

# London Ace Book Club - Meeting Log

# November 2024

**Book of the Month -** The Meister of Decimen City by Brenna Raney Also suggested: Bury Your Gays by Chuck Tingle; Tell Me How It Ends by Quinton Li

# October 2024

**Book of the Month -** Friendship by Lydia Denworth Also suggested: The Sound of Stars by Alechia Dow; Record of a Space Born Few by Becky Chambers

# September 2024

**Book of the Month -** The Dragon of Ynys by Minerva Cerridwen Also suggested: To Be Taught, If Fortunate by Becky Chambers; The Other Significant Others by Raina Cohen

# August 2024

Book of the Month - Being Ace edited by Madeleine Dyer (Anthology of ace short stories)

July 2024

Book of the Month - Breasts and Eggs by Mieko Kawakami (Adult Fiction, Contemporary)

# June 2024

**Book of the Month -** She Who Became the Sun by Shelley Parker-Chan (Adult Fiction, historical retelling)

# May 2024

**Book of the Month -** All Systems Red (The Murderbot Diaries Bk 1) by Martha Wells (Adult Fiction, SF)

**Also suggested -** Breasts and Eggs by Mieko Kawakami; She Who Became the Sun by Shelley Parker-Chan (meeting decided to allocate these books to June and July)

# April 2024

**Book of the Month -** Ending the Pursuit: Asexuality, Aromanticism & Agender Identities by Michael Paramo (Non-Fic)

Also suggested - Radical Intimacy by Sophie K Rosa; I Am Ace by Cody Daigle-Orians

# March 2024

Book of the month - Kaikeyi by Vaishnavi Patel (Adult Fic, Historical Fiction/Retelling)

#### February 2024

**Book of the month** - Convenience Store Woman by Sayaka Murata (Adult Fic, Contemporary)

# January 2024

**Books of the Month** - The Bone People by Keri Hulme (Adult Fic, Literary) and Hopeless Aromantic by Samatha Rendle (Non Fic)

#### November 2023

Book of the Month - How to Be a Normal Person by TJ Klune (Adult Fic, Romance)

#### October 2023

Book of the Month - Aces Wild by Amanda DeWitt (YA Fic, Adventure)

# September 2023

Book of the month - Upside Down by NR Walker (Adult Fic, Romance)

#### August 2023

Book of the Month - Genderqueer by Maia Kobabe (Non-Fic, Graphic Novel, Memoir)

#### July 2023

Book of the Month - Beyond the Black Door by AM Strickland (YA Fic, Fantasy)

#### June 2023

Book of the Month - Once and Future by A R Capetta and Cory McCarthy (YA Fic, Fantasy)

#### May 2023

Book of the Month - Refusing Compulsory Sexuality - Sherronda J Brown (Non-Fic)

# April 2023

Book of the Month - Elatsoe by Darcie Little Badger (YA Fic, Fantasy)

Book suggestions for May (from previous suggestions)

- Refusing Compulsory Sexuality Sherronda J Brown
- Sounds Fake But Okay Sarah Costello & Kayla Kaszyca
- Ace Angela Chen (part 2)

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# March 2023

Book of the Month - Ace Voices by Eris Young (Non-Fic)

Book suggestions for April (from Eleri)

- Elatsoe by Darcie Little Badger
- How to be a Normal Person by TJ Klune
- Beyond the Black Door by AM Strickland

# February 2023

Book of the Month - How to be Ace by Rebecca Burgess (Non-Fic, Graphic Novel, Memoir)

Book suggestions for March (from Philip)

- Sounds Fake But Okay by Sarah Costello & Kayla Kaszyca
- Ace Voices by Eris Young
- More Asexual Fairy Tales by Elizabeth Hopkinson

# January 2023

Book of the Month - A Lady's Guide to Petticoats and Piracy by Mackenzi Lee (YA Fic, Historical)

Book suggestions for February (from Harry)

- How To Be Ace by Rebecca Burgess
- Asexual Erotics by Ela Przybylo
- Refusing Compulsory Sexuality by Sherronda J Brown

December 2022 - No meeting

# November 2022

Book of the Month - Asexual Fairy Tales by Elizabeth Hopkinson (Adult Fic, Short Stories)

Book suggestions for January (from Caroline)

- A Lady's Guide to Petticoats and Piracy by Mackenzi Lee
- The Sound of Stars by Alechia Dow
- Beyond the Black Door by AM Strickland

# October 2022

Book of the Month - Ace by Angela Chen (Part 1) (Non-Fic)

# September 2022

Book of the Month - Loveless by Alice Oseman (YA Fic, Contemporary)

Books for October/November chosen by group discussion

# August 2022

Book of the Month - None (introductory meeting)

Book suggestions for September (from Caroline and Harry)

- How To Be Ace by Rebecca Burgess
- Loveless by Alice Oseman
- I Want To Be A Wall by Honami Shirono