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Virtual Book Discussions

July 1 - The Hamilton Affair by Elizabeth Cobbs
This historical novel, set during the Revolutionary War, tells the story of Alexander Hamilton and Elizabeth Schuyler from the passionate beginnings of their romance to his fateful duel in Weehawken, NJ. It is a story full of politics, scandal, adultery, and true love.
Direct link to The Hamilton Affair: https://monmouth.overdrive.com/media/2651792
Moderated by Robyn Miller

July 15 - The Time Machine by H.G. Wells
From the Father of Science Fiction comes a classic temporal tale as a time traveler recounts his experience visiting the future and the dystopia he finds there. He gathers his friends for dinner and his unlikely story is the last thing they expect to hear. Chronicling the lives of the fragile Eloi and the brutish Morlocks, the time traveler regales his friends with the tumultuous fate of the human race.
Direct link to The Time Machine: https://monmouth.overdrive.com/media/432483
Moderated by Alyssa Petersen

August 5 - The Library at the Edge of the World by Felicity Hayes-McCoy
Librarian Hanna Casey tries not to think about her failed marriage, or the fact that she is back living in her mother’s home on Ireland’s West Coast. But when the threatened closure of the Lissbeg Library puts her personal plans in jeopardy, Hanna finds herself leading a battle to restore the heart and soul of the Finfaran Peninsula’s fragmented community. The neighbors she’d always kept at a distance end up meaning more to her than she ever could have imagined.
Direct link to The Library at the Edge of the World: Available July 1 - https://monmouth.overdrive.com
Moderated by Stephanie Laurino

August 19 - Murder, They Wrote Book Discussion
The Moonstone by Wilkie Collins
First published in 1868 and is considered the granddaddy of all detective novels. It has stood the test of time and has all the elements of a great mystery...a complex crime, lots of suspects, and murder! The story centers on the Moonstone, a diamond taken from an Indian shrine and brought back to England by a British officer. There is a curse on it, as well as an ingenious inspector determined to get to the truth.
Direct link to The Moonstone: https://monmouth.overdrive.com/media/785027
Moderated by Jeanmarie Kantor

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