

Rocky Mountain Zen \$20 (Book) Club Guidelines

Starting September 2022, Rocky Mountain Zen is starting a new kind of event - the RMZ \$20 (book) club. This is fully intended to be a social and fun evening. The general guidelines are as follows:

1. In order to help plan the event, those wishing to participate are asked to tell the host at least 2 days before the gathering that they are attending.
2. Each participant brings \$20 and puts it in a "hat", simultaneously putting their name in another hat.
3. The host for the evening provides the venue (usually their house), provides some non-alcoholic beverages and snacky food.
4. Each participant brings one item of snacky food for the group and their own "other beverages."
5. When everyone is ready, the host starts the book discussion.
6. At the end of the evening, the host draws one of the names out of the hat. Whoever's name is drawn gets 50% of the money put into the hat at the beginning of the evening. The other 50% goes to RMZ.
7. No one will host twice in a row. To that end, the host for the evening is not expected to put \$20 into the hat.
8. If there are online participants, it may not be possible to incorporate them into the whole evening. The host can coordinate a general time for people to join online for the book discussion. Those online are not expected to pay \$20.