Her eldest daughter Jujube, who works at a tea house frequented by drunk Japanese soldiers, becomes angrier by the day. Cecily knows two things: that this is all her fault; and that her family must never learn the truth.



Life: My story through history by Pope Francis

For the first time, Pope Francis tells the story of his life as he looks back on the momentous world events that have changed history—from his earliest years during the outbreak of World War II in 1939 to the turmoil of today. An extraordinary personal and historical journey, Life is the story of a man and a world in dramatic change. Pope Francis recalls his life through memories and observations of the most significant occurrences of the past eight decades, from the Holocaust to the fall of the Berlin Wall, the moon landing in 1969, and even the 1986 World Cup in which Maradona scored the unforgettable "hand of God" goal.



Together Forever In The Clouds: Commemorating the RCAF air disaster September 15, 1946, Estevan, Saskatchewan by Marie Donais Calder

Marie wrote about the true tragedy that claimed the lives of twenty-one young airmen in the twenty-fifth and final novel in her series. After completing 'The Other Side Of Reunion', she soon realized these brave men needed a book of their own. Lester Hinzman had commissioned Darren Jones to design and sculpt Forever in the Clouds, a monument to these men. At that point, she began to feel the urgency of telling their stories. This book is their story. And our story.