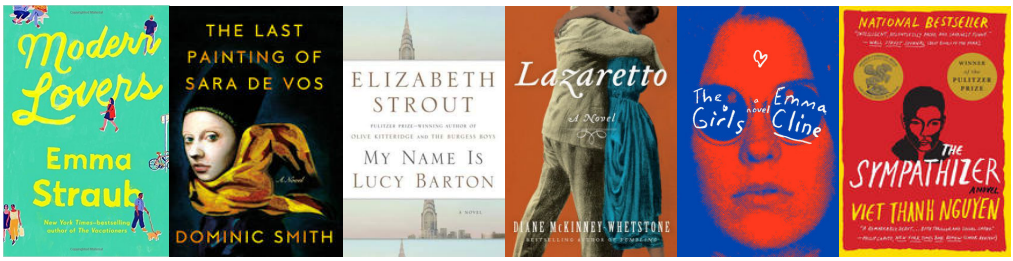
Literary Affairs - Summer Reading List 2016



The Hottest Book Club Books of the Year

My Name Is Lucy Barton by Elizabeth Strout
The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen
Thirteen Ways of Looking by Colum McCann
The Turner House by Angela Flournoy
A Dictionary of Mutual Understanding by Jackie Copleton
Fates and Furies by Lauren Groff

Current Fiction and Literary Non-Fiction

Innocents and Others by Dana Spiotta
LaRose by Louise Erdrich
The Last Painting of Sara de Vos by Dominic Smith
Imagine Me Gone by Adam Haslett
Dodgers by Bill Beverly
The Unseen World by Liz Moore
The Beautiful Possible by Amy Gottlieb
The Mare by Mary Gaitskill
Heroes of the Frontier by Dave Eggers
The Noise of Time by Julian Barnes
The Girls by Emma Cline
Louisa: The Extraordinary Life of Mrs. Adams by Louisa Thomas
The Heart by Maylis de Kerangal
Barkskins by Annie Proulx
Zero K by Don DeLillo
Maud's Line by Margaret Verble

Books for the Beach

The Summer Before The War by Helen Simonson
As Close To Us As Breathing by Elizabeth Poliner
I Will Send Rain by Rae Meadows
Sweetbitter by Stephanie Danler
VietnamEazy by Trami Nguyen Cron
The After Party by Anton DiSclafani
The Nest by Cynthia D'Aprix Sweeney
Modern Lovers by Emma Straub
The Lightkeepers by Abby Geni
They May Not Mean To, But They Do by Cathleen Schine
Lazaretto by Diane McKinney-Whetstone
Between You and Me by Mary Norris
Eliza Waite by Ashley Sweeney

If You Haven't Read It Yet

The Days of Abandonment by Elena Ferrante
Early One Morning by Virginia Baily
Lady Susan by Jane Austen
Rebecca by Daphne du Maurier
The Night Circus by Erin Morgenstern
Middlemarch by George Eliot
Into The Forest by Jean Hegland
The Light Between Oceans by M.L. Stedman
Mary Coin by Marisa Silver
The Lover by Marguerite Duras