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Goodreads Basics

Goodreads Overview

**What Goodreads Is, Its Major
Features, How To Access It, and
Create An Account**

What is Goodreads?

The logo for Goodreads, featuring the word "goodreads" in a lowercase, brown, sans-serif font. The "o" in "good" is a simple circle, while the "o" in "reads" is a more complex, stylized shape. The logo is centered within a light beige rectangular box with a thin grey border.

Meet your next favorite book.

A place where you can share with friends what you are reading and see what they are reading too. You can discuss books, see recommendations from your local library, organize your book lists, and find your next favorite book.

Major Features



Ability to add and organize books in three shelves

"Read," "To-Read," and "Currently Reading" are the default shelves

Can add additional shelves if needed



Searching for books

By: Title, Author, ISBN, Genre

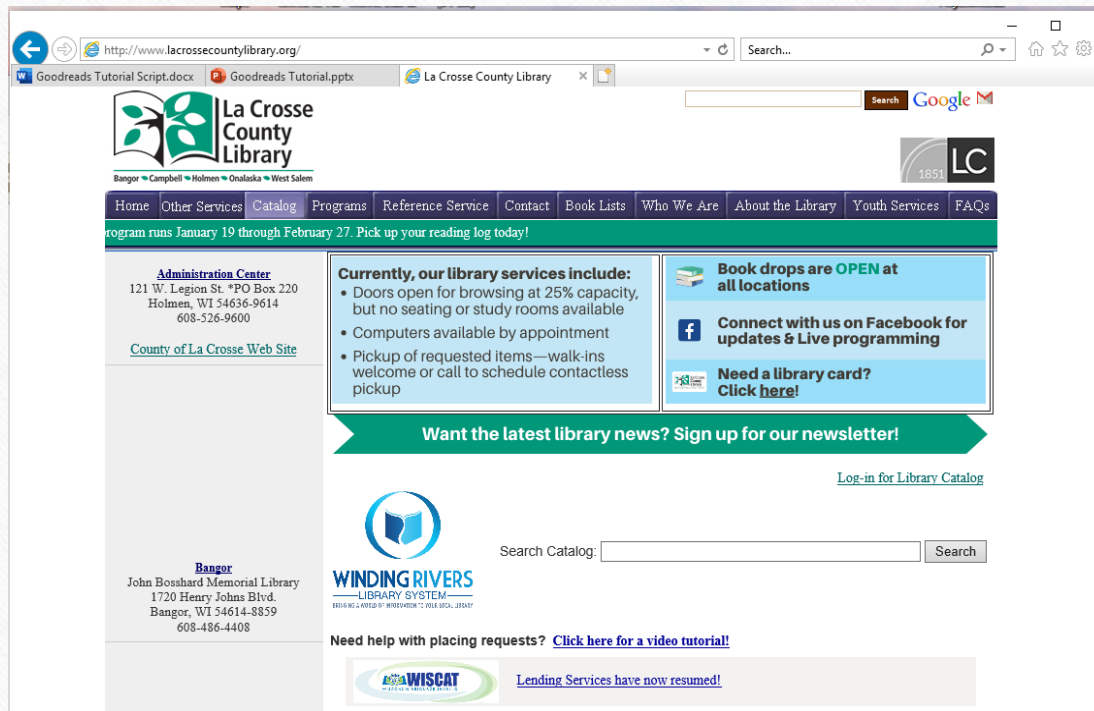


Ability to add friends, enter book giveaways, follow authors, and join groups


How Do I Access Goodreads?

Through the La Crosse County
Library Website

Through the mobile app



The screenshot shows the La Crosse County Library website. The header includes the library logo and navigation links such as Home, Other Services, Catalog, Programs, Reference Service, Contact, Book Lists, Who We Are, About the Library, Youth Services, and FAQs. A green banner at the top of the main content area reads "program runs January 19 through February 27. Pick up your reading log today!". Below this, there are several informational boxes: one for the Administration Center (121 W. Legion St., Holmen, WI 54636-9614, 608-526-9600), one listing current library services (doors open at 25% capacity, computers by appointment, walk-in pickup), and one for book drops (open at all locations). A blue box encourages connecting with the library on Facebook for updates and live programming. A green banner prompts users to sign up for the newsletter. At the bottom, there is a search bar for the library catalog, a link to log in, and a notice about WISCAT lending services resuming.



The advertisement for the Goodreads mobile app features the Goodreads logo (a stylized 'g' in a gold circle) and the text "Goodreads Goodreads Everyone". A prominent green button with the word "INSTALL" is highlighted with a red border. Below the button, four circular icons represent app statistics: "1 MILLION Downloads" (orange circle), "4.1" rating with five stars (green octagon), "Books & Reference" (green circle with an open book icon), and "Similar" (teal circle with an open book icon). The text "53,629" is displayed next to the rating icon. At the bottom, a caption reads: "This Photo by Unknown author is licensed under CC BY-NC."

The Goodreads Mobile App

If you have a mobile device, there is a Goodreads app available for many major operating platforms

- Allows your camera to take pictures of book covers or the ISBN to immediately enter it into one of your shelves
 - For example: You stumble over a book you might enjoy at a store. Take its picture and add it to your "To Read" shelf to grab it from your local library.
- Links to the app stores for various devices:
 - Apple: <https://www.apple.com/app-store/>
 - Android: https://play.google.com/store/apps?hl=en_US&gl=US
 - Amazon Kindle Fire Tablet: <https://www.amazon.com/Fire-Tablet-Apps/b?ie=UTF8&node=342728701>

La Crosse County Library Website

- Here is a link to our Profile:

<https://www.goodreads.com/user/show/120198641-la-crosse-county-library>

- Here is the link to our Goodreads Group page

<https://www.goodreads.com/group/show/1112084-la-crosse-county-library>

Getting Started






Creating an Account

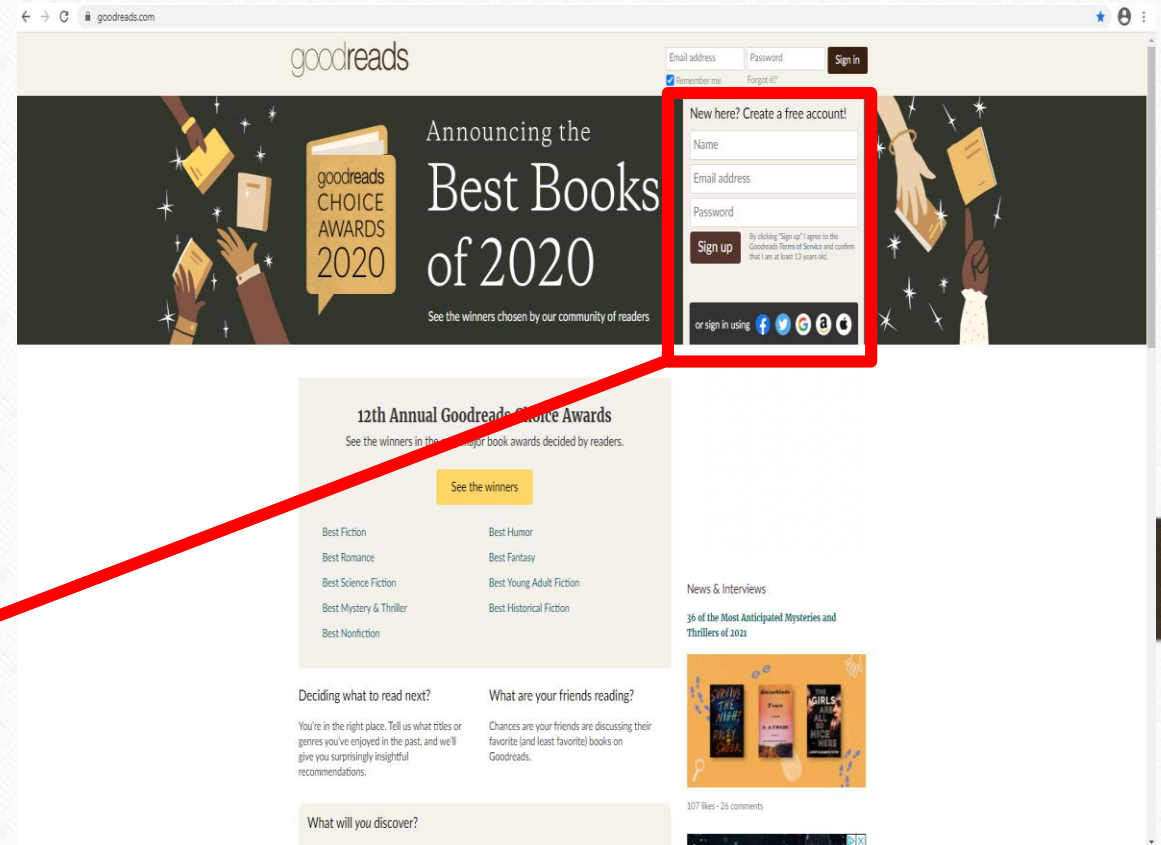
1. Go to: <https://www.goodreads.com/>
2. Under "New Here? Create a Free Account," enter your name, email address, and password
3. Click "Sign Up"

Close-up of Sign-Up Area

New here? Create a free account!

 By clicking "Sign up" I agree to the Goodreads Terms of Service and confirm that I am at least 13 years old.

or sign in using     



Goodreads Home Page (Desktop)

How to Organize Your Reading

**Overview of Goodread's
Shelves System and How to Use It**

Adding Books: "To Read" Shelf

There are a few ways to find books for your "To Read" shelf

goodreads

Home

My Books

Browse ▾

Community ▾

Search books



- From the home screen, select the "Browse" tab from the top-most menu, which gives you the option to browse by genre, view the annual Goodreads Choice Awards winners, see personalized recommendations, etc.
- OR:**
- Enter search terms in the search box. Goodreads will ask you on the next screen to refine your search if you do not see what you're looking for in the initial search results. Your search can be done by "Books" (title), "Group", "Quotes", "Events", "Genre", "Stories", "People", "Listopia" (lists), and "Trivia."

Browse ▾

Community ▾

Search books

Recommendations

Choice Awards

Giveaways

New Releases

Lists

Explore

News & Interviews

FAVORITE GENRES

Classics

Fantasy

Fiction

History

Horror

Mystery

Psychology

Science

All Genres

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Home

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Search books



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Page 1 of about 5165 results (0.13 seconds)

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone (Harry Potter, #1)

by J.K. Rowling

★★★★★ 4.46 avg rating — 7,293,819 ratings — published 1997 — 835 editions

Want to Read — Get a copy

Rate this book

★★★★★

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows (Harry Potter, #7)

by J.K. Rowling

★★★★★ 4.52 avg rating — 2,888,082 ratings — published 2007 — 384 editions

Want to Read — Get a copy

Rate this book

★★★★★

Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix (Harry Potter, #5)

by J.K. Rowling, Mary GrandPré (illustrator)

★★★★★ 4.50 avg rating — 2,585,760 ratings — published 2003 — 438 editions

Want to Read — Get a copy

Rate this book

★★★★★

Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire (Harry Potter, #4)

by J.K. Rowling

★★★★★ 4.56 avg rating — 2,676,651 ratings — published 2000 — 554 editions

Want to Read — Get a copy

Rate this book

★★★★★

Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban (Harry Potter, #3)

by J.K. Rowling

★★★★★ 4.57 avg rating — 2,908,805 ratings — published 1999 — 39 editions

Want to Read — Get a copy

Rate this book

★★★★★

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Import books

The New York Times

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VIEW OFFER

The New York Times

RELATED SHELVES

fiction (16,615,200)

fantasy (14,247,955)

young-adult (7,223,522)

classics (5,421,088)

audiobook (1,027,748)

adventure (2,028,796)

childrens (1,876,796)

magic (1,276,145)

middle-grade (1,102,479)

science-fiction-fantasy (453,420)

More shelves...



Mid-Century Public Library reviewed **The Inheritance Games (Inheritance Games, #1)** 59m

Read Mid-Century Public Library's review

Read in Jan 2021

Avery Kylie Grambs is seventeen and just got the surprise of her life. She has been summoned to the will reading for a Texas billionaire named Tobias Hawthorne. The will stipulates that she live on the Hawthorned estate for a year. At the end of that... More



The Inheritance Games (Inheritance Games, #1)

by Jennifer Lynn Barnes

Want to Read



Rate it: ★★★★★

Filter Shelves

Want to Read
Currently Reading
Read

- aimee-review
- amyr-review
- ashley-g
- award-winning
- az
- bestseller
- cora

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Write a comment

Adding Books: "Read" Shelf

Follow the same process as on the previous slide to retroactively add books you have read. Make sure to select the dropdown menu under "Want to Read" to change the status on the book and to give the book a rating out of five stars.

Or...

When you have finished reading, go under the "My Books" tab

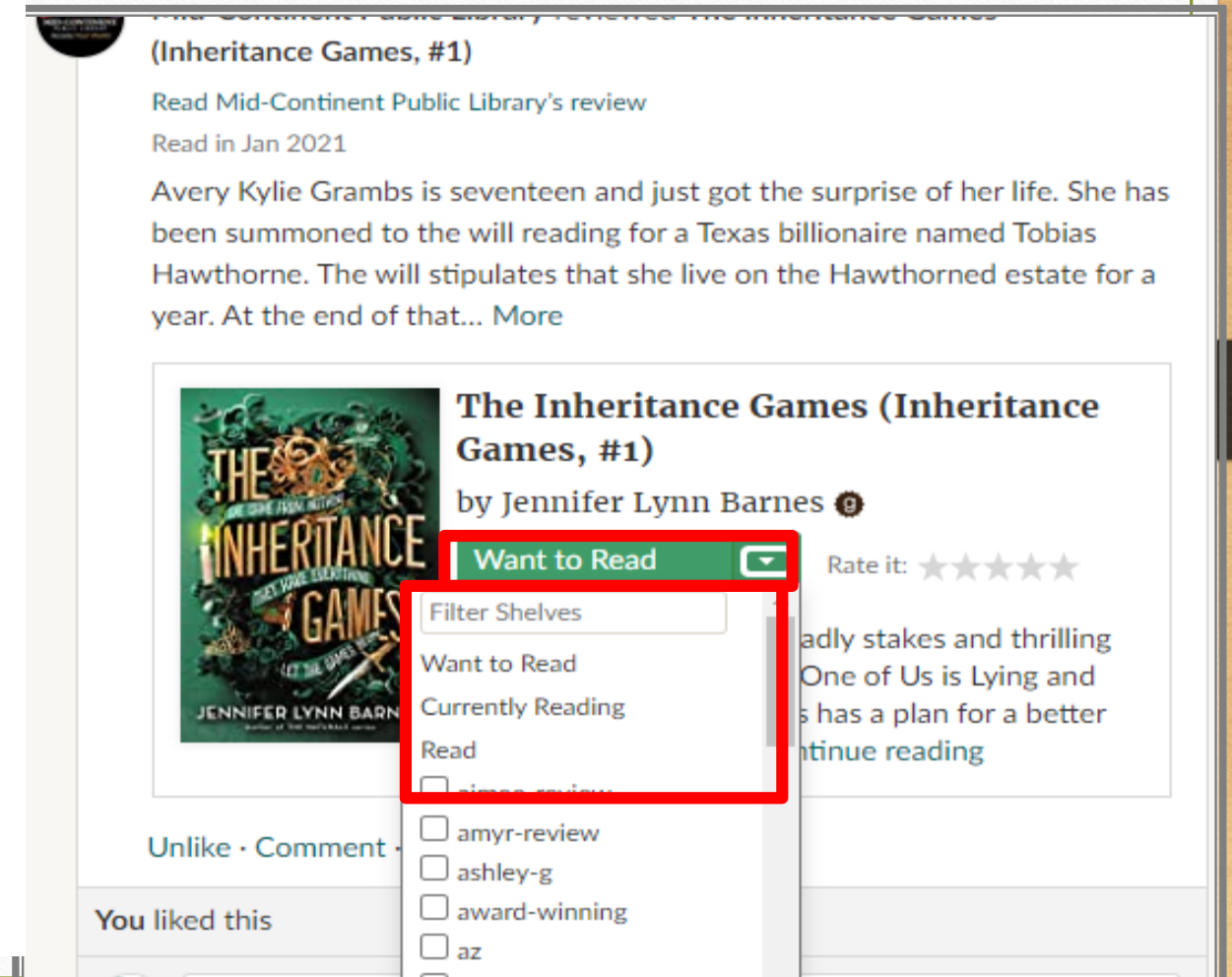
- Follow the above process to add the book to your "Read" shelf

The easiest way to indicate books that are currently being read is to change the status of the book under the "Want to Read" button's dropdown menu (see the previous slides).

- Step 1: Select "Want to Read"

- Step 2: Under the dropdown menu, select "Currently Reading." You will see the title appear in your "Currently Reading" shelf by going underneath the "My Books" tab on the homepage.

Adding Books: "Currently Reading" Shelf






(Inheritance Games, #1)

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Want to Read 

Filter Shelves

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Rate it: ★★★★★

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One of Us is Lying and
s has a plan for a better
ntinue reading

Unlike · Comment ·

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Customizing Your Shelves

If the three default shelves do not completely fit your reading needs, you can create additional shelves

To do this:

- Step 1: Select the "My Books" tab on the homepage. This will bring you to your bookshelves homepage.
- Step 2: Click the "Add Shelf" button underneath your listed shelves.
- Step 3: Enter a name for your new shelf and click "Add."
- Step 4: Your new shelf should show up listed with the rest of your shelves.

The screenshot shows the Goodreads 'My Books' page. On the left, there is a list of bookshelves with counts. A red box highlights the 'Add shelf' button at the bottom of this list. An arrow points from this button to a larger red-bordered box at the bottom of the page. This box contains a large 'Add shelf' button, an arrow pointing to a form with a text input field and an 'add' button. The text 'Add a Shelf:' is positioned above the input field.

cover	title	author	avg rating	rating	shelves	review	date read	date added
	Lock Every Door	Sager, Riley *	3.92	★★★★★	read, iwritenrunonsentences, mystery, suspense, thriller [edit]	This is the fourth book that I have read by Riley Sager since I enjoy his writing style immensely with how easy it is to read, how easy it is to get i ...more [edit]	Jan 06, 2021	Jan 06, 2021
	Fever 1793	Anderson, Laurie Halse *	3.92	★★★★★	read, historical-fiction, mary, ya [edit]	"The patient is to be placed in a large empty tub, and two buckets full of water, of the temperature 75 or 80 degrees Fahrenheit's thermometer...are t ...more [edit]	Dec 14, 2020	Dec 15, 2020
	Farm Girl: A Wisconsin Memoir	Carlson, Beuna Coburn	3.90	★★★★★	read, amyr-review, memoir, nonfiction [edit]	This charming book is divided into sections, which feel like separate visits with a cherished family member. A family member reminiscing about a time ...more [edit]	Dec 04, 2020	Dec 04, 2020
	The End of October	Wright, Lawrence *	3.79	★★★★★	read, cora, sci-fi, thriller [edit]	This book came out at the end of April, back when COVID-19 was really starting to make an impact. Having read this at the end of December, I was immed ...more [edit]	Dec 28, 2020	Dec 29, 2020
	The Bone Fire	Sykes, S.D. *	3.73	★★★★★	read, historical-fiction, mary, mystery	A castle, an eccentric old priest, a lord and	Dec 09, 2020	Dec 09, 2020

Discovering New Books

How to Use Goodreads
to Find New Releases

Discover Books

Find new books under the "Browse" tab

Search for titles and authors you know with the search bar

Annual Reading Challenge

The screenshot shows the Goodreads homepage with several key elements highlighted by red boxes and arrows:

- Navigation Bar:** The "Browse" tab is highlighted with a red box and an arrow pointing to it from the text "Find new books under the 'Browse' tab".
- Search Bar:** The search bar at the top right is highlighted with a red box and an arrow pointing to it from the text "Search for titles and authors you know with the search bar".
- Dropdown Menu:** The "Browse" dropdown menu is open, with "Recommendations" and "New Releases" highlighted by red boxes.
- 2021 Reading Challenge:** The "2021 READING CHALLENGE" section is highlighted with a red box and an arrow pointing to it from the text "Annual Reading Challenge". It includes a goal of 12 books and a "Start Challenge" button.
- Currently Reading Section:** The "CURRENTLY READING" section features a search bar and a "Recommendations" link.
- Favorite Genres:** A list of genres including Classics, Fantasy, Fiction, History, Horror, Mystery, Psychology, Science, and All Genres is visible.
- News & Interviews:** A section titled "NEWS & INTE" with a sub-heading "10 Romances Dating Tropes" is visible on the right side.

Discover Books

- Recommendations are books recommended by Goodreads based on books you have read and on shelves you have made such as high rated horror books on a horror shelf you created.
- Goodreads Choice Awards are done annually and voted by the user in different genres. It is a fantastic way to discover new books based on what the community likes.
- Lists allows the user to vote on lists and look at lists compiled by users. For example, you might want to read the most anticipated romance novels released in 2021 or for a certain month.
- Explore and a list of your favorite genres under the tab will show you new releases or popular books being read under a specific genre or numerous ones



New Releases

New Releases for January 2021

My authors By Genre

fiction



nonfiction



young adult



« previous month

next month »

La Crosse County Library's new releases mailer preferences:

- Receive new releases email
- Receive only from my authors

Submit

[edit genre preferences »](#)

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POPULAR NEW RELEASES



New releases and upcoming releases by month can be found 3 ways:

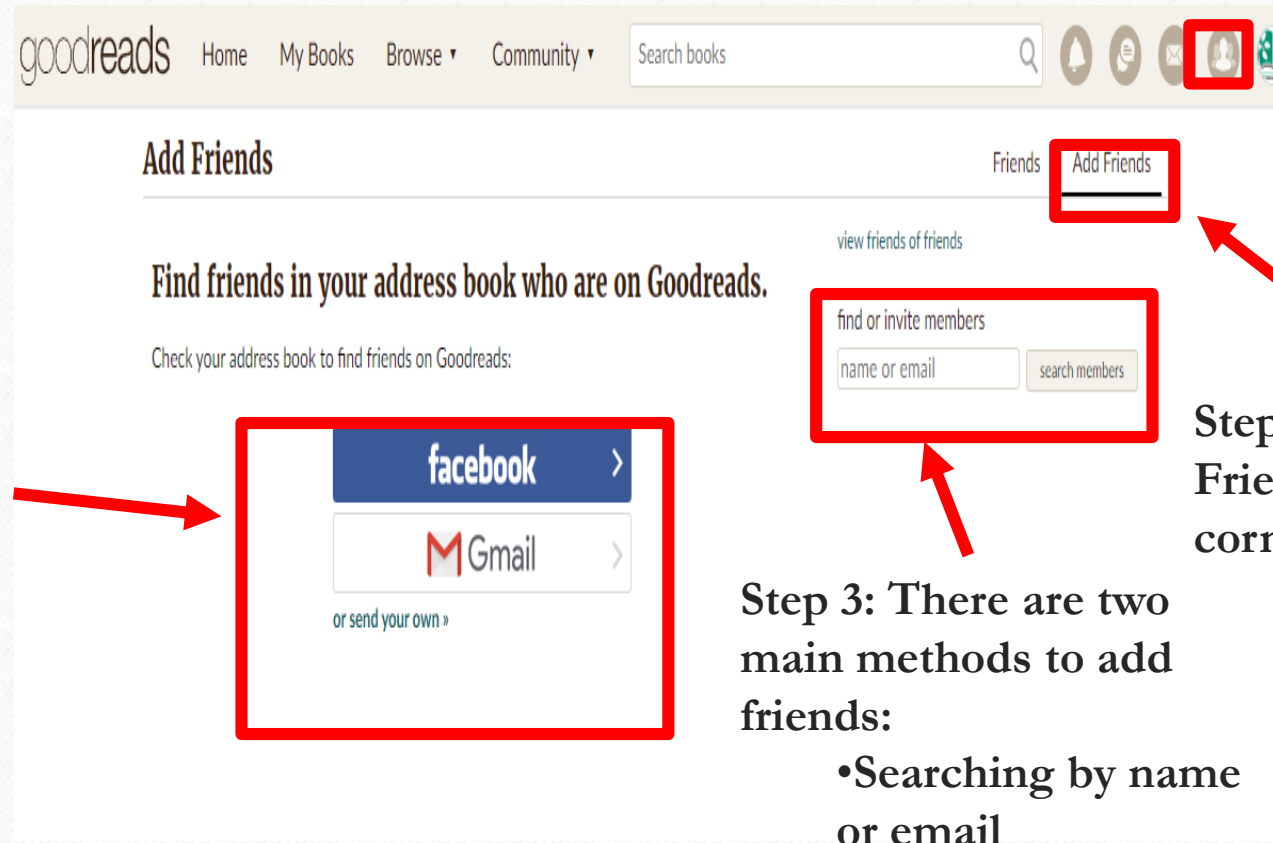
1. By genre for the month
2. Releases by authors you read
3. Popular new releases

Social Networking

**How to Add Friends, Enter Book
Giveaways, Follow Authors, Join
Groups, and More!**

Adding Friends: When getting started with Goodreads, you can add friends to expand your social network

Step 1: From the topmost menu on the homepage, click on the person icon



Step 4: Adding friends from your contacts lists

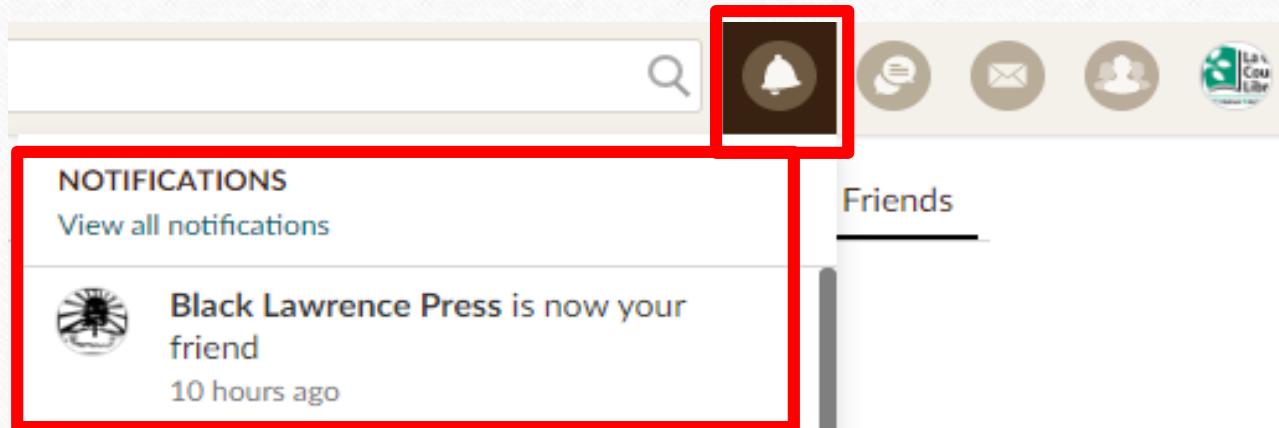
Step 2: Then select "Add Friends" on the top right corner of the page

Step 3: There are two main methods to add friends:

- Searching by name or email

Adding Friends on the Desktop Version of Goodreads

To view the status of friend requests, just click on the "Notifications" icon (the one that looks like a bell). Any accepted friend requests will show up there. To see your total friends list, just select "Friends" tab in the upper righthand corner.



Example
Accepted Friends
Request
Notification

How to Find the La Crosse County Library's Goodreads Group Page

- Under the "Community" tab, select "Groups".
- Enter in the search box, "La Crosse County Library".
- Click on the group title.
- On the group page, select the option "Join" (usually under the group logo).
- Select your notification preferences.

***NOTE:** This procedure can be used for joining other groups as well. Find other groups by browsing underneath the "Groups" tab.*

The screenshot illustrates the steps to find a group on Goodreads. At the top, the 'Community' dropdown menu is open, with 'Groups' highlighted. A red arrow points from this menu to the search bar in the 'Groups' section. Below the search bar, the search results for 'La Crosse County Library' are displayed, with the group entry highlighted. A red arrow points from the group entry to the 'Join Group' button on the right side of the page.

goodreads Home My Books Browse Community Search books

Action needed: ... To ...

CURRENTLY READING What are you reading?

UPDATES

2021 READING CHALLENGE Challenge yourself to read more this year!

Groups

Group name, description Search groups

Groups > Search

Find Groups by Title or Description Search

La Crosse County Library – 17 members – Last Activity Sep 01, 2020 02:07PM

Organizations → Libraries

Serving all readers from across La Crosse County. Let's talk about books! ...more

Join Group

Entering Book Giveaways

Goodreads allows its members to enter free book giveaways which can include Advanced Reader Copies (ARC's) of new titles not be released for months or even years. To do this:

- Step 1: Under the "Browse" tab, select "Giveaways."
- Step 2: Narrow down by genre or most requested etc.
- Step 3: Once a desired book is located, select the "Enter Giveaway" button to the right of the book's title.

The image displays two screenshots of the Goodreads website. The top screenshot shows the 'Browse' menu with 'Giveaways' selected. The bottom screenshot shows a list of books with 'Enter Giveaway' buttons highlighted.

Top Screenshot: Goodreads Home Page

- Navigation: Home, My Books, **Browse**, Community, Search books
- Sections: CURRENTLY READING, 2021 READING CHALLENGE
- Menu: Recommendations, New Releases, Lists, Explore, News & Interviews
- Genre List: FAVORITE GENRES (Classics, Fantasy, Fiction, History, Horror, Mystery, Psychology, Science, All Genres)
- Advertisements: Crate&Barrel (THE WEDDING REGISTRY), Cotton Candy Quintet (14m), NEWS & INTERVIEWS (6 Great Books Hitting Shelves This Week)

Bottom Screenshot: Goodreads Giveaways Page

- Section: Giveaways
- Text: Be the first to read new books! Prerelease books are listed for giveaway by publishers and authors, and members can enter to win. Winners are picked randomly at the end of the giveaway.
- Filters: Featured, Ending Soon, Most Requested, Recently Listed
- Book 1: **Wishing for a Cowboy** by Victoria James (Goodreads Author)
 - Format: Print book
 - Giveaway ends in: 25 days and 13:26:15
 - Availability: 5 copies available, 1226 people requesting
 - Giveaway dates: Jan 22 - Feb 20, 2021
 - Countries available: U.S.
 - Button: Enter Giveaway
- Book 2: **Where the Grass Is Green and the Girls Are Pretty** by Lauren Weisberger
 - Format: Print book
 - Giveaway ends in: 4 days and 13:26:15
 - Availability: 25 copies available, 5128 people requesting
 - Giveaway dates: Jan 16 - Jan 30, 2021
 - Countries available: U.S.
 - Button: Enter Giveaway
- Book 3: **Widowish: A Memoir** by Melissa Gould (Goodreads)
- Advertisements: ProFlowers (Show Your Love & Save 25%!), NISSAN (NISSAN INTELLIGENT MOBILITY)

Following Authors

Goodreads allows its users not only to connect with fellow bookworms, but also the authors of your favorite books! To do this:

- Step 1: Under the "Community" tab, select "Ask the Author." Goodreads will direct you to a page with "Featured Authors" on the top. (To expand the "Featured Authors" list, select "More Featured Authors" underneath the "Featured Authors" section.)
- Step 2: Click on the author's name. This will bring you to the author's profile page.
- Step 3: Underneath the author's profile picture, click "Follow Author." After this, you will receive updates on when new books of theirs come out and when new blog posts are published.

The image shows a sequence of three screenshots from the Goodreads website illustrating how to follow an author. Red boxes and arrows highlight the key steps:

- Top Screenshot:** The 'Community' tab is selected in the top navigation bar. A dropdown menu is open, showing the 'Ask the Author' option highlighted.
- Middle Screenshot:** The 'Ask the Author' page is shown, featuring a list of 'Featured Authors'. Christine Feehan's profile is highlighted with a red box.
- Bottom Screenshot:** Christine Feehan's author profile page is shown. The 'Follow Author' button is highlighted with a red box.

Additional details from the screenshots include:

- Featured Authors:** Kami Garcia (9 answers), Julia Alvarez (7 answers), Christine Feehan (1139 answers), and Nicholas Sparks (9 answers).
- Christine Feehan's Profile:** Born in The United States, website <http://www.christinefeehan.com>, Twitter AuthorCFeehan, Genre Romance, Paranormal, Fantasy, Member Since February 2013.
- Biography:** Christine Feehan is a #1 New York Times bestselling author multiple times over with her portfolio including over 70 published novels, including five series; Dark Series, Ghostwalker Series, Leopard Series, Drake Sisters Series, the Sisters of the Heart Series and Torpedo Ink. All of her series have hit the #1 spot on the New York Times bestselling list as well. Her debut novel Dark Prince received 3 of the 9 Paranormal Excellence Awards in Romantic Literature (PEARL) in 1999. Since then she has been published by various publishing houses including Leisure Books, Pocket Books, and currently is writing for Berkley/love. She also has earned 7 more PEARL awards since Dark Prince.

Viewing Your Shelves

There are three primary shelves you can add books to on Goodreads to keep your reading organized:

To-Read, Read, and Currently Reading

To see your shelves, select "My Books" from the topmost menu on the Goodreads homepage.

Look under the "Bookshelves" tab in the top left corner.

The screenshot shows the Goodreads website interface. At the top, the navigation bar includes the Goodreads logo, 'Home', 'My Books' (highlighted with a red box), 'Browse', and 'Community'. A search bar is also present. Below the navigation bar, the 'My Books' page is displayed. On the left, there is a list of bookshelves: 'All (50)', 'Read (49)' (highlighted with a red box), 'Currently Reading (0)', and 'Want to Read (1)'. A red arrow points from the 'My Books' menu item to the 'Read (49)' shelf. The main content area shows a table of books with columns for cover, title, author, avg rating, shelves, review, date read, and date added. The first book listed is 'Murder in Connemara' by O'Connor, Carlene, with an average rating of 3.94 and a review mentioning 'I love mysteries and have gotten into various series placed in Ireland and Scotland. Having visited the country settings of Wales, Scotland, and the U...more'.

cover	title	author	avg rating	rating	shelves	review	date read	date added	edit
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- From search results:

- Below the title of the book, there will be a green "Want to Read" button. Select "Want to Read." It will then be added to that shelf.

- From the homepage feed:

- Below the title of the book, there will be a green "Want to Read" button. Select "Want to Read." It will then be added to that shelf.

- From a "Listopia" list (find these under the "Browse" tab under "Lists"):

- Step 1: Click into the list

- Step 2: To the right of the title of the book, there will be a green "Want to Read" button. Select "Want to Read." It will then be added to that shelf.

- From a "New Releases" list (find these under the "Browse" tab):

- Step 1: Click on the picture of the book

- Step 2: Below the title of the book, there will be a green "Want to Read" button. Select "Want to Read." It will then be added to that shelf.

Adding Books: "To Read" Shelf (Continued)

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Want to Read

Filter Shelves

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- Currently Reading
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- amyr-review
- ashley-g
- award-winning
- az

Rate it: ★★★★★

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...s has a plan for a better
...ntinue reading

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Example of a book listing on the homepage feed

Additional Feature: Ask the Author

Follow authors
and
ask questions

Community ▾

Groups

Discussions

Quotes

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Quizzes

Creative Writing

People

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Ask the Author

FEATURED AUTHORS

	Kami Garcia Author of Teen Titans: Beast Boy Loves Raven Ask 9 answers		Julia Alvarez Author of Atterlife Ask 7 answers
	Christine Feehan Author of Reckless Road (Torpedo Ink #5) Ask 1147 answers		Nicholas Sparks Author of The Return Ask 9 answers

More Featured Authors...

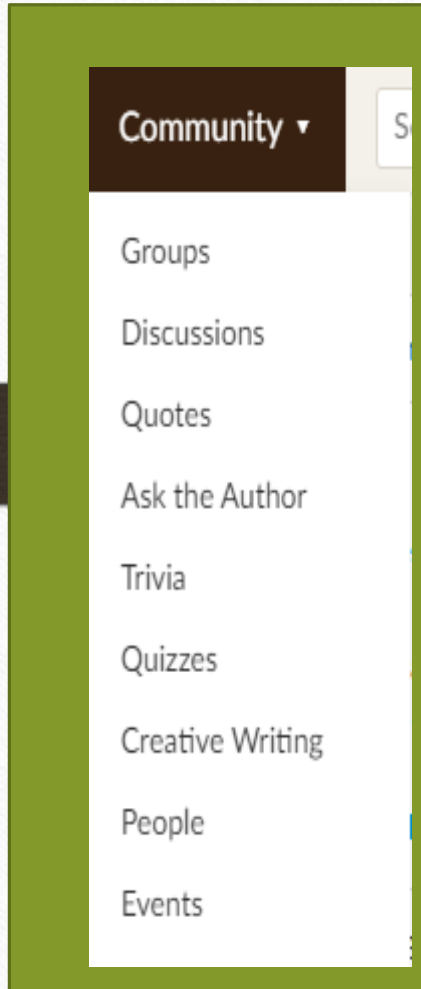
AUTHORS YOU FOLLOW

Christine Feehan
Author of Dark Prince (Dark, #1)
Hi Christine! Can you tell me what a typical Carpathian wears on a daily basis? Not sure whether to picture jeans or robes lol
Ask
Christine Feehan: I don't really keep a list of daily wear for Carpathians. They wear what is appropriate for the circumstances. If they are in the modern world and out in public they would wear... More
5 likes · Like · 1 Comment Flag

Nicholas Sparks
Author of The Notebook (The Notebook, #1)
What draws you write redemptive love stories, no matter how endings may differ from a "happily ever after"?
Ask
Nicholas Sparks: When I write a story, I am writing to make my characters and plots feel real, and in writing a love story, I am writing to represent the reality of love. In writing something... More
43 likes · Like · Comment Flag

Greer Macallister
Author of The Magician's Lie
I'm assuming this book takes place in more than one country? I am looking for a book for my 2021 reading challenge that has this criteria.
Ask
Greer Macallister: Yes, the expedition begins in Boston and moves northward into Canada, so it should count for your challenge! Best wishes for great reading in 2021.

Other Additional Features



- **Groups:** Where you find Book Clubs.
- **Discussions:** Participate in discussions in book clubs.
- **Quotes:** Browse and "like" your favorite author and book quotes.
- **Trivia:** Information about your favorite reads and authors.
- **Quizzes:** Fun way to test your reading knowledge.
- **Creative Writing:** Content created by Goodreads members.
- **Events:** Programs happening in the Goodreads community.



Annual Goodreads Reading Challenge

You can sign-up
underneath

"2021 Reading
Challenge"

on your home page
and set a reading goal
for the year.

The LA CROSSE COUNTY LIBRARY GROUP PAGE

- Videos
- Discussion Threads
- Bookshelf
- Group Reading Challenge
- Group Quiz
- Polls
- Events

Our shelves: click on "Read" to see all the books we have reviewed

Tags: these can be used to filter out reviews by genre or author

The screenshot shows the Goodreads interface for a library group. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'Home', 'My Books', 'Browse', and 'Community'. A search bar is on the right. Below the navigation, the 'My Books' section is active, displaying a list of books. The list has columns for 'cover', 'title', 'author', 'avg rating', 'shelves', 'review', 'date read', and 'date added'. Three books are visible: 'Murder in Connemara', 'Before the Coffee Gets Cold', and 'Dark Matter'. A sidebar on the left lists various bookshelves and tags. A red box highlights the 'My Books' tab, and another red box highlights the 'Read' shelf in the sidebar. A third red box highlights the list of tags in the sidebar. Red arrows point from the text boxes to these elements.

cover	title	author	avg rating	rating	shelves	review	date read	date added
	Murder in Connemara	O'Connor, Carlene *	3.94	★★★★★	read, carol-w-s, fiction, highly-recommended, mystery	I love mysteries and have gotten into various series placed in Ireland and Scotland. Having visited the country settings of Wales, Scotland, and the U...more	Feb 03, 2021	Feb 03, 2021
	Before the Coffee Gets Cold	Kawaguchi, Toshikazu	3.75	★★★★★	read, chris-m-r, contemporary, fantasy, fiction, sci-fi	I first ran across Toshikazu Kawaguchi's "Before the Coffee Gets Cold" on some kind of top-debut authors list, so when I came across the actual book a...more	Feb 02, 2021	Feb 02, 2021
	Dark Matter	Crouch, Blake *	4.10	★★★★★	read, beth, highly-recommended, sci-fi	"For anyone who has wondered what their life might look like at the end of the road not taken" - Blake Crouch, in the dedication of Dark Matter	not set	Jan 25, 2021
	The Last Time I Lied	Sager, Riley *	4.06	★★★★★	read, highly-recommended, horror, iwriteinrunonsentences, mystery, suspense, thriller	I must admit that I do like the author, Riley Sager, as this is the third book of his that I read. This book feels like an amalgamation of previous wo...more	not set	Jan 23, 2021
	The Ancestor	Trussoni, Danielle *	3.46	★★★★★	read, gothic, horror, iwriteinrunonsentences, mystery, science	I picked up this book right after reading Devolution by Max Brooks when a colleague recommended this one due to a similar type of premise. I was excit...more	not set	Jan 22, 2021

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Additional Resources to Help Navigate Goodreads

Helpful Links

Goodreads Help

<https://help.goodreads.com/s/>

Goodreads Mobile App Help

<https://help.goodreads.com/s/topic/0TO1H000000gjHcWAI/mobile-apps-and-kindle>

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