

Book Vault News May 2023

Greetings from the Book Vault,

We're sending this note a few days early so you may round out the month of April by helping us celebrate the 10th anniversary of Independent Bookstore day!

- On **Friday, April 28**, bring a date and check out all things art during the **Oskaloosa 4th Friday with the Arts Art Crawl from 5 to 7 PM**. The store will feature a special art book display, a selection of seriously cute art supplies, as well as "arty toys." All Ooly and Djeco brand art supplies, activity kits and toys will be 15% off. Also, be sure to take a look at the store artwork, it's all for sale!
- Bookend your **Saturday, April 29**, by snagging some special **Independent Bookstore Day** giveaways and prizes, a 15% discount on any one book purchase (on hand books only), and be sure to pick up a map of Midwest independent bookstores – great for planning your next road trip. **Iowa author Daniel Henderson will be with us from 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.** Mr. Henderson writes, is a public speaker, and a community activist with a passion for history and historic sites.

In May we will have special displays celebrating graduations, all things royal in conjunction with the Saturday, May 6 coronation of King Charles, Mother's Day Sunday, May 14, and for Memorial Day we will have a display honoring Veterans and those who lost their lives in the line of duty.

Watch our social media (Facebook and Instagram) to see what's happening in the Book Vault world!

Happy reading,

Book Vault Team

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Book Vault Book Clubs

Non-Fiction Book Club

(Meets the first Friday of the month)

Friday, May 12 **(Date change)**

Noon

[Chip War: The Fight for the World's Most Critical Technology](#) by Chris Miller

Mammothly Curious Book Club

Not meeting for the summer months

Young Professionals Book Club

Wednesday, May 17

6:00 PM

[Book of Delights](#) by Ross Gay

Tuesday Evening Book Club

(Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month)

Tuesday, May 23

5:00 PM

[The Outside Boy](#) by Jeanine Cummins

Lunch Bunch Book Club

(Meets the Last Thursday of the month at 11 AM)

Thursday, May 25

11:00 AM

[The Stolen Book of Evelyn Aubrey](#) by Serena Burdick

Book Vault Book Clubs are open to all. Members receive a 15% discount on book club titles. Call us for more information!

May Events at Book Vault

Yoga Classes with Veronica

Please note: No yoga Monday, May 8

Monday and Thursday even

5:15 - 6:05 pm

Drop-In Single Class \$6.00

Month of Classes \$30.00

**New Releases
May 2023**



Award-winning author Mary Beth

Keane's new novel takes place over the course of one week when Malcolm learns shocking news about Jess, a patron of the bar goes missing, and a blizzard hits the town of Gillam, trapping everyone in place. With a deft eye and generous spirit, Keane explores the disappointments and unexpected consolations of midlife, the many forms forgiveness can take, the complicated intimacy of small-town living, and what it means to be a family.

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Scribner May 2, 2023



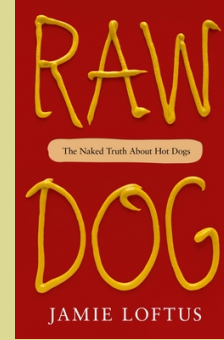
Navy SEAL James Reece faces a

devastating global conspiracy in this high-adrenaline thriller that is ripped from the headlines—from the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author and “one of the top writers of political thrillers” (*Bookreporter*), Jack Carr.

With the odds stacked against him, James Reece is on a mission generations in the making. Unfortunately for his enemies, the former SEAL is not concerned with odds. He is on the warpath. And when James Reece picks up his tomahawk and sniper rifle, no one is out of range.

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Atria May 16, 2023



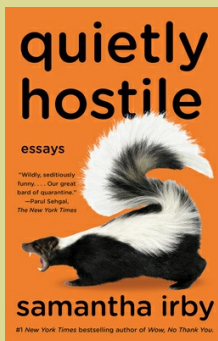
Part

travelogue, part culinary history, all capitalist critique—comedian Jamie Loftus's debut, *Raw Dog*, will take you on a cross-country road trip in the summer of 2021, and reveal what the creation, culture, and class influence of hot dogs says about America now.

You can love them, you can hate them, but you can't avoid the great American hot dog.

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Forge Books May 23, 2023



A MOST ANTICIPATED BOOK OF THE YEAR

A hilarious new essay collection from #1 *New York Times* bestselling unabashed fan-favorite Samantha Irby invites us to share in the gory particulars of her real life, all that festers behind the glitter and glam.

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Vintage May 16, 2023



When a woman discovers a rare book that has connections to her past, long-held secrets about her missing sister and their childhood spent in the English countryside during World War II are revealed.

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Atria Books May 2, 2023



White lies. Dark humor. Deadly consequences... Bestselling sensation Juniper Song is not who she says she is, she didn't write the book she claims she wrote, and she is most certainly not Asian American—in this chilling and hilariously cutting novel from the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author R. F. Kuang.

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William Moorow May 15, 2023



Percy

Jackson fans, rejoice! Nico and Will have a book of their own!

As the son of Hades, Nico di Angelo has been through so much, from the premature deaths of his mother and sister, to being outed against his will, to losing his friend Jason during the trials of Apollo. But there *is* a ray of sunshine in his life—literally: his boyfriend, Will Solace, the son of Apollo. Together the two demigods can overcome any obstacle or foe. At least, that's been the case so far...

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Disney Hyperion May 2, 2023

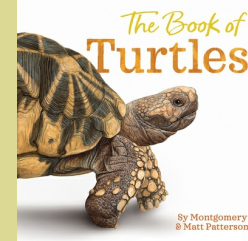


The

first picture book written and illustrated by award-winning creator Vashti Harrison traces a child's journey to self-love and shows the power of words to both hurt and heal. With spare text and exquisite illustrations, this emotional exploration of being big in a world that prizes small is a tender portrayal of how you can stand out and feel invisible at the same time.

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Little Brown Books for Young Readers May 2, 2023



From

National Book Award finalist and New York Times bestseller Sy Montgomery comes an ode to one of the most diverse, fascinating, and beloved species on the planet: turtles. With dazzling illustrations and emotionally engaging, fact-filled text, this picture book will speak to the wisdom these long-lived animals can lend.

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Clarion Books May 2, 2023