

# Polish Heritage Club Book Club List



Many available from South Central Library System. See list of Polish Books pre 1992 and 1992-2006.

**Discussed before 2002:** The Peasants' video

The Faithful River by Stefan Zeromski

Hoopi Shoopi Donna by Suzanne Strempek Shea

The Forgotten Holocaust by Robert Ambras

The Shah of Shahs' by Ryszard Kapuscinski

The Beautiful Mrs. Seideman by A.Szczypiorski

<b>2002</b>	June	Lidia Woytowicz - imprisonment in Siberian camp				
	Sept	A World Apart by Gustaw Herling				
	Nov	After Long Silence (a memoir) by Helen Fremont				
<b>2003</b>	Jan	Lily of the Valley by Suzanne Strempek Shea				
	Apr	The Pianist by Wladyslaw Szpilman				
	July	Madame by Antoni Libera				
	Oct	Push Not the River by James C. Martin BOOK FEST				
	Nov	Lost in Translation by Eva Hoffman				
<b>2004</b>	Feb	The Emigrants by Slawomir Mrozek				
	May	A Question of Honor by Lynn Olson/ Stanley Cloud				
	Aug	Time between Trains by Anthony Bukoski				
	Nov	With Fire and Sword video by Henryk Sienkiewicz				
<b>2005</b>	Feb	Deluge video by Henryk Sienkiewicz				
	Apr	And God was our Witness by Alicja R. Edwards				
	July	Enigma: Poles Broke Nazi Code - Kozaczuk/ Straszak				
	Oct	Paderewski A Biography by Adam Zamoyski				
<b>2006</b>	Feb	Marie Curie - various books				
	Apr	Necessary Lies by Eva Stachniak				
	July	Bohin Manor by Tadeuz Konwicki				
	Oct	The History of Love by Nicole Krauss				
<b>2007</b>	Jan	The Street of Crocodiles by Bruno Schulz				
	Apr	The Shadow of the Sun by Ryszard Kapuściński				
	July	A Polish Son in the Motherland by Leonard Kniffel				
	Oct	Girl in the Red Coat by Roma Ligocka				
<b>2008</b>	Jan	The Priest and the Policeman by Moody & Boyes				
	Apr	At Hanka's Table by Hanka Sawka – food at MA Reale's				
	July	The Zookeeper's Wife by Diane Ackerman				
	Oct	A.Bukoski, L.Kniffel & F.Neuschel BOOK FESTIVAL				
<b>2009</b>	Jan	Spies of Warsaw by Alan Furst				
	Apr	Jadwiga's Crossing by A. Lutz & Richard J. Lutz				
	July	Night of Flames by Douglas Jacobson BK FEST presenter				
	Oct	Chopin various books				
<b>2010</b>	Jan	Poetry of Wisława Szymborska & Anna Frajlich-Zajac				
	Apr	Poland by James Michener				
	Aug	The Peasant Prince T.Kosciuszko by Alex Storozyński				
	Nov	Water for Elephants by Sara Gruen				
<b>2011</b>	Feb	A Long, Long Time Ago Essentially True by B. Pasulka				
	May	An Altar of Sod by Regina A. McIntyre				
	Aug	Solidarity: various books				
	Oct	The Katyn Order by Doug Jacobson BOOK FESTIVAL				
	Nov	Katyn Milwaukee Panel Discussion & Exhibit				
<b>2012</b>	Jan	1944 Warsaw Rising... The Katyn Order -D. Jacobson				
	Apr	Have you forgotten? A Memoir by C.Zamoyska Panek				
	July	Listen to the Music...Hilary Koprowski by R. Vaughn				
	Nov	Poles in WI by Susan Gibson Mikos, BOOK FESTIVAL				
<b>2013</b>	Feb	Story of a Secret State by Jan Karski				
	May	Starring Madame Modjeska by Beth Holmgren				
	July	The Winter Palace (Catherine Great) by Eva Stachniak				
	Nov	For Liberty and Justice by James S. Pula (a reading)				
<b>2014</b>	Jan	The Spy who Loved by Clare Mulley				
	Apr	The Slave by Isaac Bashevis Singer				
	Aug	The Auschwitz Volunteer by Witold Pilecki				
	Nov	Polish Independence Day w/ Piotr Puchalski				
			<b>2015</b>	Jan	Pilsudski: A Life for Poland by W. Jędrzejewicz, and Unvanquished by P.Hetherington	
				May	Adam Mickiewicz by Roman R. Koropecykj & others	
				Aug	Copernicus' Secret by Jack Repcheck and A More Perfect Heaven by Dava Sobel, others	
				Nov	Independence Day: WARSAW 1920 by Zamoyski, and 1920 Diary by Isaac Babel	
			<b>2016</b>	Jan	My Young Years by Arthur Rubinstein and others	
				Apr	Polish Constitution Day Trzeciego Maja	
				Aug	Poland 1880-1920, Immigration and Dziadka by Steve Szabados & others	
				Nov	Independence Day + Traditions Polish Customs, Traditions & Folklore by S. H Knab	
			<b>2017</b>	Feb	topic: Krakow in the Middle Ages: The Trumpeter of Krakow and others	
				May	The Crooked Mirror by Louise Steinman	
				Aug	Joseph Conrad books and movies	
				Nov	Busia: Seasons on the Farm by Leonard Kniffel	
			<b>2018</b>	Feb	The Chosen Maiden by Eva Stachniak	
				May	Freedom Climbers by Bernadette McDonald	
				Aug	Stories from the Communist Era: Marzi by M.Sowa, Dog Called Hitler by V.Domanski	
				Nov	Sobieski - Vienna 1683: The Boy Who Wanted Wings by J. C. Martin, Enemy at the Gate by A.Wheatcroft	
			<b>2019</b>	Feb	The Battle of Britain: 303 Squadron by Arkady Fiedler	
				May	FLIGHTS/ Bieguni by Olga Tokarczuk	
				Sept	Irena's Children by Tilar Mazzeob	
				Nov	Ryszard Kapuściński: A Life by Artur Domosławski	
			<b>2020</b>	Jan	Lala by Jacek Dehnel	
				May	Polish Poetry	
				↓	July	Devaytis by Maria Rodziewiczówna
				Sept	Drive Your Plow by Olga Tokarczuka	
				Nov	Against a Crimson Sky by James Conroyd Martin	
			<b>2021</b>	Jan	The Warsaw Conspiracy by James Conroyd Martin	
				April	Mrs. Mohr Goes Missing by Maryla Szymiczkowa	
				Aug	Prof. Wacław Szybalski by J. Abramow-Newerly	
				Nov	The Perfect Horse by Elizabeth Letts	
			<b>2022</b>	Jan	One Star Away by Imogene Salva ZOOM with author	
				April	Chasing Chopin by Annik LaFarge	
				Sept	Karolina And The Torn Curtain by M. Szymiczkowa	
				Nov	Pan Tadeusz by Adam Mickiewicz	
			<b>2023</b>	Feb	da Vinci's Lady with an Ermine – several books	
				Apr	Post WWII Poetry presented by Thomas Radoszewski	
				↓	June	Wojtek Soldier Bear – various books
				Zoom	Sept	Ellis Island: A People's Hx by Małgorzata Szejnert
			<b>2024</b>	Jan	Lwów/ Lviv... Girl in the Green Sweater by K.Chiger	
				Apr	The Bronski House Borderlands by Philip Marsden	
				↓	July	Polish recipes & cookbooks – Marian K. served Bigos
				Sept	Swallowing Mercury/Guguły by Wioletta Greg	