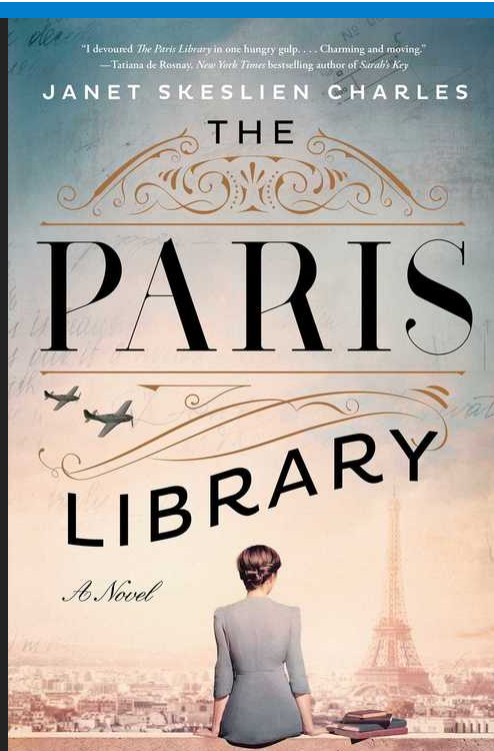


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FOR BOOK GROUPS



New Title Alert!

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Welcome to the Book Buzz Newsletter! The new title highlight for this month is *The Paris Library*. This title is based on the true World War II story of the heroic librarians at the American Library in Paris, this is an unforgettable story of romance, friendship, family, and the power of literature to bring us together.

Request this title [HERE](#) before dates start to fill up!

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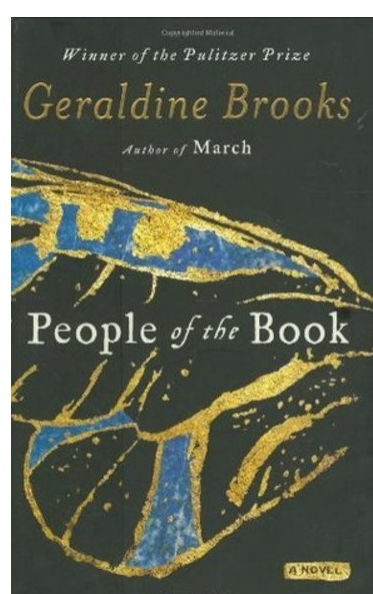
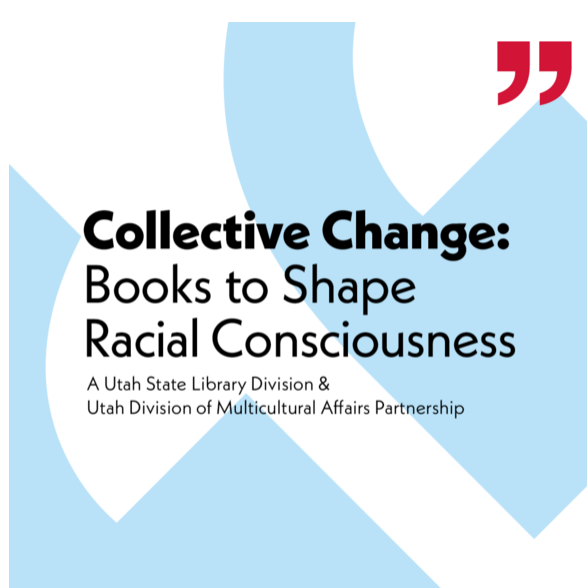
News and Updates

Thank you for joining us for this edition of the Book Buzz Newsletter! No news this month, but feel free to contact me if you ever have any questions. By phone: 801.715.677. Or by email: hannahjones@utah.gov.

Each month this newsletter has been highlighting different titles that are included in the Collective Change series. These books are here to help unpack race and shape greater consciousness. When you request one of these titles a question guide will be supplied to help your book group discuss these meaningful titles. Check out all of the series titles [HERE](#).

The next spotlighted title in the Collective Change Spotlight is, *Ghost* by Jason Reynolds.

COLLECTIVE CHANGE SPOTLIGHT HIDDEN GEM



GHOST

by Jason Reynolds

Running. That's all that Ghost (real name Castle Cranshaw) has ever known. But never for a track team. Nope, his game has always been ball. But when Ghost impulsively challenges an elite sprinter to a race -- and wins -- the Olympic medalist track coach sees he has something: crazy natural talent. Thing is, Ghost has something else: a lot of anger, and a past that he is trying to outrun. Can Ghost harness his raw talent for speed and meld with the team, or will his past finally catch up to him?

[> CHECK OUT THE FULL SYNOPSIS ON GOODREADS!](#)

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PEOPLE OF THE BOOK

by Geraldine Brooks

Inspired by a true story, *People of the Book* is at once a novel of sweeping historical grandeur and intimate emotional intensity, an ambitious, electrifying work by an acclaimed and beloved author.

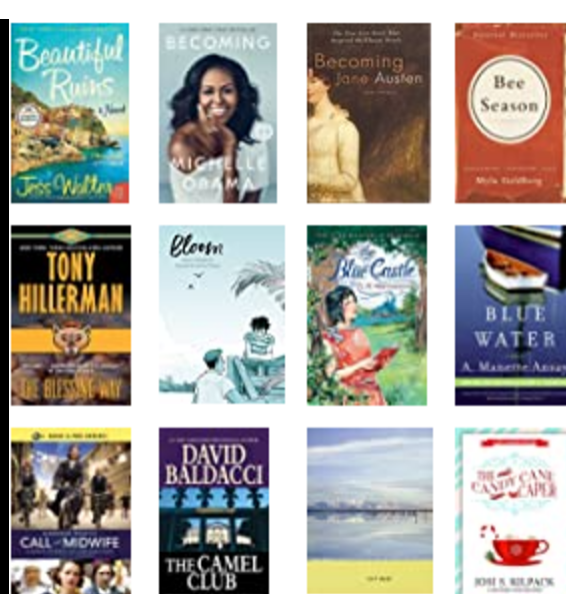
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