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Indigo Recommends Reading List to Celebrate Summer

Toronto, ON – June 21, 2010 – The Best Summer Reading List featured at Indigo and Chapters stores nationally highlights a diverse cross-section of new, notable and classic titles chosen by Indigo's book buying team. Issued today in recognition of the first day of summer, the bookseller's List reminds Canadians that a great story is always good company on a getaway and can often be one's affordable or inspired escape as well.

Booklovers will discover new and notable titles on the Indigo **List** like John Verdon's extraordinary fiction debut, [*Think of a Number*](#). Available July 6th, 2010, Verdon's compelling thriller boasts a gripping pace and nuanced characters that captivated readers won't easily forget. Indigo's Best Summer Reading List also boasts an array of [booklover favourites](#) and recent classics whether a reader's passion is for mystery, romance or literary fiction. Paperback editions featured on the **List** are easy on the wallet, while the bookseller's annual summer sale makes it easy to stock up on great summer reads when the fourth book is free.

"We compiled a variety of titles on our Summer Reading feature because we know that our customers want to dive into more of their favourites in the summer whether it's easy, breezy fiction or compelling non-fiction," notes Bahram Olfati, Vice President, Adult Trade, Indigo Books and Music Inc.

Indigo's Best Summer Reading List reminds us to embrace the season's longer days and enjoy the additional time to escape, to enrich or to inspire with a sensational summer read.

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Indigo Best Summer Reading List 2010

New & Notable:

Think of a Number, John Verdon, 2010

No and Me, Delphine de Vigan, 2010

The Swimming Pool, Holly LeCraw, 2010

The Passage, Justin Cronin, 2010

I Shall Not Hate, Izzeldin Abuelaish, 2010

The Big Short, Michael Lewis, 2010

Perennial Favourites:

Let The Great World Spin, Colum Mccann, 2009

Lullabies For Little Criminals, Heather O'Neill, 2006

Pillars Of The Earth, Ken Follett, 1999

Presumed Innocent, Scott Turow, 1987

Pride & Prejudice & Zombies, Jane Austen, 2009

Shutter Island, Dennis Lehane, 2003

Still Alice, Lisa Genova, 2009

Sweetness At The Bottom Of The Pie, Alan Bradley, 2009

The Art Of Racing In The Rain, Garth Stein, 2008

The Curious Incident Of The Dog In The Nighttime, Mark Haddon, 2003

The Elegance Of The Hedgehog, Muriel Barbery, 2008

The Friday Night Knitting Club, Kate Jacobs, 2007

The Girl With The Dragon Tattoo, Stieg Larsson, 2008

The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society, Mary Ann Shaffer, 2008

The Host, Stephenie Meyer, 2008

The Life Of Pi, Yann Martel, 2001

The Shadow Of The Wind, Carlos Ruiz Zafon, 2006

The Time Traveler's Wife, Audrey Niffenegger, 2003

Water For Elephants, Sara Gruen, 2006

World War Z, Max Brooks, 2006