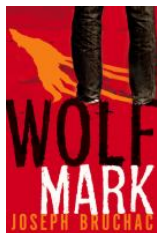


Action and Adventure

Some historical, some futuristic, some realistic, and some with a touch of fantasy.

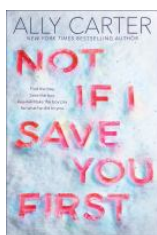


Wolf Mark by Joseph Bruchac | [YABRU](#)

When Lucas King's covert-ops father is kidnapped and his best friend Meena is put in danger, Luke's only chance to save them--a skin that will let him walk as a wolf--is hidden away in an abandoned mansion guarded by monsters.

Devil's Ballast by Meg Caddy | [YACAD](#)

This swashbuckling tale of early eighteenth-century Caribbean piracy manages to be hilarious and harrowing. (from *Booklist Online*)

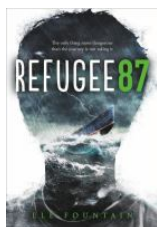
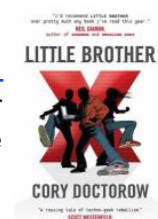


Not If I Save You First by Ally Carter | [YACAR](#)

A heart-pounding story about a girl stranded in the middle of the Alaskan wilderness with the boy who wronged her... as an assassin moves in.

Little Brother by Cory Doctorow | [YADOC](#)

After being interrogated for days by the Department of Homeland Security in the aftermath of a major terrorist attack on San Francisco, California, seventeen-year-old Marcus, released into what is now a police state, decides to use his expertise in computer hacking to set things right.

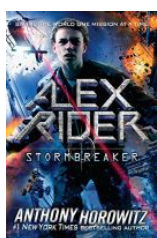
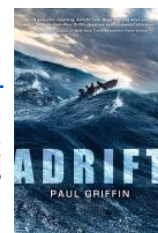


Refugee 87 by Ele Fountain | [YAFOU](#)

In the Middle East, fourteen-year-old Shif and his best friend Bini embark on a continent-crossing journey of survival after they are imprisoned and become refugees.

Adrift by Paul Griffin | [YAGRI](#)

Worlds collide when a group of teens ventures out to sea aboard a small boat. As the waves rise and the fragile vessel weakens, things go horribly wrong. Adrift at sea for days, who will have what it takes to survive?



Stormbreaker by Alex Horowitz | [YAHOR](#)

After the death of the uncle who had been his guardian, fourteen-year-old Alex Rider is coerced to continue his uncle's dangerous work for Britain's intelligence agency, MI6.

Rot and Ruin by Jonathan Maberry | [YAMAB](#)

In a post-apocalyptic world where fences and border patrols guard the few people left from the zombies that have overtaken civilization, fifteen-year-old Benny Imura is finally convinced that he must follow in his older brother's footsteps and become a bounty hunter.

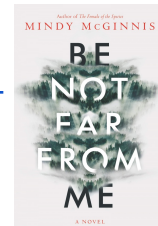


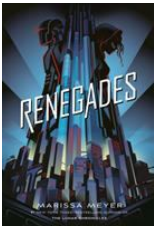
SYLO by D. J. MacHale | [YAMAC](#)

They came from the sky parachuting out of military helicopters to invade Tucker Pierce's idyllic hometown on Pemberwick Island, Maine. They call themselves SYLO...

Be Not Far From Me by Mindy McGinnis | [YAMCG](#)

A Tennessee teen must put her wilderness survival skills to the ultimate test after becoming separated from her friends during a camping trip in the Smoky Mountains.



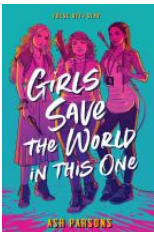


Renegades by Marissa Meyer | [YA MEY](#)

As she nears her goal of avenging the Renegades, who overthrew the villains to establish order from ruin, Nova grows close to justice-seeking Renegade Adrian, but her allegiance to the villains could destroy them both.

Ashfall by Mike Mullin | [YA MUL](#)

After the eruption of the Yellowstone supervolcano destroys his city and its surroundings, fifteen-year-old Alex must journey from Cedar Falls, Iowa, to Illinois to find his parents and sister, trying to survive in a transformed landscape and a new society in which all the old rules of living have vanished.



Girls Save the World in This One by Ash Parsons | [YA PAR](#)

When ZombieCon comes to their small town, June and her best friends battle long lines for photo ops, meet their favorite actors, and save the world from actual zombies when things get real.

Steelheart by Brandon Sanderson | [YA SAN](#)

At age eight, David watched as his father was killed by an Epic, a human with superhuman powers, and now, ten years later, he joins the Reckoners--the only people who are trying to kill the Epics and end their tyranny.



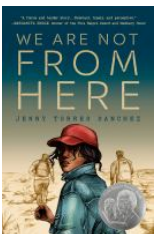
The Athena Protocol by Shammim Sarif | [YA SAR](#)

Jessie Archer works for Athena, a top-secret rogue organization made up of a few very talented female vigilantes. Their mission is to put a stop to some of the horrible things going on in the world that government organizations like the CIA or MI5 can't or won't handle. (from *School Library Journal*)

Peak by Roland Smith | [YA SMI](#)

Dare-devil mountain-climber, Peak Marcello (14), decides to scale the Woolworth Building and lands in jail. To save him, his long-lost Everest-trekking dad appears with a plan for the duo to make a life in Katmandu—a smokescreen to make Peak become the youngest person in history to summit Mount Everest.

(from *Kirkus Reviews*)



We Are Not From Here by Jenny Torres Sanchez | [YA TOR](#)

Three Guatemalan teenagers flee their dangerous hometown. Crossing from Guatemala through Mexico, they follow the route of La Bestia, the perilous train system that might deliver them to a better life--if they are lucky enough to survive the journey. (from the catalog and *Kirkus Reviews*)

Bad Call by Steven Wallenfels | [YA WAL](#)

When three teenage boy classmates and one new girl go camping together in Yosemite National Park, the threats--both external (fire and storms) and internal (more than one hiker has an ax to grind...perhaps literally)--quickly pile up. (from *The Horn Book, Inc.*)



Swarm by Scott Westerfeld | [YA WES](#)

As they celebrate the opening of their underground nightclub, the Zeroes, six teenagers with unique abilities, learn about the sinister power of Swarm, who uses a crowd's rage to kill--and who loves killing Zeroes.

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