

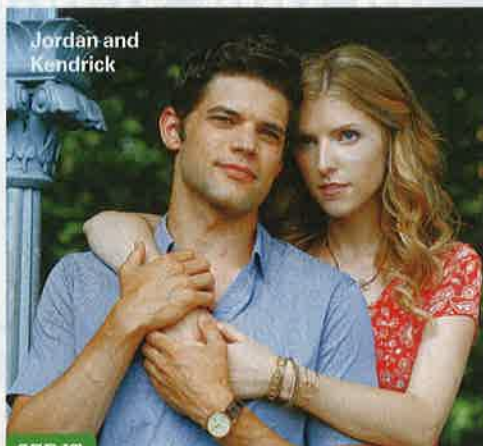
Enjoy those quiet moments

USE IT

▶ **BEADED BUNGEE BOOKMARKS**

These bead-and-pewter placeholders are made in America, largely by women and young adults with mental illness who can work only at home. The bookmarks make great Valentine's Day gifts for anyone whose true love is the printed word—and by that we mean physical books. (And if your favorite bibliophile is really *you*, go ahead and celebrate yourself. Walt Whitman would certainly approve.)

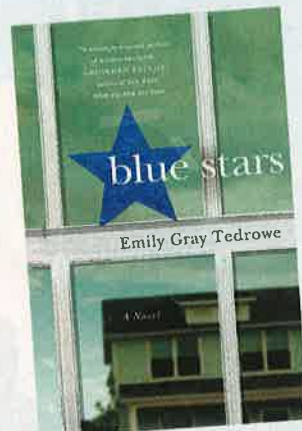
Themed bookmarks: \$20 for set of 4; twincottageindustries.com.



SEE IT

▲ **THE LAST FIVE YEARS**

Based on an off-Broadway show, this musical chronicles the courtship, marriage and breakup of a young novelist (Jeremy Jordan) and a struggling actress (Anna Kendrick). The twist? They tell—sing, actually—their stories in chronologically opposite ways: His begins at the start of their relationship; she starts at the end. (Not yet rated; opens Feb. 14)



READ IT

▲ **BLUE STARS BY EMILY GRAY TEDROWE**

"An unflinching look at the emotional and physical cost to soldiers on the front lines of war, viewed through the eyes of the women holding things together at home. Whether their loved ones are still deployed, home on leave or rehabilitating at the Walter Reed Army Hospital, these strong ladies share a powerful bond."

—Christine Connallon, 45, Rockville Centre, N.Y.



SEE IT

▲ **THE BOY NEXT DOOR**

Claire (Jennifer Lopez), who is estranged from her cheating husband (John Corbett), is raising their teenage son and getting lots of "you deserve some fun!" advice from her BFF (Kristin Chenoweth). After handsome, attentive Noah (Ryan Guzman) moves in next door, Claire decides to have a fling—only to discover later that he goes to high school with her son. She aims to end the affair, but Noah has other ideas. (Rated R; opens Jan. 23)

USE IT

▶ **FIRE LOG**

So many things in life are mobile these days, why not have a portable campfire? The OneLogFire is an 8-inch-tall piece of timber that has been hollowed out, dried in a kiln and fitted with a long wick, so it burns only from the inside. The flame can last two hours, great for s'mores building at the beach, in your driveway or anywhere else outside that is safe.

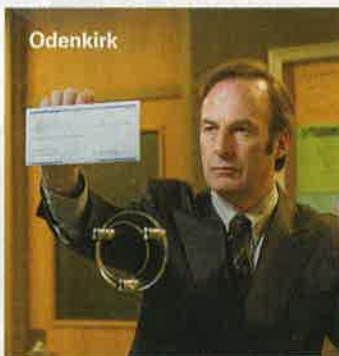
\$13; onelogfire.com.



READ IT

▼ **LOST & FOUND BY BROOKE DAVIS**

Three months after the death of her father, 7-year-old Millie is abandoned by her mother in a department store. Through an odd series of events, Millie joins former shut-in Agatha, 82, and nursing-home escapee Karl, 87, on a road trip in search of her mom. This debut novel—a best-seller in the author's native Australia—is funny and buoyant.



WATCH IT

◀ **BETTER CALL SAUL**

This *Breaking Bad* prequel is set six years before hilariously sleazy lawyer Saul Goodman (Bob Odenkirk) first helps meth king Walter White launder his drug money. The darkly comic AMC drama follows Saul's transformation from small-time Jimmy McGill to the guy who boasts in his commercials that he will defend anything "from parking tickets to mass murder!" The series premieres Feb. 8.



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