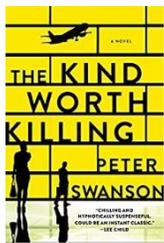




Welcome to our first newsletter of 2017! If you haven't already, it's not too late to sign up for our **Reading is Snow Much Fun** winter reading club.

Sign up at the Reader Services desk to receive your Winter Reading log. Finish four books to earn a chance to win gift cards to local businesses. Prizes included gift cards to TeaLula, Starbucks, Trader Joe's and Whole Foods—presented in a souvenir PRPL mug with tea honey.

Here are our newest additions to our book club sets!

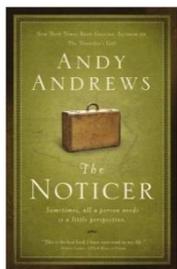


### **The Kind Worth Killing by Peter Swanson**

Lily Kitner and Ted Severson meet in a London Airport bar and then share several more drinks on an overnight flight to Boston. You tell strangers personal details you wouldn't even share with your shrink. The more they drink the more they reveal. Ted confides that his wife, Miranda is having an affair with the contractor working on their mega mansion. When Lily asks Ted what he's going to do about his wife's infidelity, Ted, replies, with a grin, that what he really wants to do is kill her.

Below is a link to a reading guide with discussion questions for your group.

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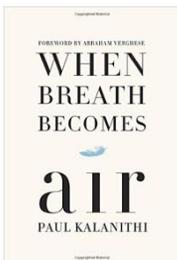


### **The Noticer by Andy Andrews (NF)**

The Noticer is part auto-biographical, part fiction, and all inspiring. It is the story of "Jones," a mysterious old man who has a knack for showing up at just the right time in people's lives. He notices stuff, stuff that they miss and he gives them the one thing we all so often need: perspective. Nonfiction. Generously donated by the **MBC** book club.

Below is a link to an interview from Andy Andrews and a behind the scenes look at his book.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b8CDn7ofr1E>



### **When Breath Becomes Air by Paul Kalanithi (NF)**

A profoundly moving, exquisitely observed memoir by a young neurosurgeon faced with a terminal cancer diagnosis who attempts to answer the question. What makes life worth living? At the age of thirty-six, on the verge of completing a decade's worth of training as a neurosurgeon, Paul Kalanithi was diagnosed with stage IV lung cancer. One day he was a doctor treating the dying, and the next he was a patient struggling to live. And just like that, the future he and his wife had imagined evaporated. Nonfiction. Generously donated by the **Babes with Big Books** book club.

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