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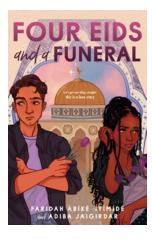


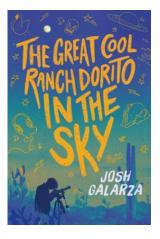


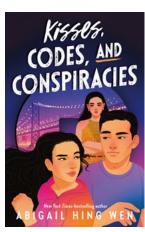














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City of Santa Monica



GETTING TO THE FESTIVAL

- •From downtown Los Angeles take the 10 freeway (aka Santa Monica freeway) west. Exit at 4th street/5th street. Stay left at fork and follow signs to 4th street.
- •From Los Angeles International Airport, the South Bay and Orange County head north on the 405 freeway, then take the 10 freeway (aka Santa Monica freeway) west. Exit at 4th street/5th street. Stay left at fork and follow signs to 4th street.
- •From Woodland Hills and the West San Fernando Valley head east on the 101 freeway. Take the 405 freeway south, then the 10 freeway (aka Santa Monica freeway) west. Exit at 4th street/5th street. Stay left at fork and follow signs to 4th street.

PARKING

Parking available off 4th street at the Civic Center Structure, 333 civic center drive. Additional lots available both at the beach and near the third street promenade.

DROP-OFF ACCESS

Passenger drop-off access from Seventh Street via Michigan Ave.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Santa Monica high school can be reached via the **Santa Monica Big Blue Bus** routes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9. Just a three block walk from the **Metro Expo Line** Downtown Santa Monica station.

BY BIKE

Attendees may bike onto campus and park at racks spread along the grounds.



ACCESSIBLE PARKING

Accessible parking is available on campus at Santa Monica High School. Placards must be visible upon entering the 6th and Olympic gate. It is recommended to arrange such parking accommodations in advance with the festival via our website (yallwest.com) or email (festival@yallwest.com) as oncampus parking is limited. Additional accessible parking is available at city lots of fourth street.

YOUR TBR IS OFFICIALLY BOOKED!



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FRIDAY, MAY 3RD, 4:00 PM-6:00 PM **SANTA MONICA PUBLIC LIBRARY**

> 601 SANTA MONICA BLVD, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401

Experience our Friday Preview Events! Your free reserved ticket will get you into either/both of the two Friday Preview Events--Fierce Friday sponsored by FierceReads and DeadEndia Launch Party sponsored by Union Square. You can attend one event with your ticket or both!

Some lines may be limited.

Authors appearing at Fierce Friday (subject to change) Racquel Marie, Adalyn Grace, Judy I. Lin, Aiden Thomas, Jordan Morris, Ann Zhao, Melissa de la Cruz, Hafsah Faizal, Zoe Hana Mikuta, Gretchen Schreiber, Sarah Henning, Yume Kitasei, Stephanie Garber, Veronica Roth, Lauren Roberts, Tracy Deonn

Attendees may check-in any time after 3pm for screening and wristbands, at library. Be mindful of street signs. There are several parking lots near by with free 3 hour parking up until 6pm. There is also more limited street parking. Map and additional info on page 10.

6PM DEADENDIA THE DIVINE ORDER LAUNCH PARTY

Come celebrate the release of the conclusion of the DeadEndia series with Hamish Steele! There will be a discussion, Q&A, signing, and free swag!

SCAN THE LINK TO RESERVE TICKETS:



MONICA PUBLIC

FRIDAY EVENTS

SANTA fiercell friday fiercell reads Friday, May 3, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

The Library's long-running preview event with Fierce Reads returns to the Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. Fun, games, prizes, and many of your favorite authors.



Friday, May 3, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

BOOK LAUNCH Event for DeadEndia: The Divine Order, with creator Hamish Steele and guest Molly Knox Ostertag.



Saturday, May 4, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Join us all day at the Library's booth for games, prizes, swag drops, author signings, and more! UNION SQUARE & CO.

11:00 a.m. - Swag drop with Union Square & Co.

12:00 p.m. - Author Adam Sass joins us for an author signing to help preview the Library's upcoming Pride Pop-Up Library in June on the Third Street Promenade.







fiercell friday

KATE CHENLI

PANELS (May 4) Yallwest Debuts: Class of 2024 11:00 AM · Disco Quad

The Origin of Stories: Inspiration, Concentration & Imagination 3:00 PM · Cafeteria

SIGNING (May 4) 4:00 PM · Signing Location



Union Square ARC & Ice Cream Sandwich Giveaway!

Saturday, May 4 - 11:00 AM Santa Monica **Public Library booth**







PANEL SCHEDULE



10AM OPENING KEYNOTE: JASON REYNOLDS & STEPHANIE GARBER Presented by Epic Reads

BARNUM / TICKETED EVENT

11AM SHELVING THE LIMITS OF THE SINGLE SHELF

Writing Across Genres, Formats & Ages

BARNUM

Moderated by Veronica Roth with ND Stevenson, Yume Kitasei, Nia Davenport, Alexene Farol Follmuth, Victoria Aveyard, and Ava Reid

THE ONLY WAY OUT IS THROUGH

Real Talk About Writers Block

NORTH GYM

Moderated by Brendan Reichs with Jordan Ifueko, Jade Adia, Tracy Wolff, Hamish Steele, and Aiden Thomas

HISTORICAL FRICTIONS & FICTIONAL HISTORIES

Writing Outside the (Sometime) Lines

Sponsored by Penguin Teen

CAFETERIA

Moderated by Renée Ahdieh with Alan Gratz, Hayley Dennings, Stacey Lee, Sara Raasch, and Ransom Riggs

YALLWEST DEBUTS

Class of 2024

DISCO QUAD

Moderated by Angela Montoya with Kate Chenli, Carolina Ixta, Ann Zhao, Jordan Morris, and Kamilah Cole

12PM ROMANTASY RULES (THE WORLD)

Sponsored by Simon Teen **BARNUM**

Moderated by Melissa de la Cruz with Stephanie Garber, Lauren Roberts, Tracy Wolff, Hafsah Faizal, and Alexandra Bracken

AUTHENTICITY &ORIGINALITY

Finding Your Teen Voice

NORTH GYM

Moderated by Gretchen Schreiber with Bethany Baptiste, Ayana Gray, Robbie Couch, Amélie Wen Zhao, and Racquel Marie

RE-RE-RETELLINGS & WHY WE LOVE THEM

CAFETERIA

Moderated by Danielle Paige with Morgan Matson, Alexene Farol Follmuth, Sarah Henning, Kalynn Bayron, and Zoe Hana Mikuta

10TH ANNUAL YALLWEST STORYBALL

DISCO QUAD

Moderated by Raphael Simon with Soman Chainani, Mike Johnston, Angie Thomas, Jorge Cham, Holly Goldberg Sloan, and Sarah Mlynowski

WRITING, REINVENTION, & NAVIGATING THE CREATIVE CAREER

BARNUM

1 PM

Moderated by Victoria Aveyard with E. Lockhart, Judy I. Lin, Renée Ahdieh, Morgan Matson, and Soman Chainani

FROM OBSCURITY TO THE OSCARS

The Rise of the Graphic Novel (And Why It Matters)

NORTH GYM

Moderated by Ryan North with Alison Zai, Jorge Cham, Molly Knox Ostertag, and ND Stevenson

1PM PILLARS OF THRILLERS 3PM & KILLERS

Building Genre Suspense Sponsored by Sourcebooks Fire with Panel Giveaway

CAFETERIA

Moderated by Marie Lu with Lamar Giles, Ryan La Sala, Sarah Henning, and Nia Davenport

FAMILY FEUD AT THE FEST

DISCO QUAD

Moderated by Sarah Mlynowski & Stuart Gibbs with Melissa de la Cruz, Julie Buxbaum, Lewis Peterson, Holly Goldberg Sloan, Mike Johnston, Alan Gratz, Gordon Korman, and Kalynn Bayron

BIG FANTASY ON THE BIG STAGE

Sponsored by PiqueBeyond BARNUM

Moderated by Ransom Riggs with Tracy Deonn, Adalyn Grace, Marie Lu, Namina Forna, Angie Thomas, and Adam Silvera

READ THE RAINBOW

NORTH GYM

Moderated by Robbie Couch with Naomi Kanakia, Molly Knox Ostertag, Ann Zhao, and Ryan La Sala

WRITING THE REAL, STILL

Keeping the Contemporary Novel Contemporary

CAFETERIA

Moderated by E. Lockhart with Gordon Korman, Carolina Ixta, Jade Adia, Holly Goldberg Sloan, and Stuart Gibbs

3PM AFTERNOON SPOTLIGHT

Sponsored by Fierce Reads with Panel Giveaway

BARNUM / TICKETED EVENT

with Tahereh Mafi, Aiden Thomas, Ava Reid, Adam Silvera, and Hafsah Faizal

WRITING RELATIONSHIPS

The Good, The Bad, and the Bestie **NORTH GYM**

Moderated by Alexandra Bracken with Bethany Baptiste, Alex Aster, Jordan Morris, Ryan North, and Hayley Dennings

THE ORIGIN OF STORIES

Inspiration, Concentration, & Imagination

CAFETERIA

Moderated by Adalyn Grace with Naomi Kanakia, Kate Chenli, Racquel Marie, Tracy Deonn, and Jordan Ifueko

YALLTRUTH OR DARE

DISCO QUAD

Moderated by Brendan Reichs with Lamar Giles, Alison Zai, Lewis Peterson, Stacey Lee, and Julie Buxbaum

PM THE STORY OF THE NEVERENDING STORY

Reinventing the Series

NORTH GYM

Sponsored by Get Underlined with Panel Giveaway

Moderated by Amélie Wen Zhao with Lauren Roberts, Zoe Hana Mikuta, Kamilah Cole, Alex Aster, and Hamish Steele

PROTAGONISTS AND PROPULSIVE PROBLEMS

CAFETERIA

Sponsored by PiqueBeyond with Panel Giveaway

Moderated by Danielle Paige with Jason Reynolds, Tahereh Mafi, Namina Forna, and Veronica Roth

HOW READERS BECOME WRITERS

Five Writers' Beginnings

DISCO QUAD

Moderated by Sara Raasch with Yume Kitasei, Ayana Gray, Gretchen Schreiber, and Judy I. Lin

PM YALLWEST SMACKDOWN

BARNUM / TICKETED EVENT

Hosted by Ryan La Sala and Angela Montoya

This all-star jam brings our cast of featured authors on stage as they play games and undertake shenanigans, all for your entertainment.



Schedule is Subject to Change CHECK OUR WEBSITE: WWW.YALLWEST.COM

for all the most current scheduling information

SPECIAL EVENTS

These events are generously put on by our amazing sponsors. Some events may be limited, so make sure you follow the sponsor on social media for information on how to get a wristband/ticket if required.

MONDAY, APRIL 28TH

5PM ENTANGLED TEEN PRESENTS: IG LIVE WITH TRACY WOLFF

Monday, April 28th, 5:00 PM PDT Location: VIRTUAL!

Sponsored by Entangled Teen Live with #1 New York Times bestselling author Tracy Wolff as she discusses Sweet Nightmare, the first book in her highly anticipated Calder Academy series, with author and Entangled Publicity Director Lizzy Mason!

FRIDAY, MAY 3RD 4PM FIERCE FRIDAY

SANTA MONICA PUBLIC LIBRARY Sponsored by Fierce Reads

DEADENDIA: THE DIVINE ORDER LAUNCH PARTY

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DeadEndia: The Divine Order Launch Party - Come celebrate the release of the conclusion of the DeadEndia series with Hamish Steele! There will be a discussion, Q&A, signing, and free swag!

SATURDAY, MAY 4TH 11AM BOOK CRUSH WITH SIMON TEEN

HUMANITIES BUILDINGSponsored by Simon Teen

Come hang with fellow romance fans! Grab friendship bracelets, a romance ARC, and a treat. Limited Space available, get your ticket at the Simon Teen booth.

11AM MEET I READ YA AUTHORS!

I READ YA BOOTH Sponsored by I Read YA

Meet Molly Knox Ostertag and Lamar Giles and get advance signed copies of their upcoming titles, The Deep Dark and Ruin Road!

12PM SO, YOU THINK YOU CAN NARRATE? THE AUDIOBOOK VOICE CHALLENGE!

CHOIR ROOM Sponsored by PRHAudio

Penguin Random House Audio invites YALLWEST attendees to join us for an interactive experience with audiobook narrators Vikas Adam (Sky's End) and Kristen DiMercurio (Hearts Still Beating) to show off their voice acting skills, live and in-person. Pick an audiobook out of a hat and let the pros hear your best improv.

1PM THIS RAVENOUS FATE SPEAKEASY

MPR

Sponsored by Sourcebooks Fire Grab an ARC and get it signed by Hayley Dennings! Light refreshments will be served.

1PM READING ROMANCE WITH LOVE, UNDERLINED

HUMANITIES BUILDING Sponsored by Get Underlined

Join fellow romance readers for a Q&A and game of romance bingo with romance writers Kaitlyn Hill, Angela Montoya, and Sabrina Fedel!

2PM CRAFTING COMMUNITY WITH OWLCRATE

DISCO QUAD Sponsored by OwlCrate

Hey Book Owls! Join OwlCrate's Own Jordan Fleming and some very special guests; Ava Reid, Robin Alvarez, Angela Montoya, Jarrod Shusterman, and Sofía Lapuente as they talk about Crafting Community.

3PM PENGUIN TEEN FANTASY HOUR

MPR

Sponsored by Penguin Teen

Join Penguin Teen for an hour of fantasy-themed bingo, Ember in the Ashes trivia, special treats, and galley giveaways. Limited tickets available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

4PM OWLCRATE BOOK SWAP & GAMES!

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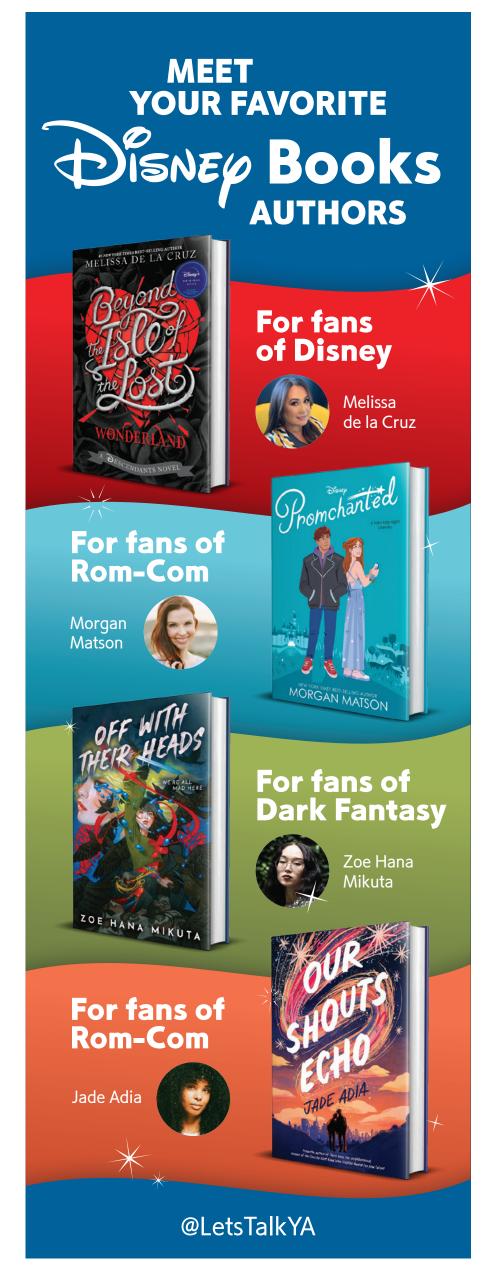
Hey Book Owls, are you ready to hang out with Team OwlCrate? Come join the OwlCrate Book Swap on Saturday, May 4th, 4:00 PM PDT inside the Humanities Building.

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for all the most current scheduling information



OR SCAN THIS QR CODE FOR SCHEDULE, TICKETS, GIVEAWAYS AND MORE

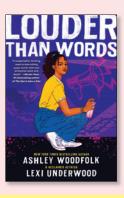


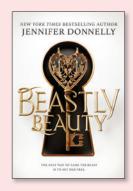


KICK OFF YOUR DAY WITH I READ YA!

Start your morning with I read YA to get a sweet treat, galleys, and swag!

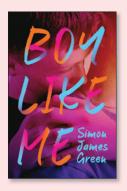
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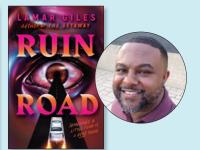


AUTHOR SIGNING

Meet Molly Knox Ostertag and Lamar Giles and get advance signed copies of their upcoming titles, The Deep Dark and Ruin Road!

Time: 11:00 AM





ARE YOU READY TO FIGHT FOR CHANGE?

Get an advance copy and design a branded poster to showcase a cause close to your heart!

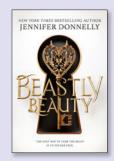
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SPIN A FRACTURED FAIRYTALE

Get an advance copy, spin a fairytale with your fellow readers, and create a personalized friendship bracelet!

Time: 2:00 PM



BLIND DATE WITH A PAPERBACK!

Make your TBR dreams come true, and grab your next perfect read.

Time: 3:30 PM



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9:00AM

VL NATION

Snag some NOVL swag to proclaim your love for all things bookish!

10:00AM

SOMETHING WITCHY THIS WAY COMES GIVEAWAY







10:30AM

FOLLOW @THENOVL ON INSTAGRAM FOR SOMETHING POISONOUSLY GOOD!

11:00AM

KEEPING IT REAL GIVEAWAY



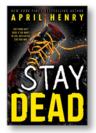




1:00 PM

THRILLER ROULETTE Roll the dice, win a thrilling prize!









2:00 PM

FANTASY HOUR GIVEAWAY







3:00 PM

ENTER THE GRANDEST GAME

Enter for a chance to win an early copy of The Grandest Game and maybe win some Hawthorne swag in the process!



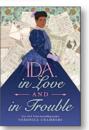


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ROMANCING THE TOME GIVEAWAY







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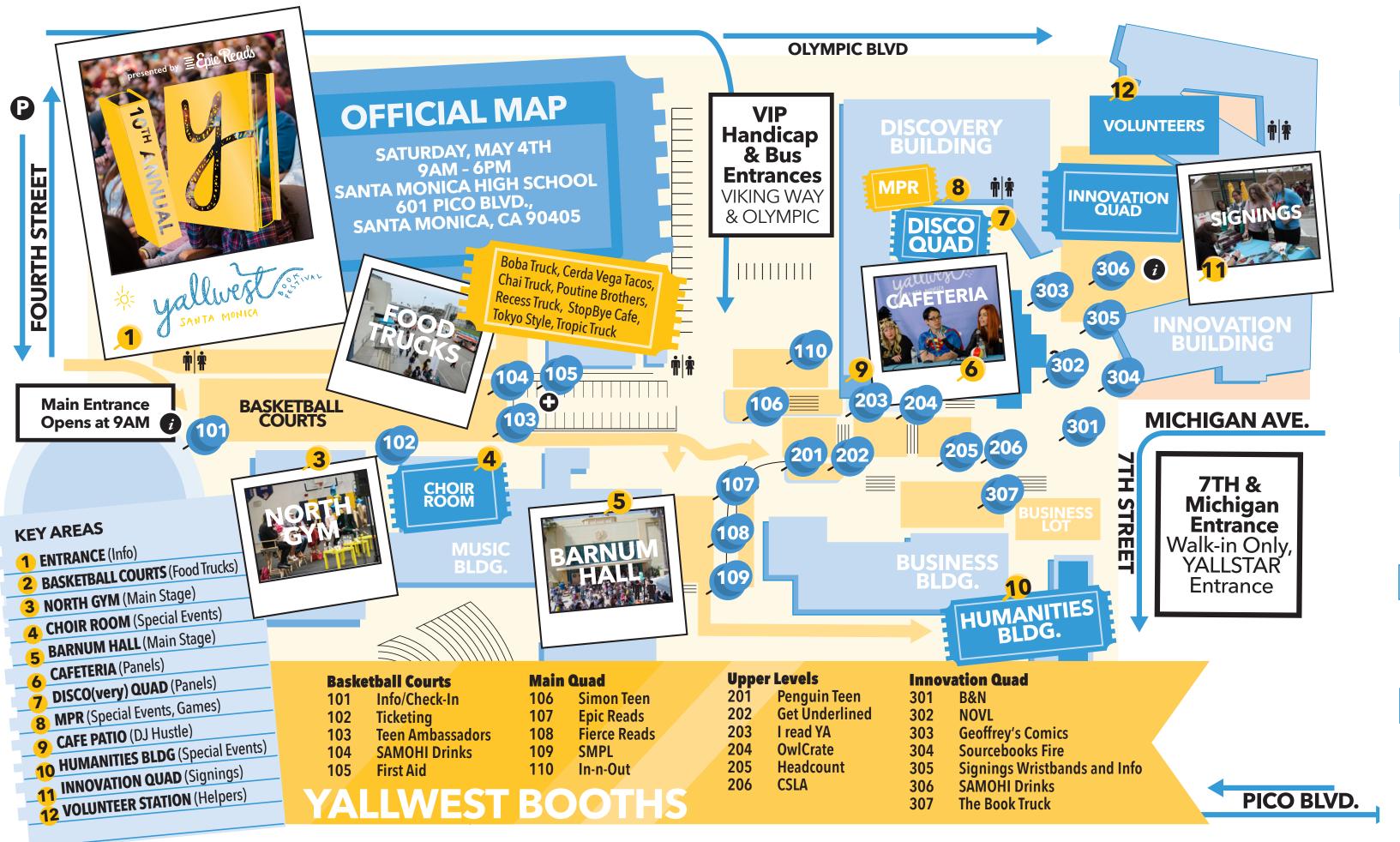












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INNOVATION QUAD

ALEX ASTER*

MELISSA DE LA CRUZ

TRACY DEONN*

NAMINA FORNA

STUART GIBBS

HOLLY GOLDBERG SLOAN

MIKE JOHNSTON

RYAN LA SALA

E. LOCKHART
TAHEREH MAFI*
SARAH MLYNOWSKI
JASON REYNOLDS*
ADAM SILVERA*
RAPHAEL SIMON
AMÉLIE WEN ZHAO

12PM

JADE ADIA VICTORIA AVEYARD* HAYLEY DENNINGS+ ADALYN GRACE* JORDAN IFUEKO YUME KITASEI JORDAN MORRIS AVA REID* RANSOM RIGGS* ANN ZHAO

1PM

ALEXANDRA BRACKEN*
KAMILAH COLE
HAFSAH FAIZAL*
AYANA GRAY
STACEY LEE
RACQUEL MARIE

DANIELLE PAIGE SARA RAASCH HAMISH STEELE VERONICA ROTH* AIDEN THOMAS* TRACY WOLFF*

2PM

RENÉE AHDIEH*
BETHANY BAPTISTE
SOMAN CHAINANI'
NIA DAVENPORT/
N.E. DAVENPORT
ALEXENE FAROL
FOLLMUTH/
OLIVIE BLAKE*

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3PM

JORGE CHAM ROBBIE COUCH STEPHANIE GARBER² ALAN GRATZ SARAH HENNING GORDON KORMAN JUDY I. LIN MARIE LU* ANGELA MONTOYA ND STEVENSON* ANGIE THOMAS*

4PM

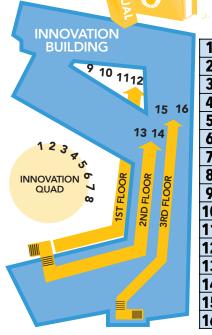
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ADDITIONAL SIGNING INFO ON NEXT PAGE

	9AM	10AM	11AM	12PM	1PM	2PM	3PM	4PM	5PM	FESTIVAL CLOSES
BARNUM HALL	FESTIVAL OPENS	OPENING KEYNOTE: Jason Reynolds & Stephanie Garber	SHELVING THE LIMITS	ROMANTASY RULES (THE WORLD)	WRITING, REINVENTION & NAVIGATING THE CREATIVE CAREER	BIG FANTASY ON THE BIG STAGE	AFTERNOON SPOTLIGHT		YALLWEST SMACKDOWN	
NORTH GYM			THE ONLY WAY OUT IS THROUGH	AUTHENTICITY & ORIGINALITY	FROM OBSCURITY TO THE OSCARS	READ THE RAINBOW	WRITING RELATIONSHIPS	THE STORY OF THE NEVERENDING STORY		FESTIVAL GROUNDS CLOSE AT 5PM
CAFETERIA	FOOD TRUCKS: BASKETBALL COURTS OPEN 9AM-5PM		HISTORICAL FRICTIONS	RE-RE-RETELLINGS & WHY WE LOVE THEM	PILLARS OF THRILLERS & KILLERS	WRITING THE REAL, STILL	THE ORIGINS OF STORIES	PROTAGONISTS AND PROPULSIVE PROBLEMS		BARNUM HALL STAYS OPEN THROUGH 6:30PM
DISCO(VERY) QUAD	VENDOR TENTS: MAIN QUADS		YALLWEST DEBUTS	10TH ANNUAL YALLWEST STORYBALL	FAMILY FEUD AT THE FEST	CRAFTING COMMUNITY WITH OWLCRATE	YALLTRUTH OR DARE	HOW READERS BECOME WRITERS		FORTHE ANNUAL SMACKDOWN.
MANITIES BLDG	BOOK SALES: OPEN 9AM-5PM		BOOK CRUSH WITH SIMON TEEN		READING ROMANCE WITH LOVE, UNDERLINED			OWLCRATE BOOK SWAP & GAMES		SEE YOU ALL NEXT YEAR
CHOIR ROOM				SO YOU THINK YOU CAN NARRATE						OR THIS FALL IN CHARLESTON, SC FOR
MPR					THE RAVENOUS SPEAKEASY		PENGUIN TEEN FANTASY HOUR			YALLFEST
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ADDITIONAL SIGNING INFORMATION



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	11:00 AM	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	4:00 PM	
1	E. LOCKHART		STACEY LEE		SARAH HENNING	MOLLY KNOX OSTERTAG	
2	HOLLY GOLDBERG SLOAN	JORDAN MORRIS	SARA RAASCH	LEWIS PETERSON	JORGE CHAM	KATE CHENLI	
3	MIKE JOHNSTON	JORDAN IFUEKO	KAMILAH COLE	BETHANY BAPTISTE	ROBBIE COUCH	JULIE BUXBAUM	
4	MELISSA DE LA CRUZ	YUMA KITASEI	DANIELLE PAIGE	MORGAN MATSON	ALAN GRATZ	ALISON ZAI	
5	MARGARET STOHL	ANN ZHAO	HAMISH STEELE	GRETCHEN SCHREIBER	GORDON KORMAN	LAMAR GILES	
6	SARAH MLYNOWSKI	JADE ADIA	RACQUEL MARIE	NIA DAVENPORT	ANGELA MONTOYA	NAOMI KANAKIA	
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9	STUART GIBBS	AVA REID		RENEE AHDIEH		BRENDAN REICHS	
10	AMÉLIE WEN ZHAO	ADALYN GRACE		SOMAN CHAINANI		KALYNN BAYRON	
11	RYAN LA SALA	VICTORIA AVEYARD		LAUREN ROBERTS			
12	TRACY DEONN		ALEXENE FAROL FOLLMUT		Н		
13	ADAM SILVERA		HAFSAH FAIZAL		MARIE LU		
14	ALEX ASTER		ALEXANDRA BRACKEN		STEPHANIE GARBER		
15	TAHEREH MAFI		VERONICA ROTH		ANGIE THOMAS		
16	JASON REYNOLDS		AIDEN THOMAS		ND STEVENSON		

SIGNING GUIDELINES

- Authors can sign up to three books per attendee
- •Limited, wristbanded signings are marked with an asterisk* on the schedule.
- •Wristbands will be distributed for designated authors per the listed schedule.
- •Queues for receiving wristbands can start 30 minutes prior to that distribution.
- Wristbands will be distributed at a designated Information Table in the Signing Area.
- •Those who receive wristbands can start lining up 30 minutes before signing time.
- For non-wristbanded signings: Lining up can start 20 minutes before signing time.
- Attendees needing accomodations for signing lines can fill out the form on this page or email rachel@yallwest. com and amanda@yallwest.com
- •Signing with arc giveaway noted with a plus+, first 50 people in line will receive an arc

SIGNING WRISTBAND SCHEDULE

9:00 AM	JASON REYNOLDS	11:30 AM	HAFSAH FAIZAL
9:30 AM	ALEX ASTER	12:00 PM	AIDEN THOMAS
9:30 AM	TRACY DEONN	12:00 PM	VERONICA ROTH
9:45 AM	ADAM SILVERA	12:30 PM	MARIE LU
9:45 AM	TAHEREH MAFI	12:30 PM	RENÉE AHDIEH
9:45 AM	AVA REID	1:00 PM	LAUREN ROBERTS
10:45 AM	RANSOM RIGGS	1:00 PM	ALEXENE FAROL
10:45 AM	TRACY WOLFF		FOLLMUTH
10:45 AM	VICTORIA AVEYARD	1:30 PM	ANGIE THOMAS
11:00 AM	SOMAN CHAINANI	2:00 PM	ND STEVENSON
11:00 AM	ADALYN GRACE	2:00 PM	STEPHANIE GARBER
11-30 AM	ALEXANDRA BRACKEN		





9:15 A.M. MAGIC 8 BALL HOUR FROM THE VAULT!

What will the Sourcebooks Fire Magic 8 Ball choose for you?

11:15 A.M. THE FATE OF MAGIC

By Sara Raasch and Beth Revis

12:00 P.M. A MID-DAY SNACK WITH MIDNIGHT READS

49 MILES ALONE A FAMILY OF KILLERS THIS BOOK KILLS by Ravena Guron

By Natalie D. Richards By Bryce Moore

2:15 P.M. THE ONES WHO COME BACK HUNGRY

by Amelinda Bérubé SISTERHOOD AND ZOMBIES

3:15 P.M. SNOW DROWNED

By Jennifer D. Lyle MIDSOMMAR IN A BLIZZARD

4:15 P.M. MAGIC 8 BALL HOUR

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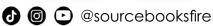












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10:00 AM

Fall into Fantasy Giveaway

Location: Underlined Booth

12:00 PM

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1:00 PM

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Location: Humanities Building

Come chat happily-ever-afters with Kaitlyn Hill, Angela Montoya, and Sabrina Fedel!

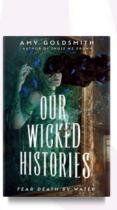


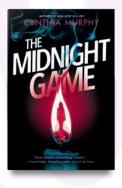
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Thrills and Chills Giveaway

Location: Underlined Booth











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SIGNING

11 AM • Author Signing Area

WRITING RELATIONSHIPS: THE GOOD, THE BAD, AND THE BESTIE 3 PM • North Gym

> THE STORY OF THE **NEVERENDING STORY:**

REINVENTING THE SERIES 4 PM • North Gym

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THE ONLY WAY OUT IS THROUGH: **REAL TALK ABOUT WRITERS BLOCK**

11 AM • North Gym

SIGNING

12 PM • Author Signing Area

THE ORIGIN OF STORIES: INSPIRATION, CONCENTRATION & IMAGINATION

3 PM • Cafeteria

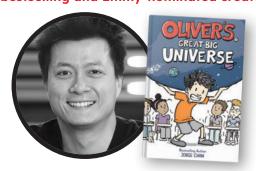
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PROTAGONISTS & **PROPULSIVE PROBLEMS**

to score an ARC of THE MAID AND THE CROCODILE*

4 PM • Cafeteria

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10TH ANNUAL YALLWEST STORYBALL

12 PM • Disco Quad

FROM OBSCURITY TO THE OSCARS: THE RISE OF THE GRAPHIC NOVEL (AND WHY IT MATTERS)

1 PM • North Gym

SIGNING

3 PM • Author Signing Area

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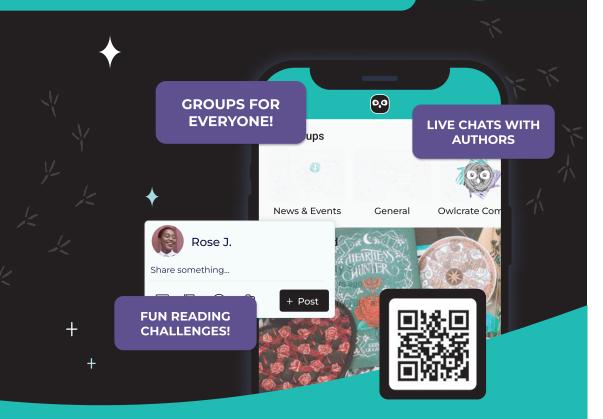
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SCHEDULE BY AUTHOR

JADE ADIA

11am The Only Way Out Is Through North Gym 12pm Signing 2pm Writing the Real, Still Innovation Quad Cafeteria

RENEE AHDIEH

11am Historical Frictions (M) Cafeteria Barnum Navigating the Creative Career Signing

ALEX ASTER

11am Signing Signing Writing Relationships Barnum Lot North Gym Neverending Story North Gym

VICTORIA AVEYARD

11am Shelving the Limits Barnum 12pm Signing 1pm Navigating the Creative Career (M) Barnum

BETHANY BAPTISTE

12pm Authenticity & Originality: North Gym Innovation Quad Signing Writing Relationships North Gym

KALYNN BAYRON

12pm Re-Re-Retelling Cafeteria Family Feud at the Fest Disco Quad Innovation Quad Signing

ALEXANDRA BRACKEN

12:00pm Romantasy Rules the World Barnum 1pm Signing 3pm Writing Relationships (M) Innovation Quad North Gym

JULIE BUXBAUM

Family Feud at the Fest Disco Quad Disco Quad YallTruth or Dare

SOMAN CHAINANI

12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall Navigating the Creative Career Rarnum Innovation Quad 3pm Signing

JORGE CHAM

12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall Disco Quad From Obscurity to the Oscars Innovation Quad Signing

KATE CHENLI

Disco Quad Cafeteria 11am Yallwest Debuts: Class of 2024 The Origin of Stories Innovation Quad

KAMILAH COLE

11am Yallwest Debuts: Class of 2024 Disco Quad Signing Neverending Story Innovation Quad

ROBBIE COUCH

12pm Finding Your Teen Voice North Gym Read the Rainbow (M) Signing North Gym Innovation Quad

NIA DAVENPORT

11am Shelving the Limits Pillars of Thrillers & Killers Cafeteria Signing Innovation Quad

MELISSA DE LA CRUZ

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library 11am Signing Innovation Quad 12pm Romantasy Rules the World (M) Barnum Disco Quad Family Feud at the Fest

HAYLEY DENNINGS

Cafeteria 12pm Signing
1pm (S) This Ravenous Fate Speakeasy
3pm Writing Relationships Innovation Quad North Gym

TRACY DEONN

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library 11am Signing 2pm Big Fantasy On the Big Stage 3pm The Origin of Stories Innovation Quad Cafeteria

HAFSAH FAIZAL

Fierce Friday Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library 12pm Romantasy Rules the World Barnum Innovation Quad 1pm Signing 3pm Afternoon Spotlight Barnum

ALEXENE FAROL FOLLMUTH

11am Shelving the Limits Barnum 12pm Re-Re-Retellings Cafeteria Innovation Quad Signing

NAMINA FORNA

11am Signing Innovation Quad Big Fantasy On the Big Stage Barnum
Protagonists & Propulsive Problems Cafeteria

STEPHANIE GARBER

Santa Monica Library 10am Opening Keynote 12pm Romantasy Rules the World Barnum Signing Innovation Quad

STUART GIBBS

Signing Family Feud at the Fest Innovation Quad Disco Quad Writing the Real, Still

LAMAR GILES

11am Sponsor ARC Signing 1pm Pillars of Thrillers & Killers 3pm YallTruth or Dare Cafeteria Disco Quad Signing Innovation Quad

HOLLY GOLDBERG SLOAN

11am Signing I 12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall 1pm Family Feud at the Fest Innovation Quad Disco Quad Family Feud at the Fest Writing the Real, Still Disco Quad Cafeteria

ADALYN GRACE

Santa Monica Library Innovation Quad Fierce Friday 12pm Signing 2pm Big Fantasy On the Big Stage 3pm The Origin of Stories (M) Rarnum

ALAN GRATZ

11am Historical Frictions & Fictional Histories Cafeteria Disco Quad 1pm Family Feud at the Fest Innovation Quad

AYANA GRAY

North Gym 12pm Finding Your Teen Voice Signing
How Readers Become Writers Innovation Quad Disco Quad

SARAH HENNING

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library 12pm Re-Re-Retellings 1pm Pillars of Thrillers & Killers Cafeteria Cafeteria Innovation Quad

JORDAN IFUEKO

North Gym 11am The Only Way Out Is Through Innovation Quad 12pm Signing 3pm The Origin of Stories Cafeteria

CAROLINA IXTA

11am Yallwest Debuts: Class of 2024 Disco Quad Writing the Real, Still Innovation Quad Signing

MIKE JOHNSTON

11am Signing I 12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall Innovation Quad Disco Quad 1pm Family Feud at the Fest Disco Quad

NAOMI KANAKIA

2pm Read the Rainbow North Gym The Origin of Stories Cafetéria 4pm Signing Innovation Quad

YUME KITASEI

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library 11am Shelving the Limits of the Single Shelf Barnum
12pm Signing Innovation Quad
4pm How Readers Become Writer Disco Quad

GORDON KORMAN

Family Feud at the Fest Disco Quad Writing the Real, Still Cafeteria Signing Innovation Quad

RYAN LA SALA

11am Signing 1nm Pillars of Thrillers & Killers Innovation Quad Cafeteria North Gym Read the Rainbow

STACEY LEE

11am Frictions & Fictional Histories Cafeteria 1pm Signing 3pm YallTruth or Dare Innovation Quad Disco Quad

JUDY I. LIN

1pm Writing, Reinvention & Navigating the Creative Barnum Career Signing How Readers Become Writers Innovation Quad Disco Quad

E. LOCKHART

11am Signing I 1pm Navigating the Creative Career Innovation Quad Barnum Writing the Real, Still (M) Cafeteria

MARIE LU

Pillars of Thrillers & Killers (M) Cafeteria Big Fantasy On the Big Stage Barnum Signing Innovation Quad

TAHEREH MAFI

11am Signing Innovation Quad Afternoon Spotlight Protagonists & Propulsive Problems Cafeteria

RACQUEL MARIE

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Public Library 12pm Finding Your Teen Voice 1pm Signing 3pm The Origin of Stories Innovation Quad

MORGAN MATSON

12pm Re-Re-Retellings & Why We Love Them Cafeteria 1pm Writing, Reinvention & Navigating the Creative Career Innovation Quad 2pm Signing

ZOE HANA MIKUTA

Fierce Friday Santa 12pm Re-Re-Retellings 2pm Navigating the Creative Career Santa Monica Library Signing Innovation Quad

SARAH MLYNOWSKI

11am Signing I 12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall Innovation Quad Disco Quad Family Feud at the Fest (M)

ANGELA MONTOYA

11am Yallwest Debuts: Class of 2024 (M) Disco Quad 1pm

Sponsor: Reading Romance with Love Crafting Community with OwlCrate Disco Quad Signing Innovation Quad

JORDAN MORRIS

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RYAN NORTH

1pm From Obscurity to the Oscars (M) North Gym Writing Relationships North Gym Innovation Quad

MOLLY KNOX OSTERTAG

Fierce Friday 11am (S) Meet I read YA Authors Santa Monica Library Booth From Obscurity to the Oscars North Gym 2pm Read the 4pm Signing Read the Rainbow

Innovation Quad

DANIELLE PAIGE

12pm Re-Re-Retellings (M) Cafeteria Innovation Quad Cafeteria Signing Prropulsive Problems (M)

LEWIS PETERSON

1pm Family Feud at the Fest Disco Quad Signing YallTruth or Dare Innovation Quad Disco Quad

SARA RAASCH

11am Frictions & Fictional Histories Cafeteria Innovation Quad Signing Innovation Quad How Readers Become Writers (M) Disco Quad

BRENDAN REICHS

11am The Only Way Out Is Through (M) North Gym YallTruth or Dare (M) Signing Disco Quad

AVA REID

11am Shelving the Limits of the Single Shelf Barnum 12pm Signing Innovation Quad 2pm Crafting Community with OwlCrate Disco Quad 3pm Afternoon Spotlight Barnum

JASON REYNOLDS

10am Opening Keynote 11am Signing Innovation Quad 4pm Protagonists & Propulsive Problems Cafeteria

RANSOM RIGGS

11am Historical Frictions Cafeteria 12pm Signing Inn 2pm Big Fantasy On the Big Stage (M) Innovation Quad Barnum

LAUREN ROBERTS

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library
12pm Romantasy Rules the World Barnum
2pm Signing Innovation Quad
4pm Neverending Story North Gym

VERONICA ROTH

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library
11am Shelving the Limits (M) Barnum
1pm Signing Innovation Quad
4pm Protagonists & Propulsive Problems Cafeteria

GRETCHEN SCHREIBER

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library
12pm Authenticity & Originality: Finding Your Teen
Voice (M) North Gym
2pm Signing Innovation Quad
4pm How Readers Become Writers Disco Quad

ADAM SILVERA

11am Signing Innovation Quad 2pm Big Fantasy On the Big Stage Barnum 3pm Afternoon Spotlight Barnum

RAPHAEL SIMON

11am Signing Innovation Quad 12pm 10th Annual Yallwest StoryBall (M) Disco Quad

HAMISH STEELE

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11am The Only Way Out Is Through North Gym
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ND STEVENSON

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AIDEN THOMAS

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TRACY WOLFF

11am The Only Way Out Is Through North Gym 12pm Romantasy Rules the World Barnum 1pm Signing Innovation Quad

ALISON ZAI

1pmFrom Obscurity to the OscarsNorth Gym3pmYallTruth or DareDisco Quad4pmSigningInnovation Quad

ANN ZHAO

Friday: Sponsor: Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library
11am YALLWEST Debuts: Class of 2024 Disco Quad
12pm Signing Innovation Quad
2pm Read the Rainbow North Gym

AMELIE WEN ZHAO

Fierce Friday Santa Monica Library
11am Signing Innovation Quad
12pm Finding Your Teen Voice North Gym
4pm Neverending Story (M) North Gym

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