

**Violet Hour Book Club**  
 Selections (2018 – 2022)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>
November 3, 2018	The Sparsholt Affair	Alan Hollinghurst
February 9, 2019	Giovanni's Room	James Baldwin
April 27, 2019	Dancer from the Dance	Andrew Holleran
May 25, 2019	Oranges Are Not the Only Fruit	Jeanette Winterson
June 29, 2019	A Boys Own Story	Edmund White
August 3, 2019	The Clothesline Swing	Danny Ramadan
September 14, 2019	Fairyland: A Memoir of My Father	Alyssa Abbott
October 26, 2019	The Naked Civil Servant	Quentin Crisp
December 7, 2019	Funny Boy	Shyam Selvadurai
January 25, 2020	Fingersmith	Sarah Waters
February 15, 2020	Little Fish	Casey Plett
April 18, 2020	An Orphan World	Giuseppe Caputo
May 9, 2020	Age of Union	Dax Dasilva
May 30, 2020	The Great Believers	Rebecca Makkai
June 20, 2020	I Hope We Choose Love	Kai Cheng Thom
July 11, 2020	What Belongs to You	Garth Greenwell
August 1, 2020	The New Testament	Jericho Brown
August 22, 2020	Rubyfruit Jungle	Rita Mae Brown
September 19, 2020	My Cat Yugoslavia	Pajtim Statovci
October 10, 2020	The City and the Pillar	Gore Vidal
October 31, 2020	Break in Case of Emergency	Brian Francis
November 21, 2020	Fun Home	Alison Bechdel
December 12, 2020	A History of My Brief Body	Billy-Ray Belcourt
January 9, 2021	Maurice	E.M. Forster
February 6, 2021	We Have Always Been Here	Samra Habib
March 6, 2021	Mysterious Skin	Scott Heim
April 3, 2021	Just Kids	Patti Smith
May 1, 2021	You Will Love What You Have Killed	Kevin Lambert
May 29, 2021	Real Life	Brandon Taylor
June 26, 2021	Jonny Appleseed	Jordan Whitehead
July 24, 2021	How Poetry Saved My Life	Amber Dawn
August 28, 2021	Swimming in the Dark	Tomasz Jedrowski
September 25, 2021	In the Dream House	Carmen Maria Machado
October 23, 2021	Red X	David Demchuck
November 20, 2021	Skim	Mariko & Jillian Tamaki
December 18, 2021	Christopher and his Kind	Christopher Isherwood
January 22, 2022	Detransition, Baby	Torrey Peters

February 19, 2022  
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April 16, 2029  
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June 11, 2022  
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August 6, 2022  
September 17, 2022

My Father and Myself  
Such a Lovely Lonely Road  
Permanent Astonishment  
Flesh and Blood  
The Price of Salt  
The Story of the Night  
Bottle Rocket Hearts  
Like People in History

J.R. Ackerley  
Kagiso Lesego Molope  
Tomson Highway  
Michael Cunningham  
Patricia Highsmith  
Colm Toibin  
Zoe Whittal  
Felice Picano