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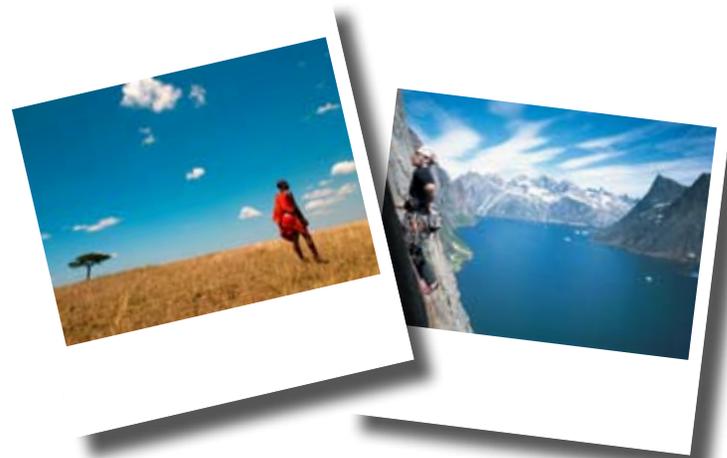
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Monday - Thursday	9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
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Sunday (opened mid Sept. - mid June)	12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Real-Life Adventures



Born to run: a hidden tribe, superathletes, and the greatest race the world has never seen

CHRISTOPHER MCDUGALL,
2009, 796.42 MCDUGALL

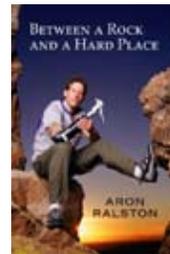
Follow author McDougall on his quest to discover the secrets of ultra-marathoners in this page-turner. His journey takes him from the science labs at Harvard University all the way to a remote area of Mexico where he meets a tribe of superathletes that teach him the secrets of running success. The book is filled with interesting characters, amazing athletic achievements, and fascinating scientific information that make for an exciting read.



Between a rock and a hard place

ARON RALSTON,
2004, 796.522092 RALSTON

This compelling book tells the story of a pivotal day in the life of Aron Ralston. Trapped in a remote Utah canyon with little hope of rescue after a hiking accident, Ralston had to make the ultimate choice between losing his arm or losing his life. This book has also been made into a major motion picture starring James Franco.



Into thin air: a personal account of the Mt. Everest disaster

JOHN KRAKAUER,
1997, 796.522095 KRAKAUER

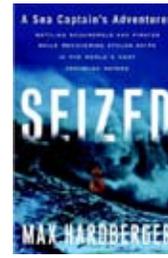
An engrossing account of a 1996 expedition to ascend Mount Everest that ended in tragedy, claiming the lives of 5 climbers. Krakauer, one of the survivors, gives a compelling first-hand account in this page-turner, which also includes numerous black and white photos taken on the expedition.



The devil's teeth: a true story of obsession and survival among America's Great White Sharks

SUSAN CASEY,
2005, 597.330979 CASEY

Journalist Susan Casey chronicles her journey to the Farallon Islands to follow a pair of biologists studying the large great white shark population in the waters surrounding the island in this engaging read. A blend of science and heart-pounding adventure make this both an exciting and informative book.



Seized: a sea captain's adventures battling scoundrels and pirates while recovering stolen ships in the world's most troubled waters

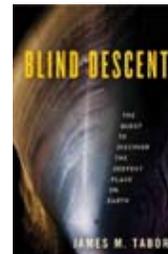
MAX HARDBERGER,
2010, 364.164 Hardberg

In this modern-day pirate tale, commercial boat captain Harberger recounts his experiences recovering stolen ships from ports around the world. His encounters with gangsters, corrupt government officials, and yes, pirates, make this a thriller worthy of a Hollywood movie.

Blind descent: the quest to discover the deepest place on earth

JAMES M. TABOR,
2010, 796.525 TABOR

Travel to the subterranean world with premier cavers Bill Stone and Alexander Klimchouk as they compete to discover the deepest supercave on earth. Packed with suspense and danger, this book thrills while also giving an interesting glimpse into a very different world.



The Tiger: a true story of vengeance and survival

JOHN VAILLANT,
2010, 599.756095 VAILLANT

Set in remote Siberia, this book tells the true tale of a tiger and the village that it terrorized in the late 1990s. The showdown between the tiger and the greedy poacher who provoked it is expertly told in this gripping and intense account. Issues of conservation and politics are also interwoven into the story as Vaillant attempts to shed light on the circumstances that lead to this disaster.



Priceless: how I went undercover to rescue the world's stolen treasures

ROBERT K. WITTMAN,
2010, 364.16287 WITTMAN

Wittman, a former FBI agent and founder of the agency's Art Crime Team, shares stories from his years working undercover among infamous art thieves to recover stolen art. Packed with suspense, adventure and intrigue, this page-turner gives a fascinating look at the real world of crime solving.

