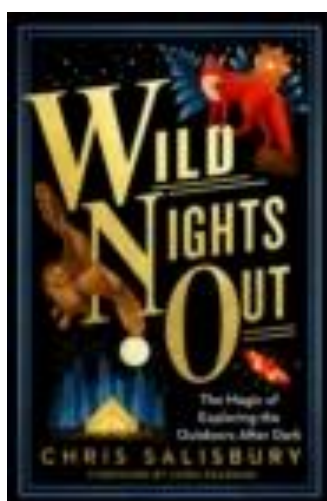
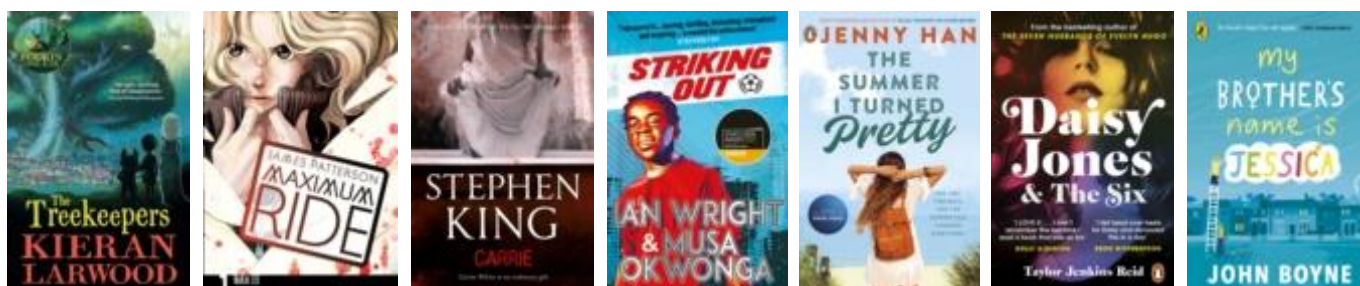


HGS Book Recommendations

Summer 2023



New Arrivals in the LRC



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Wild Nights Out is a wonderful invitation to rediscover the dark and all the things that cry, creep or glow there. Learn how to call for owls, walk like a fox and expand your sensory perceptions.

Wild Nights Out is a wonderful new hands-on guide for those who wish to take kids (of all ages) outdoors for fun, thrilling night time nature adventures. Parents, grandparents, teachers and nature educators alike will discover a wealth of unique activities to explore the natural world from dusk till dawn.

Alongside games, walks and exercises to expand our senses, storyteller and outdoor educator Chris Salisbury will bring this unexplored nocturnal dimension to life with lore about badgers, bats and minibeasts as well as tales of the constellations and planets to share around the campfire.

In Wild Nights Out you can expect to find:

- 25 fun and informative games and activities,
- Practical information on how to conduct night walks safely,
- Animal facts and stargazing stories,
- Beautiful black-and-white illustrations throughout.

Nature has so much to offer at night, so let Wild Nights Out be your guide to the dark.

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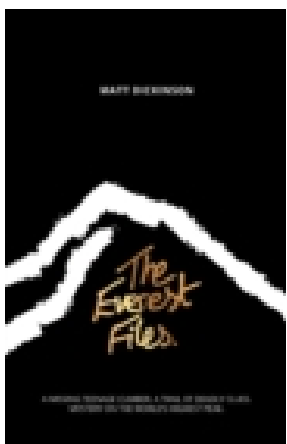
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A brisk guide for the aspiring bike rider, all the way from choosing a first bike to techniques for wheelies and bunny hops and the finer points of riding in a group.

Cycling offers kids an unrivalled freedom and independence. With global cycling trends on a new post-pandemic high, ever more young people are experiencing the joys of the beautiful machine.

Alongside these informative texts there is a cornucopia of facts and trivia about the unusual habits of famous cyclists, the weirdest, biggest, furthest and longest bikes and journeys, the most useful cycling life-hacks, etc. This multi-layering of information makes this an enjoyable read as well as an extremely useful manual.

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In the deepest Himalaya, a story is spreading like wildfire.

The story of an Everest expedition unlike any other. An expedition that ended with mysterious disappearances ... and death. This is the mystery that eighteen-year-old Ryan Hart sets out to solve. Ryan is on a gap year adventure, working for a medical charity in Nepal.

When a local girl begs him to investigate why her sixteen-year-old friend Kami never came back from Everest, Ryan cannot resist the challenge. A solo journey takes Ryan deep into the mountains where his detective work finally pays off.

What emerges is a shocking tale of lies, betrayal and obsession, all played out on the lethal slopes of the highest mountain in the world. Little by little, Ryan is falling under Everest's deadly spell.

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An all-female detective agency righting wrongs at the end of the nineteenth century; infiltrating a scandalous upper-class world and using their wit and bravery to unmask a villain.

Eighteen-year-old Isobel Stanhope is keeping a lot of secrets. There's the fact that she's head over heels in love with a Duke who doesn't know she exists; there's the fact that her family is penniless but nobody in society knows; and then there's her job at the Aviary, an investigative agency run by women that specializes in digging up scandal on powerful men. When Izzy finds herself pulled into a case that involves gaslighting, blackmail, and missing jewels, as well as the Duke who holds her heart, can she and her friends untangle the web of secrets and lies to uncover the truth and protect the innocent?

And when the stakes are so high, what happens when the crush she's been hiding begins to turn into so much more?

Bridgerton meets Charlie's Angels - the most romantic, exciting, empowering YA of the year. A smart, charming, brilliantly plotted and swooningly romantic story about a collective of bold women changing their world.

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Ori Reynolds has just made the biggest mistake of her life.

One that's resulted in:

- 1) losing all but one of her friends,
- 2) feeling like the World's Most Terrible Person, and
- 3) having all her fun summer plans cancelled.

And, as if things couldn't get any worse, she now has no choice but to go on a road trip with her estranged grandad Claude to his home in the French countryside.

Talk about life giving you lemons! However, while Ori scoffs at her mum's suggestion to "make lemonade", her sour situation is about to turn significantly sweeter than she could ever have imagined...

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KS 4 KS 5

THE INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLER

A world divided. A queendom without an heir. An ancient enemy awakens.

The House of Berethnet has ruled Inys for a thousand years. Still unwed, Queen Sabran the Ninth must conceive a daughter to protect her realm from destruction - but assassins are getting closer to her door.

Ead Duryan is an outsider at court. Though she has risen to the position of lady-in-waiting, she is loyal to a hidden society of mages. Ead keeps a watchful eye on Sabran, secretly protecting her with forbidden magic.

Across the dark sea, Tane has trained to be a dragon rider since she was a child, but is forced to make a choice that could see her life unravel. Meanwhile, the divided East and West refuse to parley, and forces of chaos are rising from their sleep...

[Good Reads](#)



KS 5

Almond Brown has no friends in real life . . . but 3.5 million followers online.

A heart-felt, whip-smart deep dive into what it would really be like to be internet famous at 17: a cautionary tale for our time from a writer who has grown up with social media. Almond is forced into the spotlight when she was just a perfectly filtered bump: her mum has been documenting their family through social media since before she was born. And her family enjoy all the rewards that come from that level of influence.

Only, it's not the life Almond would have chosen for herself, and being on a platform all the time has made her anxious and insecure.

When the darkest side of the internet begins to haunt her, Almond feels like she's going to lose everything . . . If only she could see that she has a real-life, too, full of friends and family who love her, and that it could save her.

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