

BOOK CATALOGUE – JUNE 2019

The USA's summer releases are arriving – to help us get through our chilly down under. Mass market paperbacks include Christine Feehan's *Shadow Warrior* and JoAnn Ross's *Summer on Mirror Lake*. Trade paperbacks include Jennifer Ashley's *Death in Kew Gardens*, Janet Evanovich's and Peter Evanovich's *Big Kahuna*, Jenny Hale's *Summer House* and Nalini Singh's *Wolf Rain* for which we can provide personalised book signings. Details inside!

Top Books This Month		Books Available Soon	
Jennifer Ashley	Death in Kew Gardens*	Mary Balogh	Someone to Honor
Kelly Bowen	A Rogue By Night	Laurie Cass	Booking the Crook
Janet Evanovich	The Big Kahuna*	Lori Foster	Sisters of Summer's End*
Christine Feehan	Shadow Warrior	Anne Gracie	Marry in Secret
Jenny Hale	The Summer House	Laura Griffin	Her Deadly Secrets*
Fern Michaels	Sweet Vengeance#	Eloisa James	Say No to the Duke
Karen Robards	The Ultimatum#	Sabrina Jeffries	Project Duchess
JoAnn Ross	Summer on Mirror Lake	Emily March	Jackson: Eternity Springs
Joanna Shupe	Rogue of Fifth Avenue	Nora Roberts	Under Currents*
Nalini Singh	Wolf Rain*	Jill Shalvis	The Lemon Sisters*

Paperback Release * Hardcover/TPB/POD & Anthology Please contact us if you would like to reserve a book

	<p>Title: Shadow Warrior Author: Christine Feehan Classification: Fantasy & Paranormal Book Type: Mass Market Paperback Price: \$17 Annotation: <i>Shadow Riders Series.</i> Vittorio Ferraro wants to start a family of his own but, deep down, he has always known finding a woman who could ride shadows would be nearly impossible, and he never expected to find her in the middle of a kidnapping ... Grace Murphy has always been drawn to Vittorio – or at least to the billionaire's public bad-boy persona. Now she's under his protection, she can't help wanting to get as close to him as possible ... But Grace knows her presence is putting the Ferraro family in danger. Her monster of a brother will never let her go, but Vittorio has no intention of losing the woman whose shadow matches his own ...</p>		<p>Title: The Summer House Author: Jenny Hale Classification: Contemporary Book Type: Trade Paperback Price: \$20 Annotation: Callie Weaver and best friend Olivia Dixon have done it: put their life savings into the beach house they admired through childhood, on the white sand of North Carolina's Outer Banks. They're going to open it as a bed and breakfast ... Callie's too busy to think about her love life, but when she catches the attention of local heartthrob Luke Sullivan, his blue eyes and easy smile make it hard to say no. Just when happiness seems within reach, Callie and Olivia find a diary full of secrets. As Callie reads, she unravels a mystery that makes her heart drop ... Will Callie and Luke be pulled apart by the storm it unleashes, or can love save them?</p>
	<p>Title: Summer on Mirror Lake Author: JoAnn Ross Classification: Contemporary Book Type: Mass Market Paperback Price: \$17 Annotation: <i>Honeymoon Harbor Series.</i> When he lands in the emergency room after collapsing at the funeral of a colleague and friend, Wall Street hotshot Gabriel Mannion reluctantly decides to return to his hometown to regroup ... There, irresistible librarian Chelsea Prescott, along with her two foster children, make slowing down seem like the best prescription ever ... Over the course of their romance, Gabe gets a taste of a different path. But with his return to New York City looming, he'll have to choose between the success he's worked tirelessly for and a ready-made family who offers a very different future ...</p>		<p>Title: Wolf Rain Author: Nalini Singh Classification: Fantasy & Paranormal Book Type: Hardcover/Trade Paperback Price: \$42/\$28 Annotation: <i>Psy-Changeling Trinity Series.</i> Kidnapped as a young girl, her psychic powers harnessed by a madman, Memory lives a caged and isolated existence ... until she comes face-to-face with a wolf. Labelled an empath by her bad-tempered rescuer, Memory knows that her 'gift' is nothing so bright. It is a terrible darkness that means she will always be hunted ... But Memory is free now and she intends to live. Defiant and fearless, Memory awakens the most primal part of Alexei's nature – and soon, he must make a choice: risk everything or lose Memory to a murderous darkness that wants to annihilate her ...</p>

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Other Books Available This Month

Contemporary Romance & Romantic Suspense

Hot to the Touch by **Jaci Burton** (Trade Paperback – \$23). *Brotherhood by Fire Series*. Firefighter Jackson Donovan doesn't look back – as a rule. So when his past comes roaring back in the form of Becks Benning, the last thing he wants to do is relive old times ... But thanks to his two interfering brothers, Becks is living with them while she looks for a new place and tries to pick up the pieces of her tattoo business that went up in flames. Which means a grown up, smokin' hot Becks is in his house, sharing meals, and digging up old wounds. And despite his better judgement, the more time he spends with this incredible woman the more he wants her in his bed – and his future ... Becks always had it bad for Jackson. Unfortunately for her, not much has changed – he's still hard-working, honorable, sexy – and closed off. But there's more than one way to get to a man's heart and if Jackson doesn't want to recall old memories, she'll help him make new ones. Because now that she's found Jackson again, she's not letting him go.

Seal's Honor by **Megan Crane** (Paperback – \$17). *Alaska Force Series*. The last thing Blue Hendricks needs six months into his uneasy reentry into civilian life is trouble in the form of his old friend's sister, all grown up and in the middle of a murder investigation. But he didn't become a SEAL to turn his back on the hard stuff, and he can't bring himself to ignore Everly's call for help – no matter how much he knows he's not fit to be around the woman she's become. Not after the things he's done ... Everly Campbell is desperate. When her roommate is murdered and the body vanishes, Everly fears she might be next. With no one to believe her, Everly runs to a remote Alaskan town to find a man she vaguely remembers and his crew of ex-military brothers who could be her only hope. Blue wants to keep things all business, but Everly isn't a little girl anymore, and the commanding former SEAL is more temptation than she can resist ... As the men on Everly's trail draw closer, Blue will do anything to protect the woman he's starting to think of as his ...

The Blessing by **Jude Deveraux** (Paperback Reissue – \$18). Wealthy corporate genius Jason Wilding reluctantly takes a break from his high-powered world to visit his hometown of Abernathy, Kentucky. As a favor to his physician brother David, he spends one week as a live-in baby-sitter in the ramshackle home of Amy Thompkins, who has captured David's heart. Courting the whimsical, artistic Amy has been difficult with her adorable but demanding baby, Max, in tow, and Jason's help is just what David needs ... But stepping into Amy's patched-together world has the most remarkable effect – on Jason ... Amy's joy for life, her love for her son, and her sparkling humor are irresistible – and tiny Max adores Jason. Soon, the enigmatic CEO is thawing. And his newfound smile reminds Amy of a Mount Rushmore monument cracking up – in the best possible way ... Their mutual attraction is glowing bright, but what to do about David?

Cooper's Charm by **Lori Foster** (Paperback Release – \$17). *Love at the Resort Series*. Before the burglary that shattered her confidence, Phoenix Rose had a fiance, a successful store and a busy, happy

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Deadly Obsession by **April Hunt** (Paperback – \$17). *Steele Ops Series*. After a lifetime spent in and out of hospitals, Zoey Wright is tired of playing it safe. She's ready to take charge of her own life and get out of her comfort zone, starting with a new job as a CSI agent. But when her childhood crush Knox Steele gets pulled onto her case, Zoey needs to put her feelings for him aside or more women will die at the hands of the serial killer preying on her hometown ... Former Army Ranger Knox Steele is back in Washington to help his brothers open an elite private security firm. He never expected to stumble onto a crime scene, or see his best friend's little sister working it. Zoey is all grown up now, and the attraction between them is electric, despite his best efforts to resist it. But all that changes for Knox when he realizes the victims have one thing in common ... and Zoey might be next.

Sweet Vengeance by **Fern Michaels** (Paperback Release – \$17). Tessa Jamison couldn't have imagined anything worse than losing her beloved twin girls and husband – until she was convicted of their murder. For years she has counted off the days in Florida's Correctional Center for Women. Proving her innocence holds little appeal now that her family's gone. But on one extraordinary day, her lawyers announce that Tessa's conviction has been overturned due to a technicality, and she's released on bail to await a new trial ... Tessa retreats to the small tropical island owned by her late husband's pharmaceutical company. There, she begins to gather knowledge about her case. For the first time since her nightmare began, Tessa feels a sense of purpose in working to finally expose the truth and avenge her lost family. One by one, the guilty will be led to justice, and Tessa can gain closure.

The Ultimatum by **Karen Robards** (Paperback Release – \$17). *Guardian Series*. Thief. Manipulator. Con artist. Call it what you will – Bianca St. Ives is the best in the business ... Growing up, Bianca knew she was different from her friends. Instead of playing hopscotch or combing her dolls' hair, she covertly studied martial arts with sensei masters and dismantled explosives with special-ops retirees. Her father prepped her well to carry on the family business ... Now she makes a living swindling con men out of money they stole. But her latest gig goes horribly wrong. Not only do two hundred million dollars and top secret government documents go missing, but her father is killed during the heist. The thing is, the US government doesn't believe he's really dead. They'll stop at nothing to capture

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Richard St. Ives, a high-value target and someone who has been on most-wanted lists all over the world for over two decades – and they mean to use Bianca as bait. With only a fellow criminal for backup and her life on the line, it's up to Bianca to uncover the terrifying truth behind what really happened ... and set it right, before it's too late.

Every Last Breath by **Juno Rushdan** (Paperback – \$17). *Final Hour Series*. 48 hours. 2 covert operatives. 1 chance to get it right ... Maddox Kinkade is an expert at managing the impossible. Tasked with neutralizing a lethal bioweapon, she turns to the one person capable of helping her stop the threat of pandemic in time: the love of her life, back from the dead and mad as hell at her supposed betrayal. Recruiting Cole to save millions of lives may be harder than resisting the attraction still burning between them, but Maddox will do whatever it takes ... even if it destroys her ... When Maddox crashes back into Cole Matthews' life, he wants to fight back. He wants to hate her. But the crisis is too strong to ignore, and soon the two former lovers find themselves working side-by-side in a race to stop a world-class killer with a secret that could end everything ... The clock is ticking.

Between You and Me by **Susan Wiggs** (Paperback Release – \$17). Caleb Stoltz is bound by a deathbed promise to raise his orphaned niece and nephew in Middle Grove, where life revolves around family, farm, faith – and long-held suspicions about outsiders. When disaster strikes, Caleb is thrust into an urban environment of high-tech medicine and the rush of modern life ... Dr. Reese Powell is poised to join the medical dynasty of her wealthy, successful parents. Bold, assertive, and quick-thinking, she lives for the addictive rush of saving lives. When a shocking accident brings Caleb Stoltz into her life, Reese is forced to deal with a situation that challenges everything she thinks she knows – and ultimately emboldens her to question her most powerful beliefs ... Then one impulsive act brings about a clash of cultures in a tug-of-war that plays out in a courtroom, challenging the very nature of justice and reverberating through generations, straining the fragile threads of faith and family.

Crime & Mystery & Thriller

Death Waits in the Dark by **Julia Buckley** (Paperback – \$17). *Writers Apprentice Mystery Series*. It's summertime, and writer's apprentice Lena London and her friend, bestselling suspense novelist Camilla Graham are busy working away while a town vandal runs amok. Things get even more complicated when Jane Wyland pays Camilla a not-so-friendly visit and gives her an ultimatum: reveal Camilla's husband James's family secret, or she will. Lena assures Camilla that nothing will

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come of the threats, since the family has no secrets to hide. When Jane is found dead, they're convinced that whatever secret she was planning to expose led to her death. Camilla is determined to solve the case with Lena's help, before the finger points at her ...

The Big Kahuna by **Janet Evanovich** and **Peter Evanovich** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Fox & O'Hare Series*. Straight arrow FBI agent Kate O'Hare always plays by the rules. Charming con man Nicholas Fox makes them up as he goes along. She thinks he's nothing but a scoundrel. He thinks she just needs to lighten up. They're working together to tackle the out-of-bounds cases ordinary FBI agents can't touch. And their relationship? Well, there hasn't been so much explosive chemistry since Nitro was introduced to Glycerin ... Next on the docket: The mysterious disappearance of the Silicon Valley billionaire known as the Big Kahuna. Kate's been assigned to find him, but no one seems keen on helping. His 26-year-old adult actress turned Instagram model wife and his shady Czech business partner are more interested in gaining control of his company. For that they need a dead body, not a living Kahuna ... The only lead they have is the Kahuna's dropout son, who's living the dream in Hawaii – if your dream is starting your day with the perfect wave and ending it with a big bowl of weed. To get close to the Kahuna's son, Kate and Nick go undercover as a married couple in the bohemian surfer community of Paia, Maui. Living a laid back lifestyle isn't in Kate's wheelhouse, but the only thing more horrifying is setting up house with Nick, even if he does look pretty gnarly on a longboard. If they don't catch a break soon, waves aren't the only thing she's going to be shredding (or bedding).

Claws for Concern by **Miranda James** (Paperback – \$17). *Cat in the Stacks Mystery Series*. Librarian Charlie Harris may be a proud new grandfather, but he and his Maine coon cat Diesel still have work to do at Athena College and the small Mississippi town's public library. He's too busy to deal with true-crime writer Jack Pemberton, who wants Charlie as the subject of his latest book – and who won't take no for an answer ... A more appealing proposition for Charlie is spending time helping a kind, elderly man navigate the library's genealogical database. But he's shocked when he learns that the visitor's search is focused on a member of his own family: his late aunt's husband ... Charlie befriends the man and considers inviting him to stay in his home, but he's soon given reason to question that notion. Jack is certain that Charlie's new houseguest was involved in a shocking homicide that took place years ago in a small town near Athena. As this cold case heats up, Charlie and Diesel have to uncover a killer who may already be too close to home ...

Nalini Singh's WOLF RAIN and Other Personalised Book Signings

We are offering personalised signings of Nalini Singh's books, including her latest release WOLF RAIN. The timing depends on Nalini's work & travel commitments and Nalini is not available for signings from 7-19 June; otherwise we normally expect signings to take around 1-5 working days. Please email info@chapter.co.nz to arrange.

Romance Writers of New Zealand (RWNZ) Annual Conference – Love and Other Journeys

23-25 Aug 2019

Romance Writers of New Zealand Conference @ Chateau on the Park, Christchurch
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The Quiet Side of Passion by **Alexander McCall Smith** (Small Trade Paperback Release – \$28). *Isabel Dalhousie Series*. It is summer in Edinburgh and Isabel Dalhousie is caught between ‘gossip’ and significant rumour. It is none of her business that Patricia, the mother of her son Charlie’s little friend Basil, is estranged from Basil’s father, or that the woman has a somewhat brazen attitude to childcare. And yet, it is curious ... Isabel, however, has much else on her mind as editor of the *Review of Applied Ethics*. Along with the work involved for its impending next issue, she really needs to get her house in order and tend to the demands of her niece, Cat. Thankfully, the arrival of Antonia, the exuberant Italian au pair, will take care of urgent chores. And the hiring of Claire, a diligent if unsettlingly beautiful new assistant at the Review, surely means that Isabel can breathe a little ... But her sharp observation and role as confidante soon have Isabel doubting her recent decisions. What’s more, her instinct to help others may have put her in danger. In her desire to run a smooth household and working life, has she created more chaos? Perhaps the quiet side of passion is, after all, the best side on which to be?

Fantasy & Paranormal Romance

A Cast-Off Coven by **Juliet Blackwell** (Paperback – \$17). *Witchcraft Mystery Series*. Lily Ivory is not your average witch. She runs a vintage clothing store called Aunt Cora’s Closet and has the magical ability to sense vibrations of the past from clothing and jewelry. When students are spooked at the San Francisco School for the Arts, Lily is called in to search for paranormal activity. She finds a dead body – and a closet full of old clothes with very bad vibes.

Once Bitten, Twice Burned by **Cynthia Eden** (Paperback – \$17). *Phoenix Fire Series*. Ryder Duncan keeps his secrets. With a twisted scientist starving him in a 10 x 12 cell, it’s not easy to conceal the abilities that set him apart from other vampires, or his plans for escape. But survival – and revenge – are worth waiting for. Until the so-called doctor tempts his appetites with something special: a woman, with a Southern accent and a scent like flowers ... Sabine Acadia didn’t volunteer to be dinner. She was kidnapped and tossed into the cage of a monster. A monster with fierce green eyes, a body that speaks of ruthless power – but a touch gentle as a caress. While they might soon escape this prison, Sabine’s fighting an urge to set all her desires free ...

Eversong by **Donna Grant** (Trade Paperback – \$29). *Kindred Series*. Unparalleled in beauty and daring, Leoma has been raised with a single-minded focus – to wipe out corrupt witches. But when her new target leads her to a discovery that unveils a graver plan from the Coven, she doesn’t hesitate to follow ... Yet, she’s not the only one on the hunt. And the sexy, infuriating man who crosses her path could prove to be a distraction – something she’s never encountered before ... Honor and family mean everything to Braith. When his life is turned upside down by the murder of his ward and heir without cause or reason, he has no choice but to turn to vengeance. Until a stunning, dangerous woman thwarts his efforts at every turn. Now, he must battle not only his need for revenge but his desire for the female, as well.

Tiger’s Claim by **Celia Kyle** (Paperback – \$17). *Shifter Rogues Series*. Jaguar shifter Stella Moore has

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one thing on her mind – to take down the anti-shifter organization that destroyed her family. Her plans are going perfectly until a sexy stranger throws her off her game and decides the only way they can both avoid getting caught is to claim her as his girlfriend. Wait! What? Now she has to fly to a tropical island and play along because the alternative is ... deadly ... Most people know Cole Turner as an uber-wealthy playboy – not as a tiger shifter who’s part of a special ops team. Now his undercover mission has been compromised by a redheaded bombshell, and every animal instinct he has is screaming mate. To survive, they’ll have to keep up their romantic act, find their intel ... and absolutely not fall in love along the way.

The Darkest Warrior by **Gena Showalter** (Paperback Release – \$18). *Lords of the Underworld Series*. Puck the Undefeated, host of the demon of Indifference, cannot experience emotion without punishment, so he allows himself to feel nothing. Until her. According to ancient prophecy, she is the key to avenging his past, saving his realm and ruling as king. All he must do? Steal her from the man she loves – and marry her ... Gillian Shaw has suffered many tragedies in her too-short life, but nothing could have prepared the fragile human for her transition into immortality. To survive, she must wed a horned monster who both intrigues and frightens her... and become the warrior queen she was born to be ... As a rising sense of possession and obsession overtake Puck, so does insatiable lust. The more he learns about his clever, resourceful wife, the more he craves her. And the more time Gillian spends with her protective husband, the more she aches for him. But the prophecy also predicts an unhappily-ever-after. Can Puck defeat fate itself to keep the woman who brought his deadened heart back to life? Or will they succumb to destiny, losing each other ... and everything they’ve been fighting for?

You Had Me at Jaguar by **Terry Spear** (Paperback – \$17). *Heart of the Shifter Series*. The United Shifter Force gives jaguar agent Howard Armstrong an impossible task – to protect fierce she-jaguar Valerie Chambers, when the last thing she wants is protecting. They’re going international to take down a killer and he can guard Valerie all day long. But guard his heart? He doesn’t stand a chance.

Forever Wolf by **MariaVale** (Paperback – \$17). *Legend of All Wolves Series*. Legend says his eyes portend the end of the world ... or the beginning ... Born with one blue eye and one green, Eyulf was abandoned by his pack as an infant and has never understood why, or what he is ... Varya is fiercely loyal to the Great North Pack, which took her in when she was a teenager. While out on patrol, Varya finds Eyulf wounded and starving and saves his life, at great risk to her own ... With old and new enemies threatening the Pack, Varya knows as soon as she sees his eyes that she must keep Eyulf hidden away from the superstitious wolves who would doom them both. Until the day they must fight to the death for the Pack’s survival, side by side and heart to heart ...

Historical & Regency Romance

Death in Kew Gardens by **Jennifer Ashley** (Trade Paperback – \$28). *Below Stairs Mystery Series*. In return for a random act of kindness, scholar Li Bai Chang presents young cook Kat Holloway with a precious gift – a box of tea. Kat thinks no more of her

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unusual visitor until two days later when the kitchen erupts with the news that Lady Cynthia's next-door neighbor has been murdered. Known about London as an Old China Hand, the victim claimed to be an expert in the language and customs of China, acting as intermediary for merchants and officials. But Sir Jacob's dealings were not what they seemed, and when the authorities accuse Mr. Li of the crime, Kat and Daniel find themselves embroiled in a world of deadly secrets that reach from the gilded homes of Mayfair to the beautiful wonder of Kew Gardens.

A Rogue By Night by **Kelly Bowen** (Paperback – \$17). *Devils of Dover Series*. Baron. Physician. Smuggler. Harland Hayward is living a double life as an aristocrat by day and a criminal by night. As a doctor, Harland has the perfect cover to appear in odd places at all hours, a cover he uses to his advantage. He's chosen this life to save his family from financial ruin, but he draws the line at taking advantage of the honest and trustworthy Katherine Wright ... Katherine thought she was done smuggling. Having finally convinced her ailing father and injured brother to abandon their criminal pursuits, she's returned to England to help them escape to a new life – once she helps them fulfill their last contract. And that means working with Hayward, even when her instincts tell her that becoming his ally may be a risk to her heart – as well as her life.

The Rogue's Wager by **Christi Caldwell** (Print-On-Demand Paperback – \$28). *Sinful Brides Series*. London, 1821. Lord Robert Dennington, Marquess of Westfield, revels in the freedom afforded him as the ducal heir. He knows he must do right by the Somerset line, but he's in no hurry to give up his carefree existence ... Helena Banbury is a bookkeeper in a gentleman's gambling club, adept at analyzing numbers but helpless for lack of influence. She's never belonged among the nobility on the gaming hell floors, but neither does she fit among the men who run the Hell and Sin Club, despite the fact that they are family. The once-illiterate girl from the streets wants more than the gilded walls her protective cage can offer ... When Robert mistakenly enters her chambers one night, Helena is forced out of her life and thrust into the glittering world of Society. Will the charms of the marquess prove more perilous than any danger she ever knew on the streets?

Anything But a Duke by **Christy Carlyle** (Paperback – \$17). *Duke's Den Series*. Self-made man Aidan Iverson has seen more closed doors in his thirty years than he's cared to count. As a member of the elite Duke's Den, he has all the money he could need but the one thing he can't purchase is true power. If Aidan can't buy his way into society's hallowed halls, he'll resort to a more extreme measure: marriage ... Brought up to be a proper lady, the only thing Diana Ashby desires is to be left alone to the creation of her own devices. But when her dreams are crushed, she must find another way to secure the future of her invention. Knowing his desire to enter her world, Diana strikes a deal to arrange Aidan's marriage to the perfect lady – as long as that lady isn't her. She doesn't need any distractions from her work, particularly of the sinfully handsome variety ... As Diana and Aidan set out to find him an aristocratic match, neither are prepared for the passion that ignites between them or the love they can't ignore ...

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The Earl Next Door by **Amelia Grey** (Paperback – \$17). *First Comes Love Series*. When Adeline, Dowager Countess of Wake, learns of her husband's death, she's free. At last, she can do, go, and be as she pleases. Finally, she can have the life she has dreamed of. She doesn't need, or want, to remarry. Especially not the future Marquis of Marksworth, who makes Adeline yearn for his desire ... Lord Lyonwood, son of a philandering marquis, will not be like his father. He wants to run his estates and watch them flourish – and find a wife who brings love to his life. When he meets spirited Adeline in a case of near-scandalous mistaken identity, Lyon feels he's met his match. But Adeline isn't interested in a marriage proposal. She will only accept becoming his lover – and Lyon finds it hard to refuse. Unless the fire of his passion can melt Adeline's resolve ...

Rogue of Fifth Avenue by **Joanna Shupe** (Paperback – \$17). *Uptown Girls Series*. In serving the wealthy power brokers of New York society, Frank Tripp has gained the respectability and security his own upbringing lacked. There's no issue he cannot fix ... except one: the beautiful and reckless daughter of an important client who doesn't understand the word danger ... Excitement lies just below 42nd Street, and Mamie Greene is determined to explore all of it – while playing a modern-day Robin Hood along the way. What she doesn't need is her father's lawyer dogging her every step and threatening her efforts to help struggling families in the tenements ... However, she doesn't count on Frank's persistence ... or the sparks that fly between them ...

Falling from His Grace by **Kristin Vayden** (Paperback – \$10). *Gentlemen of Temptation Series*. Lucas Mayfield, the Eighth Earl of Heightford, couldn't be more pleased with the private club that is his brainchild. But when a young courtesan at the masquerade appears too innocent, his suspicions are raised – along with his interest ... until her gleaming hair tumbles down and he recognizes her as the Duke of Chatterwood's beautiful daughter. How did the minx even know the place existed? And how has he allowed himself to give in to temptation and kiss her? Even more perplexing: she has vowed the kiss won't be the last ... Liliah Durary's father has cruelly demanded she marry her best friend, Meyer, although no romantic feeling exists between them. In fact, Meyer and Liliah's other best friend, Rebecca, are in love. Liliah sees only one option: she and Meyer will maintain a platonic marriage until some other arrangement can be made. Still, she intends to experience pleasure before she is wed. An intriguing new club seems the perfect place – and when Lucas kisses her, he seems the perfect other arrangement she seeks. All Liliah has to do is convince him.

Wicked Highland Ways by **Mary Wine** (Paperback – \$17). *Highland Weddings Series*. Brenda Grant has no desire to marry. Ever since her first, horrible marriage, she's made herself into a hellion to keep men from wanting her. But the Campbells, her previous husband's family, are determined to find her a new husband ... Highland Chief Bothan Gunn is smitten by the woman who won't be tamed. It takes all Brenda's willpower to resist the brawny Highlander who takes her to safety. But as they spend time together – and grow closer – Brenda finds the freedom she's been longing for all along.

Book Selection

Chapter specialises in romance fiction. We also stock selections of crime & mystery & thrillers and mainstream fiction and we may be able to fulfill special orders. Most of the books are imported from the USA. Please note: effective October 2017, we discontinued our book loyalty card scheme and we replaced it with lower average retail prices. Any existing stamped book cards are being cashed up.

Mail Order Service

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Summary of This Month's Books

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Jaci Burton	Hot to the Touch	Contemporary	\$23
Christi Caldwell	The Rogue's Wager*	Historical	\$28
Christy Carlyle	Anything but a Duke	Historical	\$17
Megan Crane	Seal's Honor	Contemporary/Suspense	\$17
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Lori Foster	Cooper's Charm#	Contemporary	\$17
Donna Grant	Eversong*	Fantasy & Paranormal	\$29
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