

# The Hot List (Upcoming Books)

These popular authors are publishing new books in the next few months. They might not be in bookstores or libraries yet, but if they are in our catalog, you can still put them on hold and be near the top of the list!



## March

- Bannister, Jo – *Deadly Virtues*
- Beaton, M.C. – *Death of Yesterday*
- Bowen, Rhys – *Family Way*
- Box, C.J. – *Breaking Point*
- Bradley, Marion Zimmer – *Children of Kings*
- Brooks, Terry – *Bloodfire Quest*
- Card, Orson Scott – *Gate Thief*
- Carr, Robyn – *The Wanderer*
- Childs, Laura – *Sweet Tea Revenge*
- Coben, Harlan – *Six Years*
- Cussler, Clive – *Striker*
- Davidson, MaryJanice – *You and I, Me and You*
- Graham, Heather – *Let the Dead Sleep*
- Green, Jane – *Family Pictures*
- Kingsbury, Karen – *The Chance*
- Laurens, Stephanie – *And Then She Fell*
- Lewis, Beverly – *The Guardian*
- Oates, Joyce Carol – *The Accursed*
- Perry, Thomas – *The Boyfriend*
- Peterson, Tracie – *The Icecutter's Daughter*
- Salvatore, R.A. – *The Last Threshold*
- Winspear, Jacqueline – *Leaving Everything Most Loved*

## April

- Albert, Susan Wittig – *Widow's Tears*
- Allende, Isabel – *Maya's Notebook*
- Angelou, Maya – *Mom & Me & Mom* (nonfic)
- Baldacci, David – *The Hit*
- Barnes, Linda – *The Perfect Ghost*
- Bradford, Barbara Taylor – *Secrets from the Past*
- Burnett, Carol – *Carrie and Me* (nonfic)
- Coelho, Paulo – *Manuscript Found in Accra*
- Dickey, Eric Jerome – *Decadence*
- Gross, Andrew – *No Way Back*
- Harper, Bob – *Jumpstart to Skinny* (nonfic)
- Hill, Joe – *NOS4A2*
- Hobb, Robin – *Blood of Dragons*
- Keyes, Marian – *The Mystery of Mercy Close*
- Kinsella, Sophie – *Wedding Night*
- Lowell, Elizabeth – *Dangerous Refuge*
- Michaels, Fern – *Blossom Sisters*
- Page, Katherine Hall – *Body in the Piazza*
- Parker, T. Jefferson – *Famous and the Dead*
- Patterson, James – *12<sup>th</sup> of Never*
- Quick, Amanda – *Mystery Woman*
- Wiggs, Susan – *Apple Orchard*

## May

- Atkins, Ace – *Robert B. Parker's Wonderland*
- Brown, Dan – *Inferno*
- Castle, Richard – *Storm Front*
- Colfer, Eoin – *Screwed*
- Coonts, Deborah – *Lucky Bastard*
- Coonts, Stephen – *Pirate Alley*
- Coughlin, Jack – *Time to Kill*
- Cussler, Clive – *Zero Hour*
- Dailey, Janet – *Triumph*
- Dietrich, William – *The Barbed Crown*
- Evans, Richard Paul – *Step of Faith*
- Feist, Raymond – *Magician's End*
- Harris, Charlaine – *Dead Ever After*
- Hart, Carolyn – *Dead, White, and Blue*
- Hosseini, Khaled – *And the Mountains Echoed*
- Koontz, Dean – *Deeply Odd*
- Le Carre, John – *A Delicate Truth*
- Lescroart, John – *The Ophelia Cut*
- Macomber, Debbie – *Once Upon a Time* (nonfic)
- Nesbo, Jo – *The Redeemer*
- Poitier, Sidney – *Montaro Caine*
- Rose, M.J. – *Seduction*
- Sandford, John – *Silken Prey*
- Shaara, Jeff – *Chain of Thunder*
- Spillane, Mickey – *Complex 90*

# Check It Out!

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## From the Top Shelf

A message from Stephen Fulchino, Library Director

### Libraries for Job Seekers Grant

The Library has received a grant to help people seeking a job.\*\*\* The grant, which runs through September 30, 2013, will include programs about resumes and interviewing along with training in email, Microsoft Office, Optimal Resume, and Learning Express software. The Small Business Association will also be holding at least one program in April about starting a small business.

Classes in basic email techniques will start this month (see the calendar inside), while more advanced classes will be coming soon. To anyone who has looked for a job recently the importance of email and computers is obvious: many employers prefer to receive applications either by email or through a form on their web sites.

Optimal Resume is a program purchased by the Library to help you create both a resume and a cover letter in the proper format. If you have an internet-connected computer at home you can use it from there. If not, you can use it in the Library. We realize that you may need more than the normal hour that we give users on our public computers. If you think you will need more time, please tell the staff before you start.

If you are taking a Civil Service test, Learning Express can help you prepare. As a side note, it will also help you prepare for the SATs.

The Greater New Bedford region has one of the highest unemployment rates in the state. Therefore, the Library feels that this is one of its most important services.

\*\*\* The grant comes from the federal Institute of Library and Museum Sciences through the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners. We would like to thank both agencies for making these programs possible.

### Hours & Locations

#### Main Library

613 Pleasant St.  
508-991-6275  
TTY: 508-991-6258  
Monday - Thursday 9am - 9pm  
Friday: 9am - 5pm  
Saturday: 9am - 5pm

#### Genealogy Department

3<sup>rd</sup> floor of Main Library  
508-991-6276  
Monday - Thursday 9am - 9pm  
Friday: 9am - 5pm  
Saturday: 9am - 12pm; 1pm - 5pm

#### Art Room

3<sup>rd</sup> floor of Main Library  
508-979-1787  
Monday: closed  
Tuesday: 1pm - 5pm  
Wednesday: 1pm - 5pm  
Thursday: 1pm - 5pm; 6pm - 9pm  
Friday: 9am - 5pm  
Saturday: 9am - 1pm; 2pm - 5pm

#### Casa da Saudade

58 Crapo St.  
508-991-6218  
Monday: 10am - 6pm  
Tuesday: 12pm - 8pm  
Wednesday: 10am - 6pm  
Thursday: 12pm - 8pm  
Friday: closed  
Saturday: 9am - 5pm

#### Wilks

1911 Acushnet Ave.  
508-991-6214  
Monday: 10am - 6pm  
Tuesday: 12pm - 8pm  
Wednesday: 10am - 6pm  
Thursday: 12pm - 8pm  
Friday: closed  
Saturday: 9am - 5pm

#### Lawler

745 Rockdale Ave.  
508-991-6216  
Monday: 10am - 6pm  
Tuesday: 12pm - 8pm  
Wednesday: closed  
Thursday: 12pm - 8pm  
Friday: 10am - 6pm  
Saturday: 9am - 5pm

#### Howland-Green

3 Rodney French Blvd.  
508-991-6212  
Monday: 10am - 6pm  
Tuesday: 12pm - 8pm  
Wednesday: closed  
Thursday: 12pm - 8pm  
Friday: 10am - 6pm  
Saturday: 9am - 5pm

#### Bookmobile

For the Bookmobile schedule, please call Wilks.

## March 2013

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 ➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Party! – Main @11am
4 ➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Party! – Lawler @4pm	5 ➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm ➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Party! – Howland-Green @4pm	6 ➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Party! – Casa @10:30am ➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Party! – Wilks @4pm	7 ➤ Computer class: Email Basics – Wilks @11am ➤ Movie: <i>Now, Voyager</i> – Lawler @2pm	8	9 ➤ Teen Tech Week – Wii Challenge – Howland-Green @12pm ➤ Teen Tech Week – Video Game Challenge – Lawler @3pm ➤ Movie: <i>Frankenweenie</i> – Howland-Green @2:30pm
11 ➤ Computer class: Email Basics – Main @10am ➤ In the Loop Knitting Group – Lawler @11am ➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Wilks @4pm (call to register)	12 ➤ Computer class: Email Basics – Lawler @11am ➤ Book Club – <i>Cutting for Stone</i> – Lawler @2pm ➤ Portuguese Story Hour – Casa @6pm	13 ➤ Teen Tech Week – Wii Challenge – Wilks @4pm ➤ Movie: <i>Brave</i> – Main @6pm	14 ➤ Teen Tech Week Wii Challenge – Casa @3:30pm ➤ Nook eReader Demonstration – Lawler @4pm	15 ➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm	16 ➤ Movie: <i>Secret of the Wings</i> – Lawler @2pm ➤ Teen Tech Week – Wii Challenge – Main @3pm
18 ➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm ➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Wilks @4pm (call to register)	19 ➤ Book Club – <i>Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children</i> – Wilks @6pm	20	21 ➤ Computer class: Email Basics – Casa @11am ➤ Movie: <i>Father of the Bride</i> – Lawler @2pm	22 ➤ Tax Breaks for Seniors (presented by H&R Block) – Howland-Green @11am	23 ➤ Movie: <i>The Odd Life of Timothy Green</i> – Wilks @12pm ➤ Movie: <i>Wreck-It-Ralph</i> – Howland-Green @2:30pm
25 ➤ In the Loop Knitting Group – Lawler @11am ➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Wilks @4pm (call to register)	26 ➤ Computer class: Email Basics – Howland-Green @11am ➤ Tax Breaks for Seniors (presented by H&R Block) – Wilks @6pm	27 ➤ Movie: <i>Wreck-It-Ralph</i> – Main @6pm	28 ➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm	29 <b>Good Friday</b> <b>Libraries open ½ day</b>  Main – 9 – 12:30pm Howland-Green – 10 – 1:30pm Lawler – 10 – 1:30pm	30 ➤ Teen Anime/Manga Club – Lawler @1pm

**Ongoing: Spring Story Hours**  
**March 25 – June 1**

- Wednesdays @10:30am – Wilks
- Thursdays @3:30pm – Howland-Green
- Fridays @3:30pm – Lawler
- Saturdays @11am – Main