

SOUTH SHORE BESTSELLERS

Hardcover fiction

1. **Under the Dome**, Stephen King
2. **The Help**, Kathryn Stockett
3. **The Lost Symbol**, Dan Brown
4. **I, Alex Cross**, James Patterson
5. **Wolf Hall**, Hilary Mantel
6. **Ford County**, John Grisham
7. **U is for Undertow**, Sue Grafton
8. **Last Night in Twisted River**, John Irving
9. **The Wildwater Walking Club**, Claire Cook
10. **Diary of a Wimpy Kid Dog Days**, Jeff Kinney

Hardcover nonfiction


1. **True Compass**, Edward M. Kennedy
2. **Stones into Schools**, Greg Mortenson
3. **Have a Little Faith**, Mitch Albom
4. **What the Dog Saw**, Malcolm Gladwell
5. **Going Rogue**, Sarah Palin
6. **SuperFreakonomics**, Steven D. Levitt, Stephen J. Dubner
7. **The Fourth Part of the World**, Toby Lester
8. **The Road Out of Hell**, Anthony Flacco
9. **Crude World**, Peter Maas
10. **Strength in What Remains**, Tracy Kidder

Paperback fiction

1. **The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo**, Stieg Larsson
2. **Push**, Sapphire
3. **Olive Kitteridge**, Elizabeth Strout
4. **The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society**, Mary Ann Shaffer
5. **Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet**, Jamie Ford
6. **The Piano Teacher**, Janice Y. K. Lee
7. **The Given Day**, Dennis Lehane
8. **The Art of Racing in the Rain**, Garth Stein
9. **Sarah's Key**, Tatiana de Rosnay
10. **The Lace Reader**, Brunonia Barry

Paperback nonfiction

1. **The Blind Side: Evolution of a Game**, Michael Lewis
2. **Three Cups of Tea**, Greg Mortenson
3. **Freankonomics**, Steven D. Levitt, Stephen J. Dubner
4. **My Life in France**, Julia Child
5. **Morning Glory Farm and the Family That Feeds an Island**, Tom Dunlop
6. **The Man Who Made Lists**, Joshua Kendall
7. **The Wordy Shipmates**, Sarah Vowell

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8. **The Age of Entitlement**, Douglas P. Friesen
 9. **Eldridge Tide and Pilot Book**, Robert E. White Jr.
 10. **The Monster of Florence**, Douglas Preston

The following bookstores participated in this survey: Buttonwood Books & Toys, Cohasset; Front Street Book Shop, Scituate; Westwinds Bookshop, Duxbury; and Barnes & Noble, Braintree.