The Sawgrass Readers is a group of Forest Hills ladies who meet at 2 p.m. one Monday of each month, at a date determined in advance, throughout the year (excluding July and August) to discuss selected reading materials, enjoy light refreshments and get to know their neighbors.

Each member has the opportunity to propose their book of choice, host a meeting, and lead the discussion group if they so desire. The only requirements are a love of reading and the hope that when attending a meeting the book of choice has been read and opinions, pro or con, will be offered. We know that not everyone is able to attend every meeting due to travel schedules but we look forward to seeing you when you can be with us. Attendance runs between eight and twelve members each month, which are good numbers for lively discussion!

The Leach Library supplies a maximum of twelve copies of the selected book each month for our members who wish to use this facility. The loan period is four weeks, with a \$1/day penalty for overdue books, as copies are supplied by lending libraries throughout the State.

Books read to date:

Harvesting the Heart Jodi Picoult The Five People You Meet in Heaven Mitch Albom The Ladies of Covington Send Their Love Joan Medlicott Nine Parts of Desire Geraldine Brooks Sam's Letters to Jennifer James Patterson The Notebook Nicholas Sparks Founding Mothers Cokey Roberts The Shellseekers Rosamund Pilcher The Reading Group Elizabeth Noble A Million Little Pieces James Frey

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time

Mark Haddon Girl With a Pearl Earring Tracy Chevalier Jodi Picoult My Sister's Keeper The Kite Runner Khaled Hosseini The Secret Life of Bees Sue Monk Kidd All He Ever Wanted Anita Shreve The Long Walk Slavomir Rawicz The Color of Water James McBride Peyton Place Grace Metalious True Believer Nicholas Sparks Alias Grace Margaret Atwood Cold Sassy Tree Olive Burns The Memory Keeper's Daughter Kim Edwards March Geraldine Brooks Message in a Bottle Nicholas Sparks To Kill a Mocking Bird Harper Lee

Peace Like A River We Were The Mulvaneys

Lief Enger Joyce Carol Oates

During July and August this year we will be reading books of choice and at our September meeting at the home of Lis Christiansen members will have the opportunity to share opinions and offer selections for 2008 reading materials.

For the remainder of this year the books selected are:

The Glass Castle Jeannette Walls

Hostess: Jeanne Wissler

The Deep End of the Ocean Jacqueline Mitchard

Hostess: Mary Neal

Leaving Cold Sassy (sequel) Olive Burns

Hostess: Nyria Shaw

Anyone interested in joining this convivial group should contact Anne Fencer (434-0561), or Nyria Shaw (437-2174).

HAPPY READING!