



Book Clubs

Why don't you write books that people can read?

Nora Joyce to her husband James

Curl up on the couch with a great book. Let it move you or provoke you or amuse you. Let it puzzle you or thrill you or annoy you. And then find someone to share it with. One of the best ways to make sure that a great book doesn't end is to join a book club. You can do it by [joining a club in your community](#). You can [start a book club](#) yourself. Or, if you prefer, you don't even have to go out to do it—you can [join a club online](#).

Join a book club in your community

You can call your local public library or bookstore to find out if they host book clubs—or check out the Web sites below.

- [Borders](#). Use the store locator to find a store near you and click on events to see if that location hosts a book club.
- [Barnes and Noble](#). Find clubs, events and meeting times through the store locator.

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Start a book club

If you want to start your own book club, the following [online resources](#) and [books](#) can guide you.

Online resources

[Reading Group Choices](#) offers a list of tips on "Starting Up" a book group.

[Oprah's Book Club](#) offers many suggestions to "Build Your Own Book Club."

Books

The Reading Group Handbook: Everything You Need to Start Your Own Book Club by Rachel W. Jacobsohn

What to Read: The Essential Guide for Reading Group Members and Other Book Lovers by Mickey Pearlman

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Join a book club online

Check out these sites for the online club (or clubs) for you.

The members of [Arts & Entertainment Book Club](#) read one work of classic or contemporary fiction a month. Sign up for the book club (free) and you will receive an e-mail message with information about the club and the book. The group has a moderator.

[The Bluestockings](#) is an online group that discusses literary fiction through an e-mail listserv. They read two books per month.

[iVillage.com Book Clubs](#) offers a readers a variety of book clubs, including fiction, mystery, nonfiction, romance and science-fiction/fantasy.

[New York Times Reading Group](#), sponsored by the *New York Times*, reads one book per month and posts thought-provoking comments and questions. Participants vote for the next selection. You must subscribe to the Web site (free) to participate.

[Oprah's Book Club](#) discusses a different book each month. The book is discussed online as well as on one of Oprah's television shows during the month. This site also provides suggestions for starting your own book discussion club.

[Women.com](#) provides online reviews and a bookstore.

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