

Reading Rilla through COVID-19

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The *Rilla of Ingleside* Readathon, founded by Andrea McKenzie and Benjamin Lefebvre on March 30th, 2020, began as a response to the first COVID-19 lockdowns. This collection of short illustrated essays captures founding members' responses to *Rilla* and the sense of community created through reading L.M. Montgomery's novel during that difficult, challenging time.

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