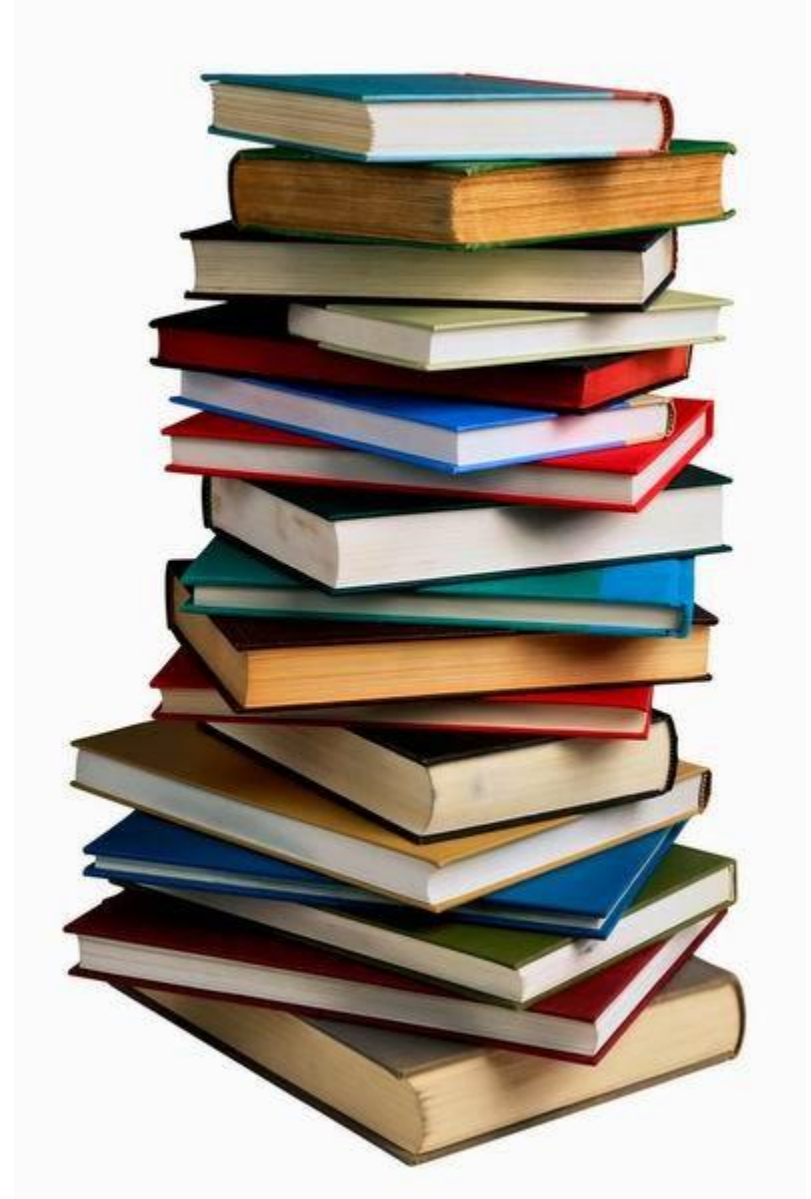


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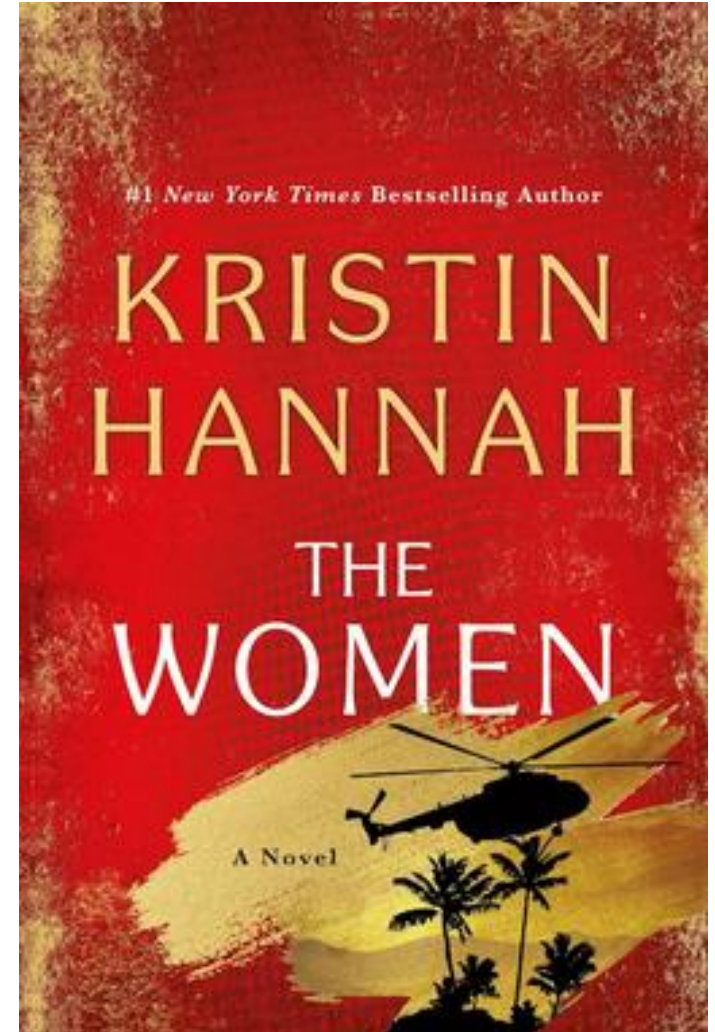
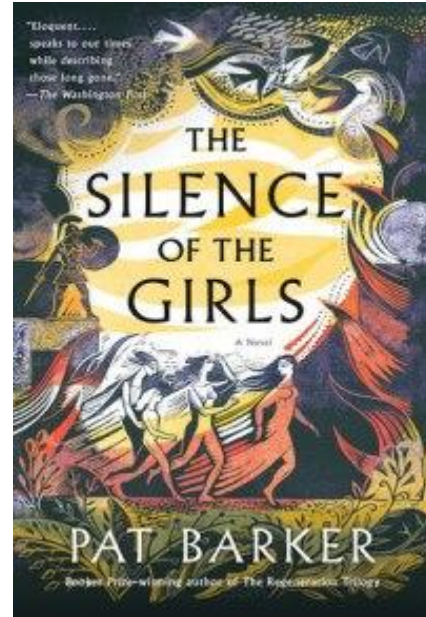
2025 -2026

- This has been another enjoyable, successful year for Newnham Book Group.
- We have continued to meet once a month, enjoying a selection of books across a variety of genres.
- All books are selected a year in advance – by a very democratic process of finalising our choices from a selection submitted by each member of the group. We do this to ensure that we have plenty of time to source the book for each month – either from libraries, charity shops, second-hand book sellers or Kindle (where we are expert at spotting the 99p deals!)

Some of our recent book choices.....

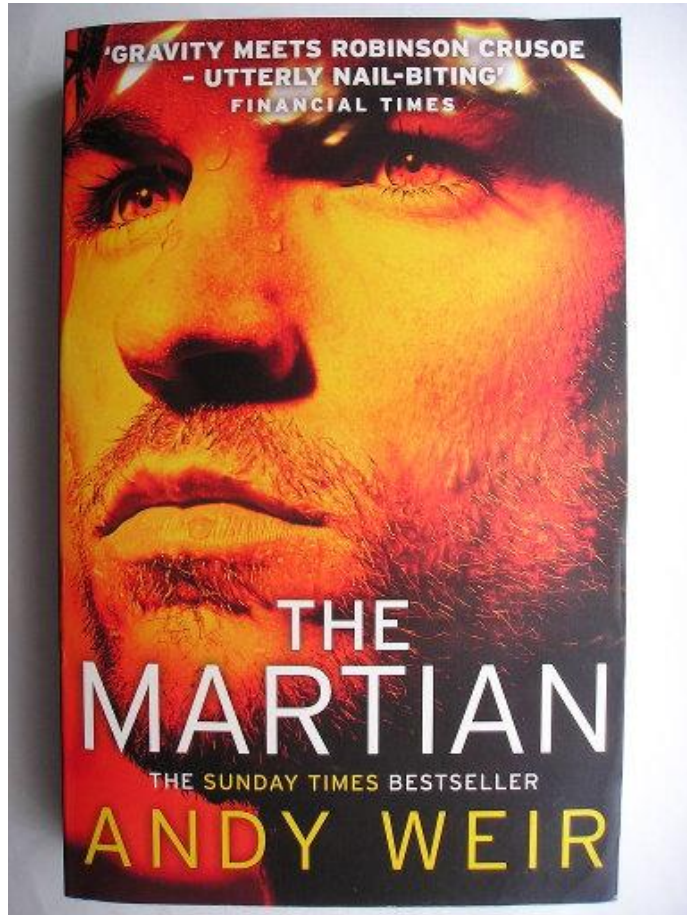


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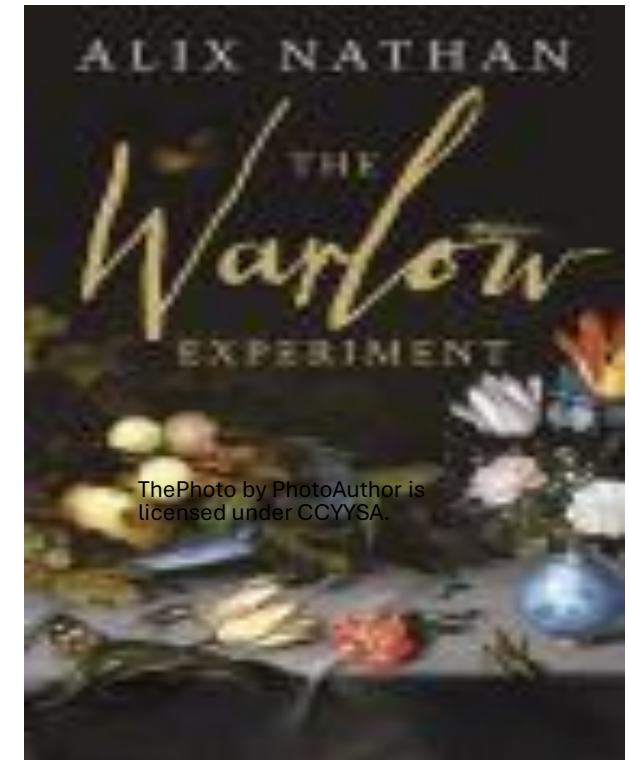
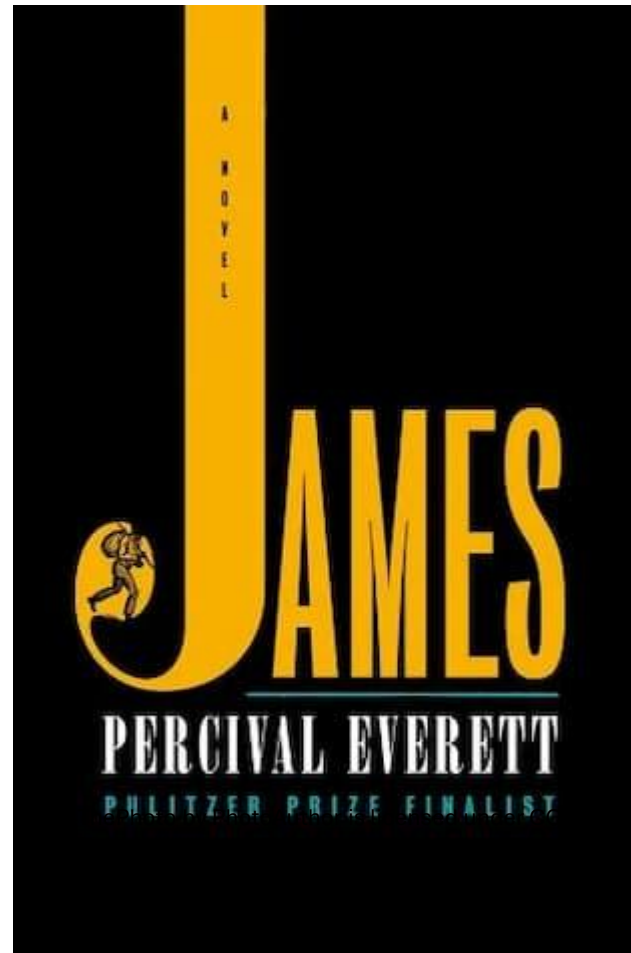


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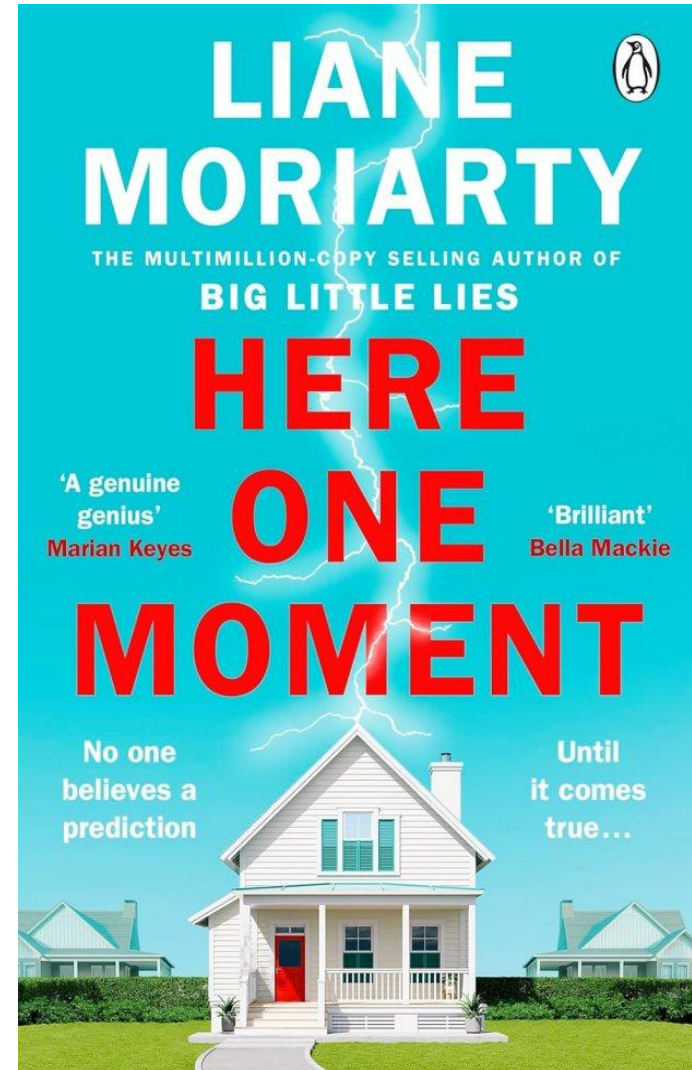
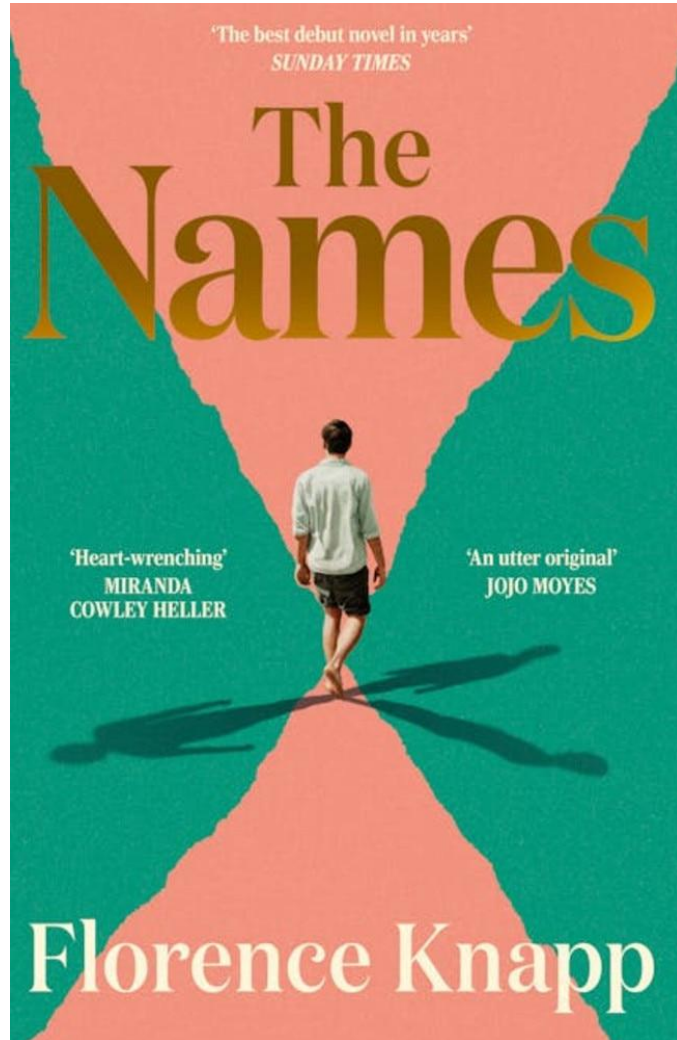
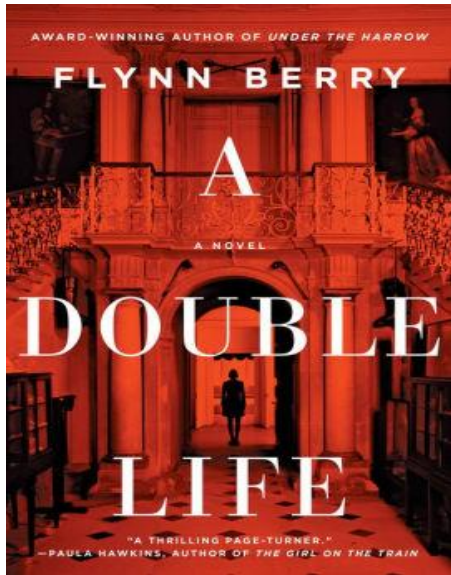
And some more....



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Some of the books we are planning to read this year...



And here's one we wish we hadn't read.....



'The Book Club' by C.J.Cooper which told the story of a fairly psychotic woman who moved to a village, started a book club, and proceeded to take revenge on all the other members of the group for their 'sins' in a very melodramatic and totally unbelievable way! Thankfully – not at all like Newnham Book Group!

Finally...

- So.....whether we like the book or not, we are always pleased to have read something we perhaps would not have otherwise read. We are often set on a path of reading multiple other books by a particular author if we read the first in a series e.g. J.D Kirk, Susan Hill, Elly Griffiths. There is always a good discussion to be had in the company of other book addicts, especially if accompanied by a glass of wine!

