



AAUW BALLWIN-CHESTERFIELD LITERATURE I BOOK SELECTIONS 2008 – 2009

Third Thursday of the Month at 9:30 am, unless otherwise noted

September 18, 2008

Suite Francaise by Irene Nemirovsky
Discussion Leader: Mary McFarland
Hostess: Mary McFarland
1613 Baxter Lane Circle, Chesterfield

October 30, 2008 *Note Date Change*

The Reluctant Fundamentalist by Mohsin Hamid
Discussion Leader: Dorle Brusckke
Hostess: Jane Miller
10 Woods Hill Dr., Town and Country

November 20, 2008

Loving Frank by Nancy Horan
Discussion Leader: Arlene Spector
Hostess: Diane Siegel
17706 Drummer Ln., Chesterfield

December 18, 2008

**The Soloist: A Lost Dream, an Unlikely Friendship,
and the Redemptive Power of Music** by Steve Lopez
Discussion Leader: Carol Presley
Hostess: Bette Bude
324 Babler Rd., Town and Country

January 15, 2009

The Madonnas of Leningrad by Debra Dean
Discussion Leader: Teri Steinberg
Hostess: Rea Kleeman
520 S. Brentwood Blvd. 1A, St. Louis

February 19, 2009

The Double Bind by Chris Bohjalian
Discussion Leader: Not Decided
Hostess: Beth Meteer
1359 Wellington View Place, Chesterfield

March 19, 2009

The Commoner by John B. Schwartz
Discussion Leader: Marcia Block
Hostess: Carol Thomas
18208 Ashford Oaks Dr., Glencoe

April 16, 2009

People of the Book by Geraldine Brooks
Discussion Leader: Ruth Griffin
Hostess: Mary Jermak
15231 Brightfield Manor, Chesterfield

May 21, 2009

Unaccustomed Earth by Jhumpa Lahiri
Discussion Leader: Julie Triplett
Hostess: Terri Ciccolella
438 Conway Village Dr., St. Louis

June 18, 2009

Book Selection for 2009 - 2010
Salad & Dessert Luncheon
Hostess: Brenda Bussen
18611 Babler Meadows Dr., Wildwood

Also Nominated

Animal, Vegetable, Miracle, by Barbara Kingsolver

Bridge of Sighs by Richard Russo

City of Shadows by Ariana Franklin

The Exception by Christian Jungersen

The Final Confession of Mabel Stark by Robert Hough

A Fine Balance by Rohinton Mistry

The History of Love by Nicole Krauss

The Ice Queen by Alice Hoffman

In the Line of Fire by Pervez Musharraf

Ines of My Soul by Isabel Allende

The Light of Day by Graham Swift

The Memory Keeper's Daughter by Kim Edwards

Run by Ann Patchett

Saving Fish From Drowning by Amy Tan

The Senator's Wife by Sue Miller

A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khaled Hosseini

Water For Elephants by Sara Gruen