

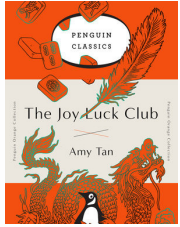
# OAK PARK PUBLIC LIBRARY

# Book Club 2023

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH @ 6:00 PM

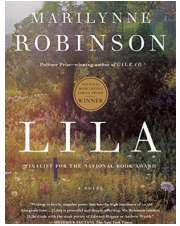
## January 4: *The Memory Keeper's Daughter* by Kim Edwards

This novel begins on a winter night in 1964 in Lexington, Kentucky, when a blizzard forces Dr. David Henry to deliver his own twins and he makes a split second decision that will alter all of their lives forever.



## February 1: *The Joy Luck Club* by Amy Tan

In 1949 four Chinese women, recent immigrants to San Francisco, begin meeting to eat dim sum, play mahjong, and talk. United in shared unspeakable loss and hope, they call themselves the Joy Luck Club.

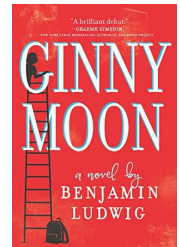


## March 1: *Lila* by Marilynne Robinson

Lila, homeless and alone after years of roaming the countryside, steps inside a small-town Iowa church—the only available shelter from the rain—and ignites a romance and a debate that will reshape her life.

## April 5: *The Original Ginny Moon* by Benjamin Ludwig

What they don't know is that Ginny has no intention of belonging. She's found her birth-mother on Facebook, and is determined to get back to her—even if it means going back to a place that was extremely dangerous.

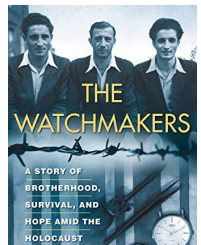


## May 3: *The Secret Life of Bees* by Sue Monk Kidd

Taken in by an eccentric trio of Black beekeeping sisters, Lily is introduced to their mesmerizing world of bees and honey, and the Black Madonna. This is a remarkable novel about divine female power.

## June 7: *The Watchmakers* by Harry & Scott Lenga

Told through meticulous interviews with his son, this is an extraordinary memoir of endurance, faith, and a unique skill that kept three brothers together—and alive—during the darkest times of World War II.

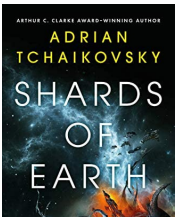


## August 2: *Leadership in Turbulent Times* by Doris Kearns Goodwin

In this culmination of five decades of acclaimed studies in presidential history, Doris Kearns Goodwin offers an illuminating exploration of the origin, uncertain growth, and finally, the exercise of fully developed leadership.

## September 6: *Shards of Earth* by Adrian Tchaikovsky

The Arthur C. Clarke award-winning author of *Children of Time* brings us an extraordinary space opera about humanity on the brink of extinction, and how one man's discovery will save or destroy us all.



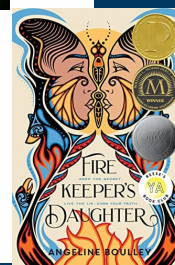
## October 4: *The Big Dark Sky* by Dean Koontz

A group of strangers bound by terrifying synchronicity becomes humankind's hope of survival in an exhilarating, twist-filled novel!



## November 1: *Eternal* by Lisa Scottoline

Author Lisa Scottoline offers a sweeping epic of historical fiction - the tale of a love triangle that unfolds in Rome...in the shadow of fascism.



## December 6: *Firekeeper's Daughter* by Angeline Boulley

A groundbreaking YA thriller about a Native teen who must root out the corruption in her community.

Register here!



Please register for these 6:00 pm meetings!