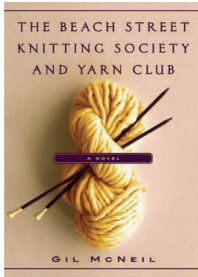


# Hot Fiction for Summer

Check out these first time novelists!

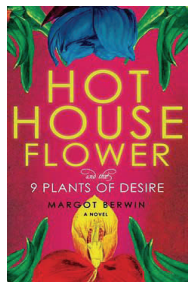
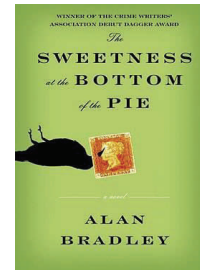


*The Beach Street Knitting Society & Yarn Club* By Gil McNeil

Suddenly widowed by a car crash that ended the life of her unfaithful husband, Jo moves to a small British seaside community and takes over her grandmother's knitting shop, where she is introduced to a dessert-addicted knitting club.

*The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie* By Alan Bradley

Eleven-year-old Flavia de Luce, an aspiring chemist with a passion for poison, is propelled into a mystery when a man is found murdered on the grounds of her family's decaying English mansion and Flavia's father becomes the main suspect.

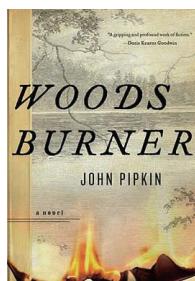
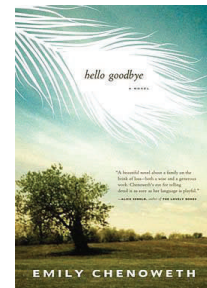


*Hothouse Flower & the Nine Plants of Desire* By Margot Berwin

Newly divorced Lila Nova gets herself a bird-of-paradise plant, then discovers that there are nine plants of desire (which together make your every wish come true)-and she's on the hunt.

*Hello Goodbye* By Emily Chenoweth

A family travels to a New Hampshire resort to allow their dying mother a week to say goodbye to friends, as their daughter, who doesn't know that her mother's



*Woods Burner* By John Pipkin

Henry Thoreau accidentally sets fire to three hundred acres near nineteenth-century Concord, Massachusetts and affects the lives of three people, a Norwegian farm-

*The Embers* By Hyatt Bass

Preparing for her wedding day, Emily Ascher's joy is hindered by the secrets surrounding her brother's death sixteen years ago and her father's possible involvement, yet when revelations are made, they are all forced to come to terms with the

