May to August 2024 Dewey Picks – Adult Titles Canadian Manda Group



Their Divine Fires by Wendy Chen- Algonquin Books- 9781643755151- HC- \$36.00- Fiction / Asian American & Pacific Islander- 256 pp.- May 2024

A captivating and intimate debut novel interwoven with folktale and myth, Wendy Chen's *Their Divine Fires* tells the story of the love affairs of three generations of Chinese women across one hundred years of revolutions both political and personal.



Felt by Mark Blagrave Cormorant Books- 9781770867567- TPB- \$24.95- Fiction / Sagas- 312 pp.- August 2024

Matthew, a Toronto museum curator, returns home to New Brunswick to his mother who is wrestling with the challenges of living alone at age ninety-six. As mother and son face the prognosis of her developing Alzheimer's disease, the pair begin to unfold a family saga.



Shae by Mesha Maren- Algonquin Books- 9781643755663- HC- \$36.00- Fiction / LGBTQ+-224 pp.- May 2024

A queer coming-of-age novel about addiction, belonging, and loving a place that doesn't always love you back.



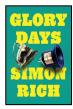
All Friends Are Necessary by Tomas Moniz- Algonquin Books- 9781643755816- HC-\$36.00- Fiction / Hispanic & Latino / LGBTQ+- 288 pp.- June 2024

In this joyous, big-hearted novel, Tomas Moniz—a finalist for the PEN/Hemingway and Lambda Literary awards—delivers a commanding new story about the power of friendship, community, and the families we create for ourselves..



Hey, Zoey by Sarah Crossan- Little, Brown and Company- 9780316428606- HC- \$38.00-Fiction / Women / Literary- 320 pp.- June 2024

Dolores O'Shea's marriage collapses when she discovers her husband's AI sex doll in the garage. When she moves "Zoey" into the house, they become oddly bonded, opening the door to a lifetime of repressed feelings and memories.



Glory Days by Simon Rich- Little, Brown and Company- 9780316569002- HC- \$36.00-Fiction / Short Stories / Humorous - 224 pp.- July 2024

From the author of *New Teeth*, comes a hilarious new collection of short stories chronicling modern mayhem. *Glory Days* takes a close look at life in the twenty-first century as only Simon Rich can, unearthing irony and humor at every turn.



Beep by Bill Roorbach- Algonquin Books- 9781643755618- HC- \$36.00- Fiction / Animals / Nature & the Environment- 224 pp.- July 2024

In the tradition of Shelby Van Pelt's *Remarkably Bright Creatures*, an ebullient, funny—and hugely original— novel about the friendship between a brilliant young girl and a perceptive squirrel monkey, the power of youth, and the way forward for a planet in crisis.



The Most by Jessica Anthony- Little, Brown and Company- 9780316576376- HC- \$32.00-Fiction / Family Life- 128 pp.- July 2024

A tightly wound, consuming tale for readers of Claire Keegan and Ian McEwan, about a 1950s American housewife who decides to get into the pool in her family's apartment complex one morning and won't come out.



Daughters of Chaos by Jen Fawkes- The Overlook Press- 9781419772474- HC- \$33.00-Fiction / Fantasy - Historical / Romance - LGBTQ+- 288 pp.- July 2024

Award-winning author Jen Fawkes's *Daughters of Chaos* is an epic novel about Civil War-era Nashville's "public women," a secret society spanning millennia, and the earth-shaking power of the female.



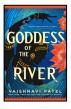
Medusa by Nataly Gruender- Grand Central Publishing- 9781538765340- HC- \$39.00-Fiction / Fairy Tales, Folk Tales, Legends & Mythology / Historical- 432 pp.- August 2024 An intimate look into the life of a legendary mythical villain who has so often been stripped of her voice and humanity in this debut novel, perfect for fans of Madeline Miller's *Circe* and the works of Jennifer Saint.



Swallow the Ghost by Eugenie Montague- Mulholland Books- 9780316568067- HC- \$38.00-Fiction / Mystery & Detective - Private Investigators- 320 pp.- August 2024 Swallow the Ghost traces the impact of one event on three different lives, each interlocking story offering a complex, contradictory truth.



How to Make a Horror Movie and Survive by Craig DiLouie Redhook-9780316569316- TPB- \$24.99- Fiction / Horror / Ghost- 320 pp.- June 2024 From Bram Stoker Award-nominated author Craig DiLouie comes a darkly humorous horror novel that sees a famous 80s slasher director set out to shoot the most terrifying horror movie ever made using an occult camera that might be (and probably is) demonic.



Goddess of the River by Vaishnavi Patel- Redhook- 9780759557345- HC- \$41.00- Fiction / Historical - Ancient / Fantasy- 432 pp.- May 2024

A powerful reimagining of the story of Ganga, goddess of the river, and her doomed mortal son, from Vaishnavi Patel, author of the instant New York Times bestseller *Kaikeyi*.



One Love by Matt Cain- Headline- 9781472291912- HC- \$34.99- Fiction / LGBTQ+- 400 pp.- June 2024

Both single for the first time in years, Danny and Guy return to the confetti-covered streets of the Gay Village for Manchester Pride. Could this weekend be the end of a twenty-year friendship . . . or the start of something new and even more beautiful?