



Saturday, April 5, 2014

2nd ANNUAL

SAN ANTONIO BOOK FESTIVAL

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VENUE

10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm 1:00 pm 2:00 pm 3:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm -

West Terrace (3rd Floor of Central Library)

10-10:45am: Alfredo Corchado (Midnight in Mexico: A Reporter's Journey Through a Country's Darkness) in conversation with Ambassador Antonio Garza

11-11:45am: Philipp Meyer (The Son) in conversation with Michael Fischer

12-12:45am: Laura Lippman (After I'm Gone) Moderator: Jan Jarboe Russell

1-1:45am: Sandra Cisneros performs from her new and old works. Moderator: Ramiro Salazar

2-3pm: Women Writers on the Cost of Combat with Artis Henderson (Unremarried Widow); Cara Hoffman (Be Safe I Love You); and Roxana Robinson (Sparta) Moderator: Amanda Eyre Ward

3:15-4pm: Wil S. Hylton on his book Vanished: The Sixty-Year Search for the Missing Men of World War II Moderator: Phil Hardberger

4:15-5:15pm: A Celebration of Emerging Voices with writers Fernando Flores (Death to the Bullshit Artists of South Texas, Vol. 1); Roberto Montes (I Don't Know Do You); Natalia O. Treviño (Lavando La Dirty Laundry), with poet and emcee Carmen Tafolla (This River Here: Poems of San Antonio)

Empire Theatre (224 E. Houston St.)



2:30-3:15pm: Johnny Cash: The Life with biographer Robert Hilburn Moderator: John Taliaferro

3:30-4:15pm: Jane Pauley (Your Life Calling: Reimagining the Rest of Your Life) in conversation with Ursula Pari

6:30-8pm: Literary Death Match - SPONSORED BY RICO PRODUCTS COMPANY (for tickets, see http://www.saplf.org/festival); with Authors Owen Egerton, How Best to Avoid Dying: Stories; Roxana Robinson, Sparta; Antonio Sacre, My Name Is Cool: Stories from a Cuban-Irish-American Storyteller; Maria Alegria, Border Town #4: No Second Chances. Judges: Molly Cox, chief of engagement for San Antonio's SA2020 and 2013 Emcee for TEDxSanAntonio; Jake Silverstein, Editor-in-Chief, Texas Monthly; Maria Cristina Marrero, Editor-in-Chief, Siempre Mujer. Emcee: Adrian Todd Zuniga

Literary Death Match.

Auditorium (1st Floor of Central Library)

10-10:45am: America's Fiscal Constitution with former Houston mayor Bill White Moderator: Evan Smith

11-11:45am: The Crusades of Cesar Chavez with biographer Miriam Pawel Moderator: Gregg Barrios

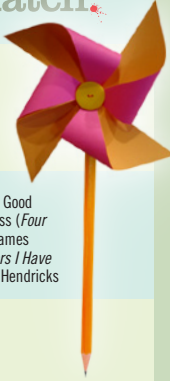
Noon-1pm: Our Town: Stories That Shaped San Antonio with Nick Kotz (The Harness Maker's Dream) and Ignacio Garcia (When Mexicans Could Play Ball) Moderator: Gilbert Garcia

1:15-2pm: The Boom: How Fracking Ignited American Energy and Changed the World with Russell Gold Moderator: Robert Rivard

2:15-3:15pm: Spies Like Us: The NSA, Big Brother, and Democracy with Heidi Boghosian (Spying on Democracy) and John Prados (The Family Jewels: The CIA, Secrecy, and Presidential Power) Moderator: Callie Enlow

3:30-4:15pm: Richard Rodriguez on his new book Darling: A Spiritual Autobiography Moderator: Virgil Elizondo Introducer: John Phillip Santos

4:30-5:15pm: Kevin Powers (Letter Composed During a Lull in the Fighting: Poems) in conversation with Jake Silverstein



Gallery (1st Floor of Central Library)

10-10:45am: Maria Kodama Remembers Her Life with Jorge Luis Borges Moderator: Gwendolyn Diaz Introducer: Ramiro Salazar

11-11:45am: John Wayne: The Life and Legend with biographer Scott Eymann Moderator: Jim Mendiola

Noon-12:45pm: No Farewell to Arms: Texas, Violence, and History with Elizabeth Crook (Monday, Monday) and Kathleen Kent (The Outcasts) Moderator: Stephen Harrigan

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2:15-3:15pm: Dry Country: Water Issues in Texas with David K. Langford (Hillingdon Ranch, Four Seasons, Six Generations), Char Miller (On the Edge: Water, Immigration, and Politics in the Southwest), and Charles R. Porter (Spanish Water, Anglo Water) Moderator: David Ladensohn

3:30-4:15pm: Bestselling kid's writer Brandon Mull talks about his book Five Kingdoms: Sky Raiders Moderator: David Liss

4:30-5:30pm: The Big Con: Why I Love a Good Scam Artist with David Liss (Four Summoners' Tales) and James Magnuson (Famous Writers I Have Known) Moderator: David Hendricks

Rogers Hall Southwest School of Art, Navarro Campus (1st Floor)

10-10:45am: Dallas 1963 with Bill Minutaglio and Steven L. Davis Moderator: Cary Clack

11am-Noon: Authentic Texas: People of the Big Bend with Marcia Hatfield Daudistel Moderator: Scott Martin

12:15-1pm: John Taliaferro on his book All The Great Prizes: The Life of John Hay, from Lincoln to Roosevelt Moderator: Charles Lohrmann

1:15-2:15pm: Ted Flato and David Lake (Lake/Flato Houses: Embracing the Landscape) Moderator: Frederick Steiner

2:30-3:15pm: Surf Texas with Kenny Braun Moderator: Sandy McNab

3:30-4:30pm: Sagrado: A Photopoetics Across the Chicano Homeland with Spencer R. Herrera and Levi Romero Moderator: Arturo Madrid

Swartz Room (2nd Floor of Central Library)

10-10:45am: Let the People In: The Life and Times of Ann Richards with biographer Jan Reid Moderator: Jan Jarboe Russell

11-11:45am: The Texas Cavaliers' Fiction Contest Awards Presentation by King Antonio, with emcee Carmen Tafolla and reader Jenny Browne

Noon-12:45pm: Last Stand at Khe Sanh: The U.S. Marines' Finest Hour in Vietnam with Pulitzer Prize finalist Gregg Jones Moderator: Rick Casey

1-2pm: De Dónde Eres: Wrestling with Ethnicity with Tim Z. Hernandez (Mañana Means Heaven); Ito Romo (The Border Is Burning); and Mario Alberto Zambrano (Lotería) Moderator: Michael Soto

2:15-3pm: National Book Award finalist Kathi Appelt on her new kid's book The True Blue Scouts of Sugar Man Swamp Moderator: Viki Ash

3:15-4:15pm: Why I Write YA with Malin Alegria (Pueblo Fronterizo No. 2: Guerra de quinceañeras/Border Town #4: No Second Chances) Sophie Jordan (Uninvited) Sherry Thomas (The Burning Sky) Moderator: Jennifer Velásquez

4:30-5:15pm: Things I've Learned About Dying: David Dow talks about defending Texas Death Row inmates Moderator: Dr. Roger Barnes

Copper Kitchen (Southwest School of Art, Ursuline Campus)

10-10:45am: The Fighting Life of Boxing's Invisible Champion, Floyd Paterson with W.K. Stratton Moderator: Thomas Zigal

11-11:45am: Leila Meacham (Somerset) Moderator: Veronica Goldbach

Noon-12:45pm: Run, Brother, Run: A Memoir of Violence in My Family with David Berg Moderator: Nelson Wolff

1-2pm: New Border Voices with John Fry, Genaro Gonzalez, and Emmy Pérez Moderator: Rob Johnson

2:15-3:15pm: Strange Roots: Characters Whose Parents Aren't What They Seem with Paulette Jiles (Lighthouse Island) and Robert Jackson Bennett (American Elsewhere) Moderator: Nan Cuba

3:30-4:30pm: Stories of the Absurd with Bill Cotter (The Parallel Apartments) and Owen Egerton (How Best to Avoid Dying) Moderator: Yvette Benavides

4:45-5:30pm: How Three People Wrote a Mystery Series Without Murdering Each Other, with James R. Dennis, Brent Douglass, and John T. Davis Moderator: Jay Brandon

Story Room (3rd Floor of Central Library)

10-10:45am: M. M. McAllen (Maximilian and Carlota: Europe's Last Empire in Mexico) Moderator: David Martin Davies

11-11:45am: William Pitt Root & Pamela Uschuk read from their latest poetry collections Moderator: Sheila Black This session co-sponsored by Gemini Ink & Wings Press

Noon-1pm: Geography Matters: Writing Sense of Place with Harry Hunsicker (The Contractors), Thomas Zigal (Many Rivers to Cross), David Marion Wilkinson (Where the Mountains Are Thieves) Moderator: Joe Holley

1:15-2pm: William Pitt Root talks about translating Pablo Neruda Moderator: Bill Fisher This session co-sponsored by Gemini Ink & Wings Press

2:15-3:15pm: A Tribute to National Poetry Month with Jenny Browne (Dear Stranger); Rosemary Catacalos (Again for the First Time); and Michael Collins (The Traveling Queen: Poems) Moderator: Jim LaVilla-Havelin

3:30-4:30pm: Murder, He Wrote with John Davidson (The Obedient Assassin) and John C. Kerr (Hurricane Hole) Moderator: Ed Conroy

Children's Reading Tent (Library Plaza, outside on grounds of Central Library)

10-10:30am: Brian Floca (Locomotive)

10:30-11am: Carolyn Dee Flores (Canta, Rana, Canta /Sing, Froggie, Sing)

11-11:30am: Duncan Tonatiuh (Pancho Rabbit and the Coyote: A Migrant's Tale)

11:30am-Noon: Antonio Sacre (A Mango in the Hand: A Story Told Through Proverbs)

Noon-12:30pm: Samantha R. Vamos (The Cazuela That the Farm Maiden Stirred)

12:30-1pm: Break

1-1:30pm: Joe Cepeda (Cub's Big World)

1:30-2pm: Lupe Ruiz-Flores (Lupita's First Dance/ El Primer Baile de Lupita)

2-2:30pm: René Colato Lainez (Senior Pancho Had a Rancho)

2:30-3:15pm: Xavier Garza talks about his book for middle-grade readers, Maximilian and the Bingo Rematch

3:15-4pm: Angela Cervantes presents her new book Gaby, Lost and Found

4-5pm: Magik Theatre!



Central Market Cooking Tent (Southwest School of Art, Ursuline Campus parking lot)

10-11am: The Prophets of Smoked Meats: A Journey Through Texas Barbecue with Texas Monthly barbecue editor Daniel Vaughn Moderator: Edmund Tijerina

11:30-12:30am: Adán Medrano (Truly Texas Mexican: A Native Culinary Heritage in Recipes)

1-2pm: Cynthia Graubart (Mastering the Art of Southern Cooking)

2:30-3:30pm: Teeny Lamothe (Teeny's Tour of Pie)

4-5pm: David Sterling (Yucatán: Recipes from a Culinary Expedition)

