North Suburban Synagogue Bethe El Sisterhood Torah Fund Book Club 2022-2023



ATOMIC ANNA

BY RACHEL BARENBAUM

From the author of *A Bend in the Stars*, an epic adventure as three generations of women work together and travel through time to prevent the Chernobyl disaster and right the wrongs of their past.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022, 12:30 PM

In-person discussion after Shabbat Kiddush

*Meet the Author with the Jewish Women's Archive on **<u>Thursday, July 21 at 7:00pmCT</u>**. Register at <u>https://jwa.org/events</u>. Or, watch the recording of this summer's <u>"One Book, One Hadassah"</u> program.



THE THREAD COLLECTORS

BY SHAUNNA J. EDWARDS & ALYSON RICHMAN

In 1863, a young black woman, who embroiders intricate maps on repurposed cloth to help enslaved men flee and join the Union Army, crosses paths with a Jewish seamstress who helps her discover that even the most delicate threads have the capacity to save us. ***This new book will be released on August 30, 2022.**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2022, 8:00 PM

Meet the authors on Zoom SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022, 12:30 PM

In-person discussion after Shabbat Kiddush



FROM MINISKIRT TO HIJAB: A GIRL IN REVOLUTIONARY IRAN

BY JACQUELINE SAPER

A coming-of-age story of a half Iranian and half English Jewish girl paints a remarkable picture of the paradoxes of life in Iran before, during and after the Islamic Revolution.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 2023, 7:00 PM Meet the author in-person at NSS Beth El

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 20223, 12:30 PM

In-person discussion after Shabbat Kiddush

The Book Club will continue in **March, April & June 2023**. Stay tuned for more details. **Participants are encouraged to make a minimum donation of \$54 to the <u>Torah Fund Campaign</u>. Copies of the books are available in the Gray Cultural & Learning Center and from public libraries, as well as from local and online booksellers. Questions?** Contact Rachel Kamin, Director of Lifelong Learning, at rkamin@nssbethel.org or 847/926-7902.