November 2019 - The top ten books published this month that librarians across the country love.

**The Bromance Book Club**
by Lyssa Kay Adams
(Berkley Jove)
"Thea gave up everything when she became Gavin’s wife, and has been faking more than just her happiness. When the marriage is headed for divorce, Gavin’s friends bring him into their secret book club to help him win his wife back. For readers who like romance with a little humor, and fans of Curtis Sittenfeld and Jennifer Crusie."

—Melissa McNeill, Montgomery County Memorial Library System, Conroe, TX
NoveList read-alike: Wooing Cadie McCaffrey by Bethany Turner

**The Deep**
by Rivers Solomon
(Saga Press)
"An incredibly interesting reimagining of what happened to the slaves that got thrown off the ships while crossing the ocean. For fans of *She Would Be King* by Wayetu Moore and *The Water Dancer* by Ta-Nehisi Coates."

—Kelli Ponce, Mesquite Public Library, Mesquite, TX
NoveList read-alike: The Parable of the Sower by Octavia Butler

**Get a Life, Chloe Brown**
by Talia Hibbert
(HarperCollins)
"Chloe is doing all she can to avoid being defined by her illness. Redford is a talented artist who was verbally abused by his former girlfriend. Smart and snarky, they find ways to help each other face their challenges. Snappy dialogue, dynamic characters, and a realistic story make this a good choice for fans of Alyssa Cole and Jasmine Guillory."

—Paula Pergament, Lincolnwood Public Library, Lincolnwood, IL
NoveList read-alike: The Kiss Quotient by Helen Hoang

**Little Weirds**
by Jenny Slate
(Little, Brown and Company)
"Weirdly delightful and beyond compare. Essays that provide a look into the comedian’s brain. For fans of Miranda July."

—Jessica Sweedler DeHart, Neill Public Library, Pullman, WA
NoveList read-alike: One More Thing by B.J. Novak

**Not the Girl You Marry**
by Andie J. Christopher
(Berkley Jove)
"A perfect contemporary romance that will make you laugh, swoon, and maybe even get a little weepy. Hannah is a heroine for the ages, prickly, real, and worth fighting for. For readers who loved *How to Lose a Guy in Ten Days.*"

—Elizabeth Gabriel, Milwaukee Public Library, Milwaukee, WI
NoveList read-alike: The Perfect Date by Evelyn洛aza

**Tracking Game**
by Margaret Mizushima
(Crooked Lane Books)
"This is a terrific series with characters that are constantly changing. I’m so excited to see what happens to them next! A good pick for fans of Nevada Barr."

—Liz Kerchoff, Barrington Area Library, Barrington, IL
NoveList read-alike: Ryder Creed series by Alex Kava

**Twenty-One Truths About Love**
by Matthew Dicks
(St. Martin’s Press)
"Daniel Mayrock is struggling to find his way as a man, husband, and potential father. His story is told entirely in lists. Written as a form of therapy for himself, Daniel’s lists show his sense of humor and feelings of inadequacy. Funny, sad, uplifting but always relatable. A must read for fans of Rachel Joyce and Gabrielle Zevin."

—Sam Sepulveda, Milford Town Library, Milford, MA
NoveList read-alike: The Lover’s Dictionary by David Levithan

**We Met in December**
by Rosie Curtis
(William Morrow Paperbacks)
"A lovely charmer of a book. Jess follows her dream and moves to London and rents a room in a big Notting Hill house with one rule – no dating your flatmates. For fans of *One Day* (even mentioned in the book), *Four Weddings and One Day in December.*"

—Stephanie Chase, Hillsboro Public Library, Hillsboro, OR
NoveList read-alike: Covent Garden in the Snow by Jules Wake

**The Witches Are Coming**
by Lindy West
(Hachette)
"West takes on rape culture, climate change, Hollywood, and toxic masculinity among other topics. It’s funny, relatable and on-point. For fans of Rebecca Solnit and Roxane Gay."

—Shari Suarez, Genesee District Library, Goodrich, MI
NoveList read-alike: The Seven Necessary Sins for Women and Girls by Mona Eltahawy

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A Novel
by Elizabeth Berg
(Random House)

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—Ron Block, Cuyahoga County Public Library, Brooklyn, OH

Read-alike: The Summer Seaside Kitchen by Jenny Colgan
Read-alike: Etta and Otto and Russell and James by Emma Hooper
Read-alike: Chronicles of a Radical Hag by Lorna Landvik

The Family Upstairs
by Lisa Jewell
(Atria Books)

"Gothic and creepy, this is the tale of an aging London mansion taken over by a strong-willed con artist happy to prey on the minds of the eccentric family living there. I look forward to each Lisa Jewell release and The Family Upstairs does not disappoint."

—Linda Quinn, Fairfield Public Library, Fairfield, CT

Read-alike: Lock Every Door by Riley Sager
Read-alike: The Au Pair by Emma Rous
Read-alike: The Couple Next Door by Shari Lapena

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