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<b>Westchester Public Libraries</b>		
<b>Ardsley Public Library</b> 9 American Legion Drive	693-6636	<b>Mount Pleasant Public Library Valhalla Branch</b> 125 Lozza Drive 741-0276
<b>(Amonk) North Castle Public Library</b> 19 Whippoorwill Rd. East	273-3887	<b>Mount Vernon Public Library</b> 28 S. First Avenue 668-1840
<b>North White Plains Branch</b> 10 Clove Road	948-6359	<b>New Rochelle Public Library</b> One Library Plaza 632-7878
<b>Bedford Free Library</b> Village Green	234-3570	<b>Huguenot Children's Branch</b> 794 North Avenue 632-8954
<b>Bedford Hills Free Library</b> 26 Main Street	666-6472	<b>North Salem Free Library</b> 276 Titicus Rd. (Rte. 116) 669-5161
<b>Briarcliff Manor Public Library</b> Library Road	941-7072	<b>Ossining Public Library</b> 53 Croton Avenue 941-2416
<b>Bronxville Public Library</b> 201 Pondfield Road	337-7680	<b>(Peekskill) The Field Library</b> 4 Nelson Avenue 737-1212
<b>Chappaqua Public Library</b> 195 S. Greeley Avenue	238-4779	<b>Town of Pelham Public Library</b> 530 Colonial Avenue 738-1234
<b>Croton Free Library</b> 171 Cleveland Drive	271-6612	<b>Port Chester Public Library</b> 1 Haseco Avenue 939-6710
<b>Dobbs Ferry Public Library</b> 55 Main Street	693-6614	<b>(Pound Ridge) Hiram Halle Memorial Library</b> 271 Westchester Avenue 764-5085
<b>Eastchester Public Library</b> 11 Oak Ridge Place	793-5055	<b>Purchase Free Library</b> 3093 Purchase Street 948-0550
<b>Greenburgh Public Library</b> 300 Tarrytown Road	993-1600	<b>Rye Free Reading Room</b> 1061 Boston Post Road 967-0480
<b>Harrison Public Library</b> Bruce Avenue	835-0324	<b>Scarsdale Public Library</b> 54 Olmsted Road 722-1300
<b>West Harrison Branch</b> 2 East Meadow Street	948-2092	<b>Somers Library</b> Route 139 232-5717
<b>Hastings-on-Hudson Public Library</b> 7 Maple Avenue	478-3307	<b>South Salem Library</b> 15 Main Street 763-3857
<b>Irvington Public Library</b> 12 South Astor Street	591-7840	<b>(Tarrytown) The Warner Library</b> 121 N. Broadway 631-7734
<b>Katonah Village Library</b> 26 Bedford Rd. (Rte. 117)	232-3508	<b>Tuckahoe Public Library</b> 71 Columbus Avenue 961-2121
<b>Larchmont Public Library</b> 121 Larchmont Avenue	834-2281	<b>White Plains Public Library</b> 100 Martine Avenue 422-1400
<b>Mamaroneck Public Library</b> 136 Prospect Avenue	698-1250	<b>Yonkers Public Library Main Branch-Riverfront Library</b> One Larkin Center 337-1500
<b>(Montrose) Hendrick Hudson Free Library</b> 185 Kings Ferry Road	739-5654	<b>Crestwood Branch</b> 16 Thompson Street 337-1500
<b>Mount Kisco Public Library</b> 100 Main Street	666-8041	<b>Grinton I. Will Branch</b> 1055 Central Park Ave. 337-1500
<b>Mount Pleasant Public Library</b> 350 Bedford Road	769-0548	<b>(Yorktown) John C. Hart Memorial Library</b> 1130 Main Street 245-5262

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SELECTIONS



## FICTION

Maggie Barbieri (Croton)  
**MURDER 101**

St. Martin's Minotaur, 2006  
An English professor has some explaining to do when a student turns up dead in the trunk of her car.

Ira Berkowitz (Ardsley)  
**FAMILY MATTERS**

Justin, Charles & Co., 2006  
A suspended homicide detective finds a connection between the present and the past in this impressive debut crime novel.

John Coyne (Pelham)  
**THE CADDIE WHO KNEW BEN HOGAN**

Thomas Dunne Books, 2006  
A bittersweet novel about golf, growing up, and how a chance meeting can change one's life.

Nancy Geary (South Salem)  
**BEING MRS. ALCOTT**

Warner Books, 2005  
A proper New England matron who has spent her life taking care of others asserts her independence in order to save herself and her family.

Gloria Goldreich (Tuckahoe)  
**DINNER WITH ANNA KARENINA**

Mira, 2006  
Six women in a book group share their love of literature and learn more about themselves and each other.

Rupert Holmes (Scarsdale)  
**SWING**

Random House, 2005  
A mystery thriller with musical clues set in Big Band Era San Francisco.

Janice Kaplan & Lynn Schnurnberger (Larchmont & Pelham)  
**THE MEN I DIDN'T MARRY**

Ballantine Books, 2006  
An abandoned wife reconnects with past loves.

Peter Quinn (Hastings)  
**THE HOUR OF THE CAT**

Overlook Press, 2005  
An historical thriller which deals with eugenics and population control in the United States and Germany just prior to World War II.

Wendy Corsi Staub (Katonah)  
**THE FINAL VICTIM**

Kensington Publishing, 2006  
Family secrets have deadly consequences in this thriller set on an island off the coast of Savannah.

Jonathan Tropper (New Rochelle)  
**EVERYTHING CHANGES**

Delacorte Press, 2005  
An impending wedding, a health scare, and the sudden appearance of a long-absent father are some of the life changes Zach King faces in this lucid, witty novel.

## NON-FICTION

Max Boot (Larchmont)  
**WAR MADE NEW: TECHNOLOGY, WARFARE, AND THE COURSE OF HISTORY, 1500 TO TODAY**

Gotham Books, 2006  
A compelling view of the transformation of military technology since 1500.

Jean Sherman Chatzky (Briarcliff)  
**MAKE MONEY, NOT EXCUSES: WAKE UP, TAKE CHARGE, AND OVERCOME YOUR FINANCIAL FEARS FOREVER**

Crown Business, 2006  
An empowering motivational guide for women.

Jordan E. Goodman (Scarsdale)  
**MASTER YOUR MONEY TYPE: USING YOUR FINANCIAL PERSONALITY TO CREATE A LIFE OF WEALTH AND FREEDOM**

Warner Books, 2006  
Find out how your emotional relationship with money affects your financial life.

Robert A. Isaak (Scarsdale)  
**THE GLOBALIZATION GAP: HOW THE RICH GET RICHER AND THE POOR GET LEFT FURTHER BEHIND**

Warner Business Books, 2006  
After delineating the problem, the author provides a blueprint for sharing the opportunities of globalization.

Marilyn Johnson (Briarcliff)  
**DEAD BEAT: LOST SOULS, LUCKY STIFFS, AND PERVERSE PLEASURES OF OBITUARIES**

HarperCollins, 2006  
A fascinating tour through the world of obituaries and the writers who bring them to life.

Stefan Kanfer (Hastings)  
**STARDUST LOST: THE TRIUMPH, TRAGEDY, AND MISHUGAS OF THE YIDDISH THEATER IN AMERICA**

Knopf, 2006  
A fascinating portrayal of this unique art form and its many colorful characters.

Barron H. Lerner (Hastings)  
**WHEN ILLNESS GOES PUBLIC: CELEBRITY PATIENTS AND HOW WE LOOK AT MEDICINE**

Johns Hopkins University Press, 2006  
Publicity leads to a new openness about disease.

Simon Schama (Briarcliff)  
**ROUGH CROSSINGS: BRITAIN, THE SLAVES, AND THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

Ecco, 2006  
An engrossing account of a little-known chapter of American history.

Ron Soodalter (Chappaqua)  
**HANGING CAPTAIN GORDON: THE LIFE AND TRIAL OF AN AMERICAN SLAVE TRADER**

Atria Books, 2006  
Shipmaster Gordon forced Africans to sail from the Congo to the U. S. in chains, breaking laws that had never been enforced-until his own trial for slave trading in 1862.

Louis Uchitelle (Scarsdale)  
**THE DISPOSABLE AMERICAN: LAYOFFS AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES**

Knopf, 2006  
Through individual stories, economics journalist Uchitelle traces the history of corporate layoffs and their devastating effects on our society.

Jean Zimmerman (Hastings)  
**WOMEN OF THE HOUSE: HOW A COLONIAL SHE-MERCHANY BUILT A MANSION, A FORTUNE, AND A DYNASTY**

Harcourt, Inc., 2006  
The story of the colonial women behind Philipse Manor Hall in Yonkers.

