Book Club Resources

African American Literature Book Club  http://aalbc.com/


Book Club Girl is “dedicated to sharing great books, news and tips with book club girls everywhere.”  http://www.bookclubgirl.com/

Book Divas has resources for YA and college readers.  http://www.bookdivas.com/

Book Group Buzz is a Book List blog.  http://bookgroupbuzz.booklistonline.com/


Book Lust website from author Nancy Pearl.  http://booklust.wetpaint.com/?t=anon

BookBrowse recommends recently published books through independent reviews and reading lists.  http://www.bookbrowse.com/reading_guides/


BookMuse has specific information on kids books as well as adult groups.  http://www.bookmuse.com/


Books on the Brain is a book group leader’s blog.  http://lisamm.wordpress.com/about/

Generous Books has free services for book clubs.  http://www.generousbooks.com/bookclubs


Page23 was launched by Changing Hands Bookstore “in response to the alarming statistics on the drop of young readers (between age 20-30).”  http://www.myspace.com/_Page23

Readers’ Review from Diane Rehm is a “book-club-style discussion is held once a month, usually on the third Wednesday. A panel of authors, professors, and book-lovers joins Diane to talk about their reactions to the month’s selection.”  http://wamu.org/programs/dr/readers_review/

Reading Group Choices  website.  www.readinggroupchoices.com

ReadingGroupGuides website.  www.readinggroupguides.com

Talkin’ Bout Books is a blog with discussions and suggestions for young readers.  http://k8talksbooks.blogspot.com/


Women’s National Book Association sponsors the National Reading Group Month every October.  http://www.nationalreadinggroupmonth.org/
Publisher Resources

Publishers are very interested in helping out your book groups. They know that book clubs buy books and buy a lot of backlist paperbacks. They have excellent resources for you if you just utilize them. Ask about author dvd’s for your groups, author visits and speaker phone conversations.


Ballantine Reader’s Circle  www.randomhouse.com/BB/read/

Bloomsbury  http://www.bloomsburyusa.com/reading_club/

Borzo Reader  (Alfred A. Knopf’s reading group books and guides)  
http://www.randomhouse.com/knopf/catalog/rgg.html

Candlewick Press  reading resources  
http://www.candlewick.com/authill.asp?b=Author&pg=1&m=actlist&a=&id=0&pix=n

Doubleday Readers’ Guides  http://www.randomhouse.com/doubleday/readers/


Hyperion  http://www.hyperionbooks.com/readinggroups/index.htm

Literary Ventures Fund  http://www.literaryventuresfund.org/booksellers#guides


Picador  at the movies  http://us.macmillan.com/all/editorslist/General/PicadorAtTheMovies

Random House  www.randomhouse.com/reader_resources/browsetitle


Scholastic  http://teacher.scholastic.com/clubs/

Simon & Schuster  www.bookclubreader.com


St. Martin’s  http://www.readinggroupgold.com

Unbridled  http://www.unbridledbooks.com/booksellers.html#guides

Vintage and Anchor  www.randomhouse.com/vintage/read/rgg.html

Workman  http://www.workman.com/etcetera/readers-guides/news_search.pl