

Book Club

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Not your average Book Club! It is more than turning pages. It is the first step to engage your community and get them into the library to discuss ideas around lyrics, novels, film, and comics.

The Edge has themed this book club series around Apocalypse so that the series as well as the larger project has a through line.

An apocalypse (Ancient Greek: ἀποκάλυψις apokálypsis, from ἀπό and καλύπτω, literally meaning “an uncovering”) is a disclosure of knowledge or revelation. In religious contexts it is usually a disclosure of something hidden, “a vision of heavenly secrets that can make sense of earthly realities”.[1] (<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Apocalypse>)

Before you run a Book Club, do your [Apocalypse research](#)

Also, if you need some pointers/ideas about facilitating a community discussion, go here [Engaging community](#)

How to Run a Book Club Templates

These templates are for running Book Clubs that cover:

- Novel
- Graphic Novel
- Songs and Lyrics
- Film

Book Club Template

To create a new Book Club you can use this generic template

[Book Club Template](#)

This template covers all you need to run a Book Club in your library. It includes:

- Event plan
- Pre and post event evaluation tips and forms

[Eventbrite Pre](#)

[Forms post](#)

[A poster you can edit is available as a](#)

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If you would like to run a Book Club about songs, a graphic novel or a film, you can check out the workshops used at SLQ and other libraries below.

Book Clubs @ The Deception Bay Library

The first three book club events at Deception bay in Sep-Oct 2017 were such a hit that the library decided to continue with the series every second week.

[Song & Lyrics Book Club](#)

[Invitation Making Book Club](#)

[Comic Books - Book Club](#)

[3D Printing & Diorama Book Club](#)

[3D Printing & Diorama Book Club Session 2](#)

[Making Masks Book Club](#)

Here are the posters for the Deception Bay book club series (please note that it was decided not to call it a book club rather 'Larger than Life at the Library' and then for the second series they went with 'Not Your Average Book Club'

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Book Clubs @ The Edge SLQ

These are the Books Club events run at The Edge SLQ.

[Songs & Lyrics Book Club](#)

[All the Pretty Horses Book Club](#)

[Avengers Film Book Club](#)

[Maus - Graphic Novel Book Club](#)

[Handmaids Tale - Novel Book Club](#)

[Music Videos Book Club](#)

[Fassbinder - Short Film Book Club](#)

[Cleverman - TV Book Club](#)

[Walking Dead - Comic Book Club](#)

Bookclub marketing material at The Edge

