

# EASTON BOK FESTIVAL Oct. 25-27, 2019

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## WELCOME TO THE 2019 EASTON BOOK FESTIVAL

Easton Book Festival is an annual indoor literary festival for adults and children, with over 200 authors participating in readings, workshops, panel discussions, book signings and expos, and dining and entertainment events. Except for our fundraising authors banquet, all the EBF events are offered free of charge to the public.

Our mission is to inform, educate, enrich and inspire people of all backgrounds in our community through cultural and literary programs and to otherwise foster intellectual discourse and civic engagement.

This year's Easton Book Festival takes place in 25 locations throughout our city and Phillipsburg, NJ. For your convenience, we have provided a map and legend in the center of this program to help you locate your venue. Plan your Easton Book Festival event schedule by browsing this guidebook or visiting http://www.eastonbookfestival.com.

#### **FESTIVAL DATES AND TIMES**

Friday, October 25: 11:00am to Midnight Saturday, October 26: 9:30am to 10:00pm **Sunday, October 27: 12:00pm to 5:00pm** 

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#### **Easton Public Parking Garages:**

Pine Street Parking Garage behind 27 S Third St. (enter off Pine St. between South Third and South Fourth Sts.) South Third Street Parking Garage behind 123 S Third St. (enter off South Third St., across from the gas station)

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9 am to 8 pm Monday thru Saturday 12 pm to 6 pm Sunday

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> Second St. & Third St. North Third St. between

Church St. & Spring Garden St. North Fourth St. between Church St. & Spring Garden St.

\*this parking lot is located directly behind the Easton Public Market.

#### **FRIDAY OCTOBER 25**

#### **Limburg Theater** Lafavette College Farinon Center, 111 Quad Drive 11:00am

Ross Gay, "The Book of Delights." Reading and Q&A. The winner of the NBCC Award for Poetry offers up a spirited collection of short lyric essays, written daily over a tumultuous year. reminding us of the purpose and pleasure of praising. extolling, and celebrating ordinary wonders.

#### **Book & Puppet Company.** 22 Centre Square 7:00pm

Big Nazo Creature Creations Parade (with Big Easy Easton Brass)

#### State Theatre Ballroom. 453 Northampton St. 6:30pm

"Battle of the Books," presented by Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group, with John Evans, Christopher Ochs, Sukley, Lamanna, Margaret Murray, Donna Brennan (cash bar) Match your book wits with other book lovers in a funspirited competition (cash bar)

#### 8:30pm

Yolanda Wisher Ensemble, in Concert (cash bar) PA Poet Laureate, singer, educator, and author of Monk Fats an Afro performs with a musical ensemble (cash bar).

#### 9:15pm

Rebecca Migdal presents "The Goddammerung" The Battle of the Sexes of the Gods, with puppets!

#### Weiss Theater at Buck Hall. 219 North 3rd St. 11:59pm

"Twisted Tales of Poe." presented by Lafayette College Theater Department

#### **SATURDAY OCTOBER 26**

#### Bachmann Publick House. 169 Northampton St. 11:00am

"Easton at the Crossroads: An Historical Reenactment." by Rebecca Price Janney with The Bachmann Players

#### 12:30pm

Maryanne McFadden, "The Cemetery Keeper's Wife" Why was Tillie reawakening a past Rachel chose to bury long ago. A past that could threaten her marriage?

#### Bank St. Annex 316 Northampton St. 6:00pm-10:00pm

Author Banquet, A multicourse Authors Banquet featuring more than 75 Easton Book Festival authors.

ADVANCE TICKETS REQUIRED

#### **Book & Puppet Company.** 466 Northampton St.

Sequential Art of Politics and Culture

2:00pm Christopher Cardinale, "Rikers Island Illustrated Journals" Recently featured in The Guardian.

#### 2:45pm

Kevin Pvle. "Bad for You" New Jersev author and illustrator reads from his graphic novel which explores facts, figures, and myths about adult suppression of kids' freedom.

#### 3:30pm

Carlo Quispe. "Uranus Comics"

#### 4:15pm

Sandy Jimenez. "Marley Davidson, Bronx Exorcist" New York comic book writer and artist reads from his action-adventure series about a darkly-imagined nighttime America.

#### 5:00pm

Seth Tobocman. "War in the Neighborhood" Slideshow concert with a political artist and his band. exploring the L.E.S. of the late 80s and the emerging gulf between rich and poor.

#### **Connexions Gallery** 213 Northampton St.

Poetry, Literary Fiction, Memoir, Writers Groups 10:00am

"A Sense of Place in the Lehigh Valley," presented by Lehigh Valley Engaged Humanities Consortium Writing Community: Cleveland Wall. Katherine Falk, Kerri Tollinger. Sienna Mae Heath

#### 11:00am

Danielle Notaro "Limn the Mask" Winner of the Lehigh Valley

Music Award for Outstanding Spoken Word Artist, Easton's own Danielle Notaro performs improv musical and narrative pieces from her 2019 CD, "Limn the Chord," based on her 2013 book of poems and prose.

#### 12:00pm

Lee Upton,
"Tao of Humiliation"
Writer-in-residence and a
professor of English at Lafayette College reads from her
latest, critically-acclaimed
collection of short stories.

#### 1:00pm

Edwin Romond, "Alone with Love Songs" Poetry which addresses the beauty and frailty of the human heart and the ways in which we all stumble and rejoice

#### 2:00pm

Michele Carlo
"Fish Out of Agua"
A redheaded, freckle-faced
Bronx Puerto Rican reads
from her memoir, an iconic
American story of growing
up in a long-gone New York
City.

#### 3:00pm

"Writers Café," presented by Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group, moderator Bart Palamaro. Bring a few copies of a sample from your manuscript (2 pages, double spaced, 12-point Times New Roman font) to this peer review session. Writers will share their writing and discuss what is right, wrong, or indifferent in the manuscripts: honesty to help you improve! Moderated by Bert Palamaro"

Pre-registration required: visit https://greaterlehighvalleywritersgroup.wildapricot.org/ event-3578337

#### 4:30pm

"Page Cuts," presented by Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Loretta Wish, Phil Giunta, Margaret Murray Writers anonymously submit 1 page of their current WIP (typically 1st chapter) and 1 page that contains a 250-word summary of their story with working title and genre. Submissions should be double spaced, 12-point Times New Roman. Submissions will be read aloud and writers will receive critique from agents and editors on the panels.

and so can you! 9 Ф  $\alpha$ IVIN В 0 \( \) B  $\otimes$ മ S N 610.252.2552 ದ FreeBridgeRealty.com Connexions Gallery Continued

#### 8:00pm

"A Song for Katrina," Multimedia Slide Show with artist Mac McGill spoken word, Breeze Godfrey vocals, Andrea Urist percussion, Steve Wishnia bass, On Davis guitar. Forthcoming graphic novel about the disastrous New Orleans flood of 2005.

Easton Area Community Center, 901 Washington St. Ages 6 to Adult, Family Workshops

#### 9:30am

Big Nazo, Creature Creation Workshop (ADVANCE REG-ISTRATION NEEDED) Take part in this zany, performance-oriented workshop in which the masks, costumes, and puppet-sculptures you create will become a living performance art experience! Pre-registration required visit www.eastonbookfestival. com to register

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for updates

#### 11:30am

Esther K. Smith, "Making Books with Kids" Book-Arts Workshop. Brooklyn author and book designer runs a workshop based on her award-winning book

#### Easton Yoga, 524 Northampton St.

Personal and Professional Development

#### 10:30am

Gina Gullo, "Implicit Bias in Schools: A Practitioner's Guide" How school leaders can work to avoid the impacts of implicit bias in schools and communities

#### 1:00pm

Nancy Werteen and Kim Howie, "The Power of a Pivot" Allentown news reporter and Certified Health Coach discuss their book, "The Power of a Pivot," and how a change of mindset can bring joy to every aspect of life.

#### 2:30pm

Sharlee Dimenichi, "The Complete Guide to Joining the Peace Corps"

Easton Area

#### 3:30pm

Gary Gordon and Liz McMahon, "The Joy of Set" A family workshop exploring the fun math and unexpected secret tricks underlying the wildly popular game of Set.

#### First Presbyterian Church Social Hall 333 Spring Garden

Mystery, Science Fiction, Sports; Author Expo Readings, Panel Discussion

#### 10:30am

Billy Staples, "Before the Glory: 20 Baseball Heroes Talk About Growing Up" An inspiring journey into the personal lives of American sports heroes, presented by a bestselling local author.

#### 12:00pm

Bill Broun, "Night of the Animals" Over the course of a single night in 2052, a homeless man named Cuthbert Handley sets out on an astonishing quest: to release the animals of the London Zoo.

#### 1:30pm

Kate Racculia, "Tuesday Mooney Talks to Ghosts" The searchers must summon the courage to face painful ghosts from their pasts (some more vivid than others) and discover their most guarded desires and dreams.



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#### 3:00pm

Rob Hart, "The Warehouse." in conversation with Melba Tolliver Journalist Melba Tolliver interviews Rob Hart about his new novel, "The Warehouse," a near-future thriller about what happens when Big Brother meets Big Business.

#### 4:30pm

"Debut 19," with James Charlesworth, Christie Grotheim, Marco Rafala, Keena Roberts and Kris Waldherr. First-time novelists who banded together for mutual support discuss their experiences of the publication process: the year, 2019.

#### First United Church of **Christ Sanctuary** 27 North 3rd St. Literary Fiction

#### 11:30am

Christie Grotheim, "The Year Marjorie Moore Learned to Live" As her web of lies at home and work unravels...

#### 12:30pm

Jenn Stroud Rossmann. "The Place You're Supposed to Laugh"

The dot-com bubble has burst, and holy calamity is raining down on 14-year-old Chad Loudermilk.

#### 2:00pm

James Charlesworth and Marco Rafala in conversation, "The Patricide of George Benjamin Hill," "How Fires

End" An intricate family saga of aspiration and betrayal... meets...A dangerous choice to keep their secrets hidden erupts in violence decades later.

#### 3:30pm

Stephanie Powell Watts, "No One Is Coming to Save Us," in conversation with Bob Watts. With echoes of The Great Gatsby...an arresting and powerful novel about an extended African American family and their colliding visions of the American Dream.

#### 5:00pm

Adam Langer, "The Salinger Contract," in conversation with Jennifer Gilmore An enthralling literary mystery that connects some of the world's most famous authors-from Norman Mailer and Truman Capote to B. Traven and J. D. Salinger—to a sinister collector in Chicago



#### First United Church of Christ Social Hall 27 North 3rd St. 10:00am-4:00pm

Author Expo: Book-Tables Meet authors, and purchase autographed copies of their books at this expo of selfpublishing

Vivian Fransen, Allison Sabotta, Jack Wright, Victor Palm, Jerry Waxler, Linda Wright, Janice Monahan Rodgers, Rory Janis Miller, Charles Hanson, Jolynn Angelini, Darlene McGarrity, Fred Misurella, Kailey Tedesco, Kristina Garlick, Matt Wolf, Mercedes Rochelle, Michael Daigle, Phil Giunta, Roy Lee Jarmon, Arjay Lewis, Charles Levin, Christine Talley, David Watts, Loretta Bolger Wish, Tan Swiftwater, Jerome W. McFadden, Jeffrey E. Finegan Sr., William Howard, Danielle Notaro, Dave Leone, Donna Deloretto Brennan, Jessica Lauryn, Debbie Kelahan, Christopher Ochs, Jack Hillman

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#### **Gallery On Fourth** 401 Northampton St.

Author Expo Readings: Poetry

#### 11:00am

Darlene McGarrity "Consequences"

#### 12:00pm

Christine Talley "The Girl in the Bird"

#### 1:00pm

Jeffery E. Finegan Sr., "My Dear General"

#### 2:00pm

Loretta Bolger Wish, "Bumpy Night on the Walk of Fame"

#### 3:00pm

Phil Giunta, "Like Mother, Like Daughter"

#### 4:00pm

Mark Bolanowski, "Essence of Memory"

#### International Fusionism Museum, 107 North 4th St.

Sequential Art, Women in Comics; Poetry; Book Release Party

Celebrate the release of the remarkable new comics anthology "Drawing Power: Women's Stories of Sexual Violence, Harassment, and Survival" and meet three of its contributors, and also meet four of the artists and editors of the forthcoming World War 3 Illustrated issue "Shameless Feminists"

#### 10:00am

Rebecca Migdal, "Intimate Partner Violence Escape Room" Through the stories of six survivors, learn more about intimate partner violence, the number one cause of injury to women

#### 10:45am

Lou Allen, "Body Image"

#### 11:30am

Marguerite Dabaie, "Hookah Girl" From growing up in a refugee family to how to roll waraq (stuffed grape leaves), an account of living in two seemingly different cultures that actually aren't very different at all

#### 12:15pm

Isabella Bannerman. "Shameless Feminists"

#### 1:00pm

Jenny Gonzalez, "Drawing Power," in conversation with Karen Lillis

#### 1:45pm

Liana Finck, "Excuse Me," in conversation with Ayun Halliday A razor-sharp collection from the acclaimed New Yorker cartoonist and Instagram sensation

#### 2:30pm

"Trigger Warning: Confronting Violence Against Women Through Comics," panel with Lou Allen, Marquerite Dabaie, Isabella Bannerman, Jenny Gonzalez, Liana Finck, moderated by Rebecca Migdal

#### 3:30pm

Ayun Halliday, "East Village Inky" Celebrate 20 years of an iconic zine.

#### 5:00pm-7:00pm

Book Release Party with The Unbearables: Jim Fleming, Carl Watson, Bonny Finberg, Ron Kolm, Amy Barone, Eve Packer, Sparrow, Violet Snow, Jill Rapaport, Deborah Pintonelli, hosted by Shalom Neuman

A dozen of New York's most iconoclastic countercultural post-beat avatars are in Easton for a weekend!

#### The Loving Piece 7 North 3rd St.

Metaphysical Readings To Be Announced

#### Nature's Way. 143 Northampton St.

Cookina 1:00pm - Carrie Havranek, "Tasting Pennsylvania" Favorite Recipes from the **Keystone State** 

#### **Northampton Community** College-Room 112, 25 South 3rd St.

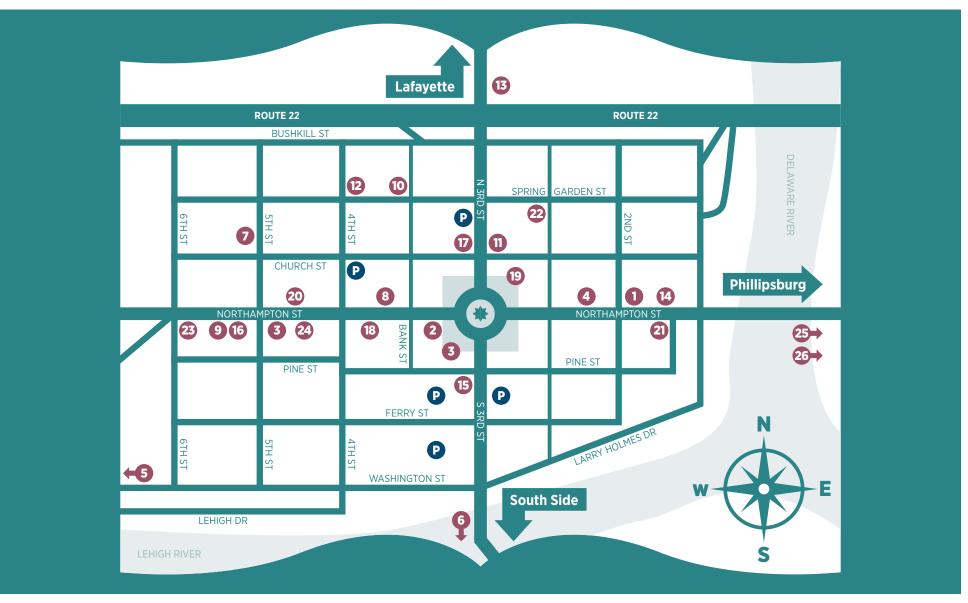
Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group (GLVWG): Tech Talks, Meetings

#### 10:00am

**GLVWG's October General** Meeting

#### 11:00am

"Ten Ways to Market Your Book in Person." John Gibbs



#### **Downtown Easton**

- 1 Bachmann Publick House
- 2 Bank Street Annex Banquet Hall
- **3** Book and Puppet Company (2 locations)
- **4** Connexions Gallery
- 5 Easton Area Community Center
- 6 Easton Area Neighborhood Center
- **7** Easton Area Public Library

- 8 Easton Public Market's Kidzone
- 9 Easton Yoga
- 10 First Presbyterian Church
- 11 First United Church of Christ
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- 14 Nature's Way Market

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#### **Phillipsburg**



**26** Union Station



Northampton Community College Continued

#### 1:00pm

"Brilliant Beginnings Workshop," John Gibbs Workshop on how to create compelling openings to narratives

#### 3:00pm

"Getting Started Writing for Magazines," with Donna Deloretto Brennan

#### 4:00pm

"Editing and Pacing," with Jessica Lauryn This hands-on workshop will identify common writing mistakes and provide you with tips and tricks to succeed

#### Northampton Community College—Room 105 25 South 3rd St.

Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group (GLVWG): Tech Talks

#### 1:00pm

"Writing Historical Fiction," with Mercedes Rochelle Explore the different types of Historical Fiction and how to weave your research into a believable, accurate, enlightening, and enjoyable novel

#### 2:00pm

"Elements of Cover Design for Self-Publishers," with Christopher Ochs

#### 3:00pm

"Writing Fight Scenes," with Christopher Ochs

#### 4:00pm

"Journey: First Draft to Traditional Publication," with Christa Conklin How'd you do it? Hear from a debut author who began scribbling in a notebook and persevered until she signed with an agent and publisher

#### Northampton Community College—Room 124 25 South 3rd St.

Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group (GLVWG): Tech Talks

#### 12:00pm

"Trim That Story," with Phil Giunta. Bring a page from a work in progress to learn how to trim your prose.

#### 1:00pm

"Get Started Writing Your Memoir," with Jerry Waxler Tips and strategies to begin gathering your random collection of memories and reorganizing them into the wellordered construction of a story.

#### 2:00pm

"The Query Process," with Carol Wright. Learn how to query agents and publishers about submitting your work for publication.

#### 3:00pm

"Running a Successful Critique Group," with Carol Wright

#### 4:00pm

"What Makes Memoirs Work," with Jerry Waxler

## Nurture Nature Center 518 Northampton St.

Nature, Environment, Panel Discussion

#### 12:00pm

Kate Brandes, "The Promise of Pierson Orchard" Riegelsville author and environmental scientist Kate Brandes reads from her debut novel, where family meets fracking.

#### 1:00pm

Marta McDowell, "Emily Dickinson's Gardening Life"
New Jersey author Marta
McDowell explores the poet's
gardening, and its influence
on her poems.

#### 2:00pm

Sean Prentiss
"Finding Abbey"
Sean Prentiss examines his
own sense of rootlessness
as he attempts to unravel
the complicated legacy of
environmental writer Edward
Abbey

#### 3:00pm

"Authors as Environmental Activists," with Kate Brandes, Sean Prentiss, Seth Tobocman, Tara Zrinski, Dara Herman and Peter Zierlein, moderated by Rachel Hogan Carr. The real-life role of authors in environmental advocacy. Could you give up single-use plastic, too?



#### Quadrant Book Mart & Coffee House, 20 North 3rd St.

Contemporary Fiction, Pop Culture, Author Expo Readings

#### 10:00am

Stacey Wilk, "The Essence of Whiskey and Tea"
Now her past has returned, and JT's presence threatens to unhinge the emotional façade she constructed.

#### 11:00am

Allison Sabotta "Does This Treadmill Make Me Look Fat?"

#### 11:30am

Jessica Lauryn
"A Sultry Performance"
Will both of them fall prey
to the danger that lurks in
the wings?

#### 12:00pm

Christa Conklin
"Tranquility"
Drethene must convince
the One People that their
lives are not as tranquil as
they seem.

#### 1:00pm

Joe Frinzi
"Kubrick's Monolith: The
Art and Mystery of 2001: A
Space Odyssey"

#### 2:00pm

Tan Swiftwater "Force of Will"

#### 2:30pm

Arjay Lewis "The Muse"

#### 3:00pm

Dana Miller, "Twisted Fate" Is it too late to untangle the web she's twisted in?

#### 4:00pm

Jack Wright "The Free Musics"

#### 4:30pm

Christopher Ochs, "If I Can't Sleep, You Can't Sleep"

#### 5:00pm

Steve Wishnia "When the Drumming Stops" Can the old bandmates overcome their acrimonious break up?

## Sigal Museum Auditorium, 342 Northampton St.

Panel Discussions

#### 10:30am

"Responsible Journalism in the Age of Fake News," with Bill Dedman, Sander Hicks, Nancy Werteen, moderated by Melba Tolliver. What is true? Who can tell us?

#### 12:00pm

"Immigrants and Refugees-The American Experience," with Michele Carlo, Benjamin Franklin (actor Christopher Black), Carlo Quispe and Thanhha Lai, moderated by Kevin Pyle. Back to the future: did you know Benjamin Franklin was concerned about immigration? (Germans!) What can we learn today?

#### 1:30pm

"Poets as Prophets-Merging Art and Religion," with Eric Ziolkowski, Lee Upton, Steve Wiggins, Bob Watts and Yolanda Wisher, moderated by Chris Phillips. Who has access to the divine?

#### 3:00pm

"Researching the Historical Novel," with Lisa Gornick, Sally Koslow, Maryann McFadden, Carol Weston, Susan Holloway Scott and Kris Waldherr, moderated by Mary Dearborn Lessons learned by master practitioners.

#### 4:30pm

"Historical Fiction with Strong Women," with LA Chandlar, Andrea Penrose and Rosemary Simpson, moderated by Larissa Ackerman The technical feat of uncovering and revealing hidden narratives of strength

#### **Sigal Museum Chrin Gallery 342 Northampton St.** Biography, History, Memoir

and Politics

#### 10:00am

Keena Roberts, "Wild Life"

#### 11:00am

Donald Miller "Vicksburg: Grant's Campaign That Broke the Confederacy"

#### 12:00pm

Bill Dedman,
"Empty Mansions: The Mysterious Life of Huguette Clark and the Spending of a Great American Fortune"

#### 1:00pm

Mary Dearborn, "Ernest Hemingway: A Biography"

#### 2:00pm

Sander Hicks, "Slingshot to the Juggernaut: Total Resistance to the Death Machine Means Complete Love of the Truth," in conversation with Andy Laties Activist investigative reporter reaches for a broader understanding of who was behind the 9/11 attacks

#### 3:00pm

Eric Laursen, "The Duty to Stand Aside," in conversation with Caroline Lee Should an Englishman fight Hitler during World War II? Alex Comfort and George Orwell disagreed.

#### 4:00pm

Charles W. Dickerson "Bush-Dickerson Family 1066-1990" Family genealogy! The Bush-Dickersons from the Norman invasion to today.

#### 5:00pm

David Colley
"Seeing the War"
A exploration of more than a
hundred of the most revealing photographs of World
War II

#### Sigal Museum Decorative Arts Gallery 342 Northampton St.

Fiction: Historical Fiction, Literary, Gothic

#### 10:30am

Sally Koslow, "Another Side

of Paradise," in conversation with Mary Dearborn A novel of the affair between F. Scott Fitzgerald and a Hollywood gossip columnist

#### 11:30am

Kris Waldherr, "The Lost History of Dreams," in conversation with James Charlesworth
A post-mortem photographer unearths dark secrets from the past that may hold the key to his future

#### 12:30pm

Rosemary Simpson, "Let the Dead Keep Their Secrets" In Gilded Age New York, heiress Prudence MacKenzie and ex-Pinkerton Geoffrey Hunter investigate crimes

#### 1:30pm

Susan Holloway Scott, "The Secret Wife of Aaron Burr" Mary Emmons, and the place she held in the life—and the heart—of the notorious Aaron Burr.

#### 2:30pm

"Writing Regency Mysteries," with Andrea Penrose, author of "Murder at Kensington Palace"

#### 3:30pm

LA Chandlar, "The Pearl Dagger" From the Art Deco Mystery Series

#### 4:30pm

Lisa Gornick, "The Peacock Feast," in conversation with Lee Upton. An historical saga about love, class, and the past we never escape

## State Theatre Gallery 453 Northampton St.

Panel Discussions

#### 11:00am

"Publishing in Color:
Telling African American
Stories," with Floyd Cooper,
Cheryl Willis Hudson, Sandy
Jimenez, Stephanie Powell
Watts and Yolanda Wisher,
moderated by Wade Hudson
Publishing companies are
gatekeepers. And when the
gates are locked...?

#### 12:30pm

"Self-Publishing," with Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Loretta Bolger Wish, Jessica Lauryn, Steve Mariotti, Walter Stoffel, moderated by Bernadette Sukley. Discussion about selfpublishing for authors.

#### 2:00pm

"Writing in the 21st Century," with Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Phil Giunta, Christine Talley, Keith Keffer, moderated by Christa Conklin

The unique challenges and opportunities writers face in the 21st Century

#### 4:30pm

"Children's Book Censorship: What Should We Keep the Kids from Reading?" with Andrea Balis, Wade Hudson, Cheryl Willis Hudson, Miss Amie, Kevin Pyle, moderated by Elizabeth Levy

## ThreeBirds Coffee House, 226 Bushkill St.

Author Expo Readings

#### 10:30am

Donna Deloretto Brennan, "Forget the Mess---It's Time for a Story!"

#### 11:30am

Rory Janis Miller, "Bev: The Invisible Sister"

#### 12:30pm

Janice Monaghan Rodgers, "Letters to My Sister"

#### 1:30pm

Michael Daigle "The Red Hand"

#### 2:30pm

Mercedes Rochelle, "A King Under Siege"

#### 3:30pm

Jack Hillman, "Magic Forgotten"

#### Trinity Episcopal Church Social Hall

Author Expo Readings

#### 1:00pm

Matt Wolf, "A Journey"

#### 1:30pm

Fred Misurella "A Summer of Good-Byes"

#### 2:00pm

Walter Stoffel "Lance: A Spirit Unbroken"

#### 2:30pm

Linda Wright "333 Journal Pages"

#### 3:30pm

Charles Levin "Not So Gone"

## Weiss Theater @ Buck Hall, 219 North 3rd St.

7:30pm

"Twisted Tales of Poe," presented by Lafayette College Theater Department

#### Your CBD Store 430 Northampton St.

Author Expo Readings

#### 10:30am

David Watts, Accidental P.I."

#### 11:00am

William Howard "The Eye of Hermes"

#### 11:30pm

Jerry Waxler "Memoir Revolution"

#### 12:00pm

Jerome W. McFadden "Off the Rails"

#### 12:30pm

Jolynn Angelini "The Protectors"

#### 1:00pm

V.E. Palm "Aunt Eleanor's Men"

#### 1:30pm

Kailey Tedesco "Lizzie, Speak"

#### 2:30pm

Roy Lee Jarmon "Poetry by Simon: Volume 1 Family Foundations"

#### 3:00pm

Charles Hanson, "My Tutor"

#### 3:30pm

Vivian Fransen "The Straight Spouse"

#### SUNDAY OCTOBER 27

Easton Area Neighborhood Center 902 Philadelphia Road Ages 6 to Adult, Family Workshop

#### 12:00pm-1:30pm

Workshop (ADVANCE REG-ISTRATION NEEDED)

Take part in this zany, performance-oriented workshop in which the masks, costumes, and puppet-sculptures you create will become a living performance art experience!

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Big Nazo Creature Creation

# Grand Eastonian Gold Room 140 Northampton St. Literary Fiction

#### 12:00pm

Lisa A. Sturm, "Echoed in My Bones"
When sixteen-year-old
Lakisha White surrenders
her newborns, Jasmine who
looks black, and Tessa who
looks white, are raised in
neighboring New Jersey
towns, but worlds apart.

#### 1:00pm

Karen Lillis, "Watch the Doors as They Close" A woman plans to set down a faithful portrait of her exlover, just days after he's fled their one-room romance.

#### 2:00pm

Paul Walsh, "Lemonade"

Which choices are the ones that will change us forever?

#### 3:00pm

Margaret Murray. "Forging Justice" A police detective in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, who's beginning to think she's wasted the last fifteen years of her life.

#### 4:00pm

Suzanne Baltsar, "Sidelined" A fast-paced story about a female football coach

#### Connexions Gallery, 213 Northampton St.

Poetry: Open Mic. Writers **Group Anthologies** 

#### 12:00pm

Cleveland Wall. "Let X=X"

#### 1:00pm-3:30pm

Open Mic, hosted by Lynn Alexander Share your poetry and prose with your neighbors! Sign up at the door.

#### 3:30pm

"Through a Mother's Eyes," anthology by The Journey Home, hosted by Bonnie Winfield. Short stories written by women incarcerated nearby in Easton.

#### Easton Yoga, 524 Northampton St. Yoga/Poetry

#### 1:30pm

Leslieann Hobayan Leslieann has come to discover that creative writing and the practice of yoga are

inextricably linked; both create and sustain deep connections to the spiritual Self.

International Fusionism Museum, 107 North 4th St. Sequential Art. Fine Arts

#### 12:00pm

Sylvan Migdal, "The Complete Curvy." in conversation with Rebecca Migdal After 13 years online a scandalously sexy cult webcomic is published as a 522-page doorstop!

#### 1:00pm

Robert Mattison, "Ronald Bladen: Sculpture" Here, finally, is a book that reveals and elucidates the full extent of his achievement.

#### 2:00pm

Esther K. Smith and Dikko Faust, "How to Make Books" Whether you're a writer, a scrapbooker, a political activist, or a postcard collector. let book artists Esther K. Smith and Dikko Faust be your guides

#### 3:30pm

Ed Eckstein. "Grunts: The Last U.S. Draft, 1972," a photo-essay

#### Nature's Wav. 143 Northampton St.

#### 1:00pm

Cooking

Heather Mayer Irvine, "Runner's World Vegetarian Cookbook"

#### Northampton Community College-Room 112, 25 South 3rd St.

Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Tech Talks

#### 1:00pm

"Strengthening Your Writing," with Donna Deloretto Brennan

#### 2:00pm

"Poetry for Beginners," with Darlene McGarrity

#### 3:00pm

"Promoting Yourself Through Interviewing Others," Donna Deloretto Brennan

#### Northampton Community College-Room 105, 25 South 3rd St.

Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Tech Talks

#### 1:00pm

"Time Management for Writers," with Phil Giunta

#### 2:00pm

"How to Improve Any Story by Going Deeper," with Lisa A. Sturm

#### **Northampton Community** College-Room 124 25 South 3rd St.

Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group: Tech Talks

#### 1:00pm

"On Writing Short Stories." with Jerome W. McFadden

#### 2:00pm

"It's Never Too Late," with Walter Stoffel. Learn why you're never too old to start writing Continued on Page after map

#### **SUNDAY OCTOBER 27** CONTINUED

#### **Nurture Nature Center** 518 Northampton St. 1:00pm

Andrew C. Revkin, "Weather: An Illustrated History" Andrew Revkin, strategic adviser for environmental and science journalism at the National Geographic Society and former senior climate reporter at ProPublica, presents an intriguing illustrated history of humanity's evolving relationship with Earth's dynamic climate system and the wondrous weather it generates.

#### **Quadrant Book Mart &** Coffee House 20 North 3rd St. Poetrv

#### 12:00pm-5:00pm

Poetry Readings with The Unbearables: Jim Fleming. Carl Watson, Bonny Finberg. Ron Kolm, Amy Barone, Eve Packer, Sparrow, Violet Snow, Jill Rapaport, Deborah Pintonelli. A dozen of New York's most iconoclastic countercultural post-beat avatars are in Easton for a weekend!

#### Sigal Museum Auditorium, 342 Northampton St.

Panel Discussions

#### 1:00pm

"The Mueller Report and Truths Stranger than Fiction," with Peter Coyne, Diane Fleming, and Regina Marinelli, moderated by

Melba Tolliver A dozen neighbors got together for ten weeks, to read

The Mueller Report aloud to each other and the public. So what?

#### 2:00pm

"Pacifism and Patriotism," with David P. Collev and Eric Laursen, moderated by Caroline Lee. Should we fight wars?

#### Sigal Museum Chrin Gallery 342 Northampton St. Religion and Culture

#### 12:00pm

Eric Ziolkowski, "Monkeys and the Bible: The Simian Presence in Biblical Reception"

#### 1:00pm

Steve Wiggins, "Holy Horror: The Bible and Fear in Movies" Holy Writ attempts to ward off aliens, ghosts, witches, psychopaths and demons, yet it often becomes a source of evil itself.

#### 2:00pm

Brett Hendrickson, "The Healing Power of the Santuario de Chimayo" The church whose world-renowned healing powers have drawn visitors to its steps for centuries.

#### Two Rivers Brewing 542 Northampton St.

#### 12:00pm

Mark Will-Weber, "Mint Juleps with Teddy Roosevelt: The Complete History of Presidential Drinking" (drinks and full menu a la carte)

#### **Union Station** 175 South Main St.. **Phillipsburg**

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#### 2:00pm

Big Nazo Performance and Parade Workshop Learn to inhabit a Big Nazo Creature, then march in the Easton-Phillipsburg Halloween Parade

#### Weiss Theater @ Buck Hall. 219 North 3rd St. 2:00pm

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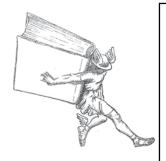


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