

BUCKEYE BOOK FAIR 2023



BUCKEYE BOOK CRAWL

Monday, October 30 through
Friday, November 3rd, 2023
Open to the Public

STUDENT LITERACY CONFERENCE

Thursday, November 2nd, 2023
Students 9th-12th Grades
Registration Required

YOUNG AUTHORS CONFERENCE

Friday, November 3rd, 2023
Students 3rd - 8th Grades
Registration Required

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BUCKEYE BOOK FAIR

Saturday, November 4th, 2023 | 9:30am - 4:00pm

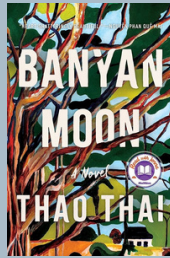
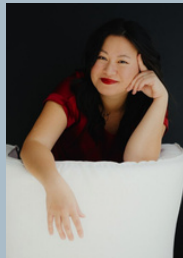
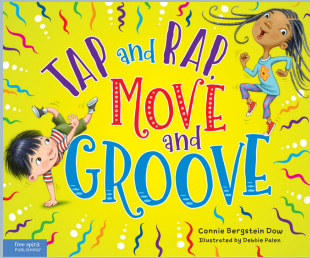
GREYSTONE EVENT CENTER
50 Riffel Road | Wooster, Ohio



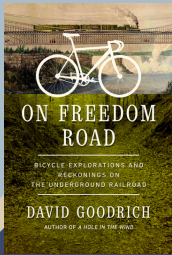
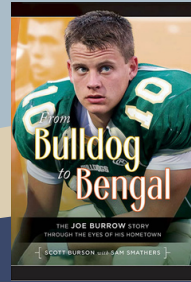
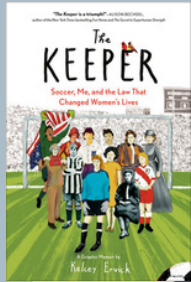
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BOOK BITS:2023 PRESENTERS

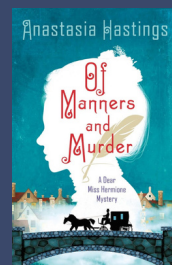
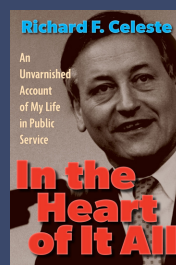
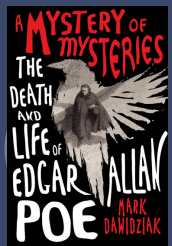


On Saturday, November 4th, at 9:30 AM, the Buckeye Book Fair will commence its celebration of authors! This schedule offers a mere glimpse of the exceptional authors, illustrators, and presenters attending our event. Don't miss this day of literary festivities; we're presenting 12 captivating sessions at Greystone Event Center in Wooster, Ohio that book enthusiasts will cherish. Join us for a day of profound exploration and inspiration. This catalog offers a comprehensive list of authors attending the Buckeye Book Fair.



Book Bits: Presentation Schedule

- 9:40 Creative Movement with Connie Bergstein Dow
- 10:00 Coffee & Conversation with Thao Thai
- 11:00 Footprints in Time: Hiking, Preservation, & Mythical Landscapes Panel with Jeff Alt, Mary Kay Carson, Dianna Rhyan, and Jade Rush
- 11:30 In the Heart of Ohio: A Journey with Governor Richard F. Celeste
- 12:00 Kicking off the Conversation: Sports Panel with Marc Bona, Scott Burson, Kelcey Ervick, David Lee Morgan, Jr., and Sam Smathers
- 12:30 Drawing Life: Kelcey Ervick's Journey in Graphic Memoir with 'Keeper'
- 1:00 Artistic Showdown: Jerzy Drozd vs. Merrell Rainey Draw Along
- 1:30 On Freedom Road: David Goodrich's Journey on the Underground Railroad by Bicycle
- 2:00 The Unveiling of Poe: Exploring the Mystery Behind Edgar Allen Poe's Demise
- 2:30 Writers Unveiled: A Journey into the Craft of Storytelling with Kristy Boyce, Ashley Aya Ferguson, Jonathan Knight, Julie Ann Lindsey, Jessica Stawser, and Brianna Wilkoff
- 3:00 Whodunnit & Why: Mystery with Master Storytellers Linda Castillo, Shelley Costa, Amanda Flower, Anastasia Hastings, Anna Lee Huber, Katheryn Long, and Abby Vandiver
- 3:30 Young Voices, Bold Choices: YA Authors Unleash Their Sass
- 4:00 Final opportunity to make your purchase!



The Board of Directors of Buckeye Authors Book Fair Committee, Inc. thank you for supporting The Buckeye Book Fair. The information in this brochure is accurate to September 18, 2023, and is subject to changes. The Buckeye Book Fair is a community-driven initiative headquartered in Wooster, Ohio, with Kimberly Jarvis serving as the Executive Director. It plays a vital role in promoting literacy, supporting Ohio authors, and nurturing a passion for reading among individuals of all ages. By hosting events and showcasing a wide array of books, the Buckeye Book Fair creates a vibrant literary platform that benefits both the community and State of Ohio.



IN PARTNERSHIP WITH WAYNE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

BUCKEYE BOOK CRAWL

Wooster, Ohio

Mindy McGinnis | Monday 10/30 at 6pm

A LONG STRETCH OF BAD DAYS

Books in Stock Used and Rare Books: 140 E Liberty St, Wooster, OH 44691

Catch the wave of intrigue! Join us at Books In Stock Used and Rare Books for an exclusive book signing event with Mindy McGinnis, the mastermind behind the thrilling YA mystery that's got readers buzzing. Dive into a small town's dark past and secrets uncovered by two determined teens and a captivating podcast. Don't miss your chance to get your copy signed and delve into the gripping world of *The Long Stretch of Bad Days*.

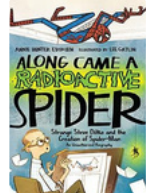


Annie Hunter Eriksen | Wednesday 11/1 at 4pm

ALONG CAME A RADIOACTIVE SPIDER: STRANGE STEVE DITKO AND THE CREATION OF SPIDER-MAN

Undergrounds Café & Coffee House: Liberty Street Commons, 146 E Liberty St, Wooster, OH 44691

Join us at Undergrounds Café & Coffee House for a thrilling evening with author Annie Hunter Eriksen as she unveils the untold story of Spider-Man's creation. Spider-Man costumes are encouraged, and we've got exciting surprises, including a costume contest with fantastic prizes. Embrace your inner web-slinger and swing by!



Anastasia Hastings | Thursday 11/2 at 7pm

COZY MYSTERY BOOK: OF MANNERS AND MURDER

Grigio Wine & Cocktail Bar: 211 S Market St, Wooster, OH 44691

Join us on Thursday, 11/2 at 7 pm at Grigio Wine and Cocktail Bar for a captivating evening with Anastasia Hastings. Sip on the special "Guild Aviation" cocktail using the code "Agony Aunt Says" and delve into the enchanting world of her book *Of Manners and Murder*. Unveil secrets in Victorian London with a tale that blends the brilliance of Wilkie Collins, the wit of Jane Austen, and the humor of Oscar Wilde. Don't miss this thrilling literary experience!

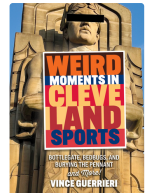


Sports Panel | Friday 11/3 from 4-6pm

TOM WOLF, LEE ELDER, J DANIEL, VINCE GUERRIERI

Minglewood Distilling Company: 437 E South St, Wooster, OH 44691

Get ready for an exciting Sports Panel on Friday, 11/3, from 4-6 pm at Minglewood Distilling Company. Join sports enthusiasts Tom Wolf, Lee Elder, J Daniel, and Vince Guerrieri for engaging discussions. Plus, enjoy free tours of the distillery by using the exclusive password, "Buckeye Bourbon." Don't miss this spirited event!

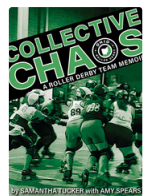


Samantha Tucker and Amy Spears | Friday 11/3 at 8pm

COLLECTIVE CHAOS: A ROLLER DERBY TEAM MEMOIR

Acres of Fun: 3889 Friendsville Rd, Wooster, OH 44691

Lace up your skates and join us at Acres of Fun on Friday, 11/3, at 8 pm for an electrifying roller derby book signing! Meet Samantha Tucker and Amy Spears, the roller derby mavens from Columbus, Ohio. Their debut book, *Collective Chaos: A Roller Derby Team Memoir*, rolls back the years, exploring the roots of modern roller derby through Ohio's pioneers. Expect an evening of adrenaline, tales of triumph, and a thrilling derby spirit! If you mention the magic words "Collective Chaos" at the event, you'll receive a complimentary skate rental!



Buckeye Book Fair | Saturday 11/4 9:30am - 4:00pm

OVER 100 AUTHORS AND ILLUSTRATORS WITH THEIR BOOKS!

Greystone Event Center: 50 Riffle Road, Wooster, OH 44691

As the final stop on the Buckeye Book Crawl, we're celebrating a literary journey like no other. With over 100 authors and illustrators, 12 captivating presentations featuring Ohio's finest new releases, and the joy of all-day book sniffing, it's an event not to be missed. Every book sold supports literacy charity, making your reading adventures even more meaningful. Join us for this grand finale!



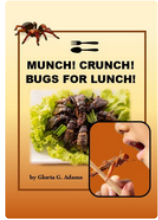
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GLORIA G. ADAMS

Munch! Crunch! Bugs for Lunch!\$10.99
James A. Bailey: The Genius Behind the Barnum & Bailey Circus\$21.95



Will bugs for lunch be on your menu in the future? More than 2 billion people around the world already include insects in their diets. More and more companies are producing new insect-based products every year. **Munch! Crunch! Bugs for Lunch!** offers timely information about the practice of eating insects, entomophagy, and is a kid-friendly addition to the elementary school curriculum, as well as a general interest book for kids everywhere. Gloria G. Adams works from her home in Stow, Ohio, writing fiction and nonfiction, as well as working as a freelance editor for Two-4-One Kid Critiques. She is represented by Lisa Amstutz at Storm Literary Agency. Find more information at GloriaGAdams.com.



RACHELE ALPINE

The Invincible Girls Club Unstoppable Collection (Boxed Set)\$34.99
Home Sweet Forever Home\$6.99
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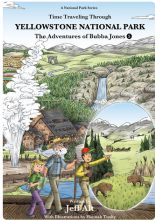


Rachele Alpine's first jobs was at a library, but it didn't last long, because all she did was hide in the third-floor stacks and read. Now she's a little more careful about when and where she indulges her reading habit. By day she's a high school English teacher, by night a parent of two boys, and a kidlit author during any time she can find in between. You can read more about her writing on her website: RacheleAlpine.com and follow her on Instagram: @RacheleAlpine.



JEFF ALT

Yellowstone: Bubba Jones #5.....\$9.99
Grand Canyon: Bubba Jones #4.....\$9.99
Acadia National: Bubba Jones #3.....\$9.99



Jeff Alt, from the Cincinnati area, is an adventurer, speaker, and an award-winning author of eight books. His latest book, **Time Traveling Through Yellowstone National Park**, is the fifth book in his middle-grade national park series. Alt has been hiking since his youth. He has walked the entire 2,160-mile Appalachian Trail, the 218-mile John Muir Trail with his wife, and he carried his 21-month-old daughter along the coast of Ireland on a family hike. His son was on the Appalachian Trail at 6 weeks of age. Find out more on the web: JeffAlt.com, Facebook: @HikerJeffAlt and Instagram: @Alt.Jeff



TIMOTHY G. ANDERSON

Settling Ohio: First Peoples and Beyond\$28.95



Timothy G. Anderson is Associate Professor of Geography at Ohio University where he teaches courses in cultural and historical geography. His research focuses on the production of regional cultural landscapes in Ohio during the Federal era, the formation of America's regional cultures, and issues related to governmentality and spatialization theory.



MINDEE ARNETT

Riven\$19.99
Onyx & Ivory\$12.99
Shadow & Flame\$12.99



Mindee Arnett lives on a farm in Germantown, Ohio with her husband, two kids, and undisclosed number of animals. When not telling tales of magic, the supernatural, or outer space, she can be found on a horse. Her latest book is the young adult fantasy **Riven**. Visit her at her website: MindeeArnett.com and check out her social media Facebook Page: @Mindee.Arnett.



JILL BASCOM & JUDY PEZDIR

Fainting Freddie Faces Halloween\$11.99
Fainting Freddie Faces Santa\$11.99
Fainting Freddie and the Easter Surprise ...\$11.99



Judy Pezdir and Jill Bascom are a mother-daughter team of artists from Cleveland Heights, OH. They developed the Fainting Freddie children's book character after being enchanted with the naturally hilarious myotonic, or fainting, goat, which are known for stiffening up and falling over at the slightest fright or noise. Blending hilarious misadventures with beautifully painted watercolor illustrations, Fainting Freddie shows children the power of facing your fears and also knowing your limits. On Facebook @FaintingFreddie.



JENN BISHOP

Free Throws, Friendship, and Other Things We Fouled Up\$17.99
Where We Used to Roam\$8.99
Things You Can't Say\$8.99



Jenn Bishop, from Cincinnati, Ohio, is the author of five novels for grades 4-8. Her latest, **Free Throws, Friendship, and Other Things We Fouled Up**, is a fast-paced novel about two girls finding the truth about themselves-and their families-against the backdrop of middle school and college hoops in the Queen City. Her books have been named Junior Library Guild selections and Bank Street College of Education best books and have been finalists for state book awards. Visit her at JennBishop.com.



MARC BONA

Not Your Average Joe\$16.95
Hidden History of Cleveland Sports\$21.99
The Reason We Play\$27.99

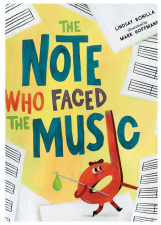


Marc Bona is a features writer for cleveland.com. He teamed with Dan Murphy to write **Not Your Average Joe**, which details the life of Cleveland Browns great Joe Thomas, who is going into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2023. Bona is at @MBona30 for Twitter "X" and Instagram.



LINDSAY BONILLA

The Note Who Faced the Music\$18.99
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I Love You With All of My Hearts\$13.99



Lindsay Bonilla is from North Canton, Ohio. She is an author and professional storyteller who loves visiting schools, libraries and venues of all kinds to share her own stories and multicultural folktales with audiences of all ages. When not writing and performing, Lindsay loves reading, running, playing tennis and traveling the world with her husband and two sons. Her latest book, *The Note Who Faced the Music*, is a hilarious, pun-filled tale of friendship and self-worth. Perfect for music lovers, it's sure to strike a chord with anyone who's felt flat, ringing with reassurance that we're all key players. Learn more about Lindsay at LindsayBonilla.com, And find her on: Facebook: @Author&StorytellerLindsayBonilla, Twitter "X": @LindsayBonilla, and Instagram: @LindsayBonilla40



LOUISE BORDEN

Off to First Grade\$17.99
Across the Blue Pacific\$7.99
Full Speed Ahead! America's First Admiral: David Glasgow Farragut\$18.99

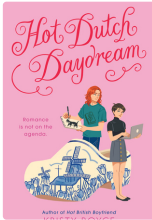


Louise Borden is from Cincinnati, OH and is the author of many books for young readers. Her subjects range from first graders to World War II. *Ski Soldier* was called a "rare gem" by Kirkus Reviews and was a Junior Library Guild selection. Louise Borden's *Full Speed Ahead!* (November 2021), recounts the life of David G. Farragut who joined the U.S. Navy at age eight and who signed a warrant at age nine to defend his country. Farragut served fifteen U.S. presidents and became America's first admiral. Louise has spoken at hundreds of schools, libraries, and museums across the country. See her award-winning books and trailers at: LouiseBorden.com On Twitter "X" @LouiseBorden



KRISTY BOYCE

Hot Dutch Daydream\$15.99
Hot British Boyfriend\$11.99

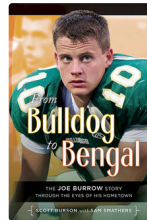


Kristy Boyce is the author of two young adult contemporary romance novels: *Hot British Boyfriend* and *Hot Dutch Daydream*. Both novels explore teen friendship and first love while traveling abroad to Europe and are written for readers aged 13+. *Hot Dutch Daydream* is a Junior Library Gold Standard Selection. In addition to being a writer, Kristy is a senior lecturer in the psychology department at The Ohio State University and lives in Pickerington, OH with her family. She also runs an annual writing retreat at the English manor that inspired her first novel. You can find Kristy on Instagram @KristyLBoyce and on her website: KristyBoyceAuthor.com



SCOTT BURSON & SAM SMATHERS

From Bulldog to Bengal: The Joe Burrow Story Through the Eyes of His Hometown\$24.95



Scott Burson and Sam Smathers are co-authors of *From Bulldog to Bengal: The Joe Burrow Story Through the Eyes of His Hometown*. The authors have deep roots in Athens County, where Joe Burrow grew up. Burson is the author of four books and currently serves as a professor at Indiana Wesleyan University. Smathers was Burrow's first youth football coach. His garage, affectionately known as The Dawg Pound, houses an impressive collection of Joe Burrow memorabilia. You can follow Scott Burson on Twitter "X" at [ProfessorBengal09](https://twitter.com/ProfessorBengal09) at [KidFromSEOhio](https://twitter.com/KidFromSEOhio). #FromBulldogToBengal #JoeBurrow



MARCY CAMPBELL

The More You Give \$18.99
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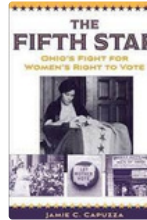


Marcy Campbell is a best-selling, award-winning author of picture books and novels for children. Recent awards include the 2023 Ohioana Award in Juvenile Literature for *The More You Give*, a book celebrating a family's nurturing of each other and our natural world over multiple generations. Her debut middle-grade novel, *Rule of Threes*, was selected by the State Library of Ohio for the Choose to Read Ohio list for 2023-2024. Marcy's picture books have been chosen for the Junior Library Guild and named a Best Children's Book of the Year by Bank Street College and National Public Radio. She lives in Wooster. For more information, visit: MarcyCampbell.com



JAMIE CAPUZZA

The Fifth Star: Ohio's Fight for Women's Right to Vote\$28.00



After decades of activism by women across the state, Ohio became the fifth state to ratify the 19th Amendment, granting women the right to vote. University of Mount Union professor Jamie Capuzza details the instrumental role Ohio played in the women's suffrage movement in her new book, *The Fifth Star: Ohio's Fight for Women's Right to Vote*, published by Kent State University Press. For more information, contact her at CapuzzaJ@MountUnion.edu



MARY KAY CARSON

Outdoor School: Tree, Wildflower, and Mushroom Spotting\$19.99
Outdoor School: Animal Watching\$14.99
The River That Wolves Moved\$17.99



Mary Kay Carson is from Cincinnati, Ohio. She's written more than sixty books for young readers about wildlife, space, weather, nature, and other science and history topics. Her newest books include *Outdoor School: Tree, Wildflower, and Mushroom Spotting* and *The River That Wolves Moved: A True Tale from Yellowstone*. You can check out her website at: MaryKayCarson.com



LINDA CASTILLO

An Evil Heart\$28.00
The Hidden One\$18.00
Fallen\$18.00



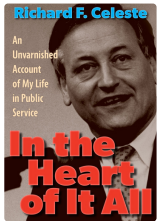
Linda Castillo was born in Ohio and grew up in Darke County. She is the author of the New York Times bestselling Kate Burkholder Amish mystery series, set in Holmes County. In *An Evil Heart*, an upstanding young Amish man is found brutally murdered with a crossbow. Who would commit such a heinous crime against a young man whose life was just beginning? As Kate delves into his past, she begins to hear whispers about a dark side. The case spirals out of control when an Amish woman comes forward with a horrific story that pits Kate against a dangerous and unexpected foe. When the truth is uncovered, she comes face to face with the consequences of a life lived in all the wrong places.



RICHARD F. CELESTE

In the Heart of It All: An Unvarnished Account of My Life in Public Service\$29.95

Richard F. Celeste served as governor of Ohio from 1983-1991. During his two terms as Ohio's governor, he tackled a number of issues including an epic savings and loan crisis, mental health reform, and job creation, as well as undertaking projects to improve Ohio's buildings and infrastructure. His new memoir, *In the Heart of It All: An Unvarnished Account of My Life in Public Service*, describes Gov. Celeste's remarkable journey from humble beginnings in northeast Ohio to his public service career as director of the Peace Corps, governor of Ohio, ambassador to India, and finally president of Colorado College. *In the Heart of It All* offers a remarkably frank and expansive account of Celeste's personal and professional life, including his disappointing defeats and thrilling victories.



KAREN HENRY CLARK

LIBRARY GIRL: How Nancy Pearl Became America's Most Celebrated Librarian\$18.99

Karen Henry Clark became an author at age four by writing a story on the living room wall, a questionable medium. She eventually worked as a teacher and administrator in education but never forgot that early ambition. Her first published book, *Sweet Moon Baby*, was about adopting her daughter from China. *Library Girl* was inspired by her friend Nancy Pearl who overcame childhood teasing for her book obsession, ultimately becoming an internationally acclaimed librarian. Karen lives in Milan, Ohio, and blogs on Margin Notes about the magic in life's simple moments at her website KarenHenryClark.com



RENEE CASTEEL COOK

Ohio Buckeye Candy: A Sweet History\$23.99
Ohio Ice Cream: A Scoop of History\$21.99
The Columbus Food Truck Cookbook\$21.99

Renee Casteel Cook is a Columbus-based author of culinary history and travel titles, including *The Columbus Food Truck Cookbook* and *Ohio Ice Cream: A Scoop of History*. Her passion for writing and chocolate are equally matched, making this book a labor of nothing but love. Eternally impressed at the drive and dedication of food-focused entrepreneurs and the continuing commitment of generational family-run businesses, Renee strives to successfully share their stories, capturing a curated selection of legacies both established and developing. Her hope is to inspire future creators of all types to take the leap toward what they love. Visit her at her website: ReneeCasteelCook.com



SHELLEY COSTA

No Mistaking Death\$16.95
Practical Sins for Cold Climates\$29.00
A Killer's Guide to Good Works\$15.00

Shelley Costa, who lives in Chagrin Falls, is the author of several crime novels and stories. Her new mystery novel is *No Mistaking Death*, wherein investigator Marian Warner, on assignment with the National Park Service, arrives in a southern Ohio town where the battle over landmark status for a Jesuit mission house ends in murder. Shelley holds a PhD in English and teaches topics in American literature and Modernism. Check out ShelleyCosta.com, Facebook: @ShelleyCostaMysteryAuthor, and LinkedIn: Shelley Costa Bloomfield



RICHARD COWDREY

Bryson the Brave Bison: Finding the Courage to Face the Storm\$18.99
The Legend of the Candy Cane\$15.99
Fiona, Love at the Zoo\$18.99

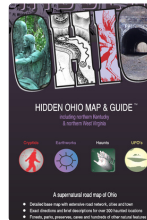
From Cincinnati, Ohio, Richard Cowdrey, a talented illustrator, has recently enchanted readers with *Bryson the Brave Bison: Finding the Courage to Face the Storm*. In this heartwarming tale, Bryson emerges as a symbol of resilience in a challenging world. Cowdrey's diverse artistic styles, rooted in his deep faith and love for creation, distinguish him. Since graduating in 1981 from Columbus College of Art & Design, he has enjoyed a successful freelance career spanning four decades, leaving a lasting impact on agencies, toy companies, publishers, and more. *Bryson the Brave Bison* showcases his enduring passion for storytelling and illustration.



JEFF CRAIG

Hidden Ohio Map & Guide, 4th Edition\$16.99
Map in Black: A Mysterious Map of North America\$16.99

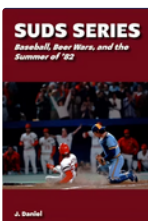
Jeff Craig is an Ohio cartographer based in Cincinnati. His maps portray the unusual, haunted and mysterious sites and events not seen on other maps. The very detailed full color, two-sided map will provide you with hundreds of spots to visit on road trips with directions provided in the index. This is a great bucket list item and gift idea.



J. DANIEL

Suds Series, Baseball, Beer Wars, and the Summer of '82\$29.95
Phinally!: The Phillies, the Royals and the 1980 Baseball Season That Almost Wasn't\$29.95

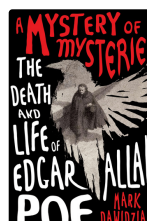
J. Daniel is from Oxford, Ohio and attended Ohio University before spending more than 20 years working in sports television, including four years as the producer/director of "Rays Magazine" on Fox Sports Florida. In *Suds Series*, Daniel takes readers back forty years, telling a story that is part baseball history, part urban history, and part U.S. cultural history, the narrative weaving together the development of the Midwest cities of St. Louis and Milwaukee through their engagement with beer and baseball. Daniel currently lives in Brownsburg, Indiana where he works in the Indiana University system. *Suds Series* is his second book.



MARK DAWIDZIAK

A Mystery of Mysteries: The Death and Life of Edgar Allan Poe\$28.99
The Shawshank Redemption Revealed: How One Story Keeps Hope Alive\$29.95
Everything I Need to Know I Learned in The Twilight Zone\$17.99

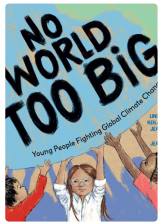
Mark Dawidziak, an author and editor of 25 books, recently published *A Mystery of Mysteries: The Death and Life of Edgar Allan Poe*. He explores horror with "Grave Secrets" and analyzes TV classics like "Columbo," "The Night Stalker," and "The Twilight Zone." As a Mark Twain scholar, he has written five books on the iconic writer, including *Mark My Words* and *Mark Twain for Cat Lovers*. Explore more at his website: MarkDawidziak.com and Facebook: [Mark.Dawidziak](https://www.facebook.com/Mark.Dawidziak)





KEILA V. DAWSON

No World Too Big: Young People Fighting Global Climate Change\$18.99
No Voice Too Small: Fourteen Young Americans Making History\$18.99
Opening The Road: Victor Hugo Green and His Green Book\$19.99



Keila V. Dawson lives in Cincinnati, Ohio. A two-time Ohioana finalist, Dawson writes fiction and nonfiction picture books that entertain, inform, and inspire young readers. Her latest release is *No World Too Big: Young People Fighting Global Climate Change*. Channeling their feelings and talents into action, today's youth demand change for the future they want and deserve. Find free educational content, and read reviews and articles about her books on her website. Follow her online. KeilaDawson.com



MEREDITH DOENCH

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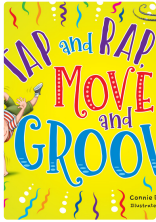


Meredith Doench (she/they) is the author of the Luce Hansen thriller series and the 2022 stand-alone thriller, *Whereabouts Unknown*. An avid armchair detective and pizza addict, Meredith loves all things mystery. She is a board member of Mystery Writers of America, Midwest Chapter, and a principal lecturer of creative writing and literature at the University of Dayton in Ohio. Learn more at her website: MeredithDoench.com or social media Facebook, Instagram, and Threads: @MeredithDoench



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Connie Bergstein Dow, MFA, author and dance educator, is from Cincinnati, Ohio. She has written two books about movement for teachers of young children, verses in Highlights and Cricket magazines, articles, and three picture books. Her newest picture book, *Tap and Rap, Move and Groove*(Free Spirit Publishing), beautifully illustrated by Cleveland artist Debbie Palen, is filled with ideas to inspire creativity in young children. The variety of playful dances and chants reinforce early literacy skills and other important developmental skills. Visit Connie at her website MovingsLearning.com, Twitter "X": @cbergsteindow, on Facebook: MovingsLearning, and on Instagram: @MovingsLearning



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Julie Drew lives in Akron, OH, where she has taught creative writing at The University of Akron for over 10 years. Her most recent release is a YA trilogy featuring 16-year old Tesla Abbott, whose sudden ability to time travel unmakes the world as she knows it. When her secret is discovered, she must find a way to accept the past and build a future for herself and those she loves--if they can survive the present. You can learn more about *The Tesla Effect* trilogy and Julie's other books at JulieDrew.com and find her on Instagram: @JulieDrew_Writes.



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Anne and Jerzy Drozd are from Columbus, Ohio. Jerzy is a teaching artist who leads comics workshops throughout Ohio. Anne is the Exhibition Coordinator at the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library and Museum at The Ohio State University. Jerzy and Anne co-authored *Science Comics: Rockets*, a comics documentary that explores the history and science of comics as told by the animals who participated in rocket history. Social media: Instagram: @JerzyDrozd @AnneDrozd



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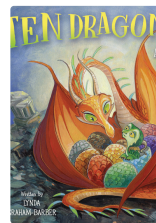


James E Duffey is from Medina, Ohio. He has taught American history at Austintown Fitch High School for 30 years and as an adjunct professor at Kent State University's Stark campus for 26 years. Information on his newest book, *Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About History But Were Afraid to Ask!* will be available at the Buckeye Book Fair. Check out RionHallPublishing.com for more information. You can also check out either Jim Duffey or James E. Duffey pages on Facebook for samples of his current book's content.



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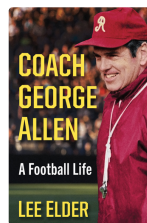


Jeffrey Ebbeler lives in Cincinnati, Ohio. He has been illustrating and writing children's books for 20 years. He has illustrated over 60 picture books. Jeff has recently written and illustrated a series early reader graphic novels, a picture book called *Ten Dragon Eggs*, and a *Little Golden Book* about *Willie Nelson*. You can learn more about his books and school presentations at JeffIllustration.com.



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Lee Elder is from Tallmadge, Ohio. He is a retired journalist and publicity representative for Goodyear Racing. Elder's book, *Coach George Allen: A Football Life*, has won the Nelson Ross Award for achievement in Professional Football research and historiography. Elder's book was published by McFarland and Company Publishers. To learn more about Lee check out the website and social media at McFarlandBooks.com and follow the book on Facebook: @GeorgeAllenbook.



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Dr. Tameka Ellington is a speaker, fashion scholar, and author. Her work focuses on educating and bringing cultural consciousness to Black women and girls. As an Associate Professor of Design at the Kent State University (KSU) Fashion School, her creative scholarship is inspired by African art and folklore. She has shown internationally including two exhibitions in Beijing, China. Please follow her on Instagram @DrTamekaEllington.com and for bookings contact Info@DrTamekaEllington.com and enjoy her website: DrTamekaEllington.com.



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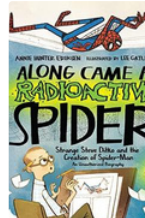


Alex Erickson is the author of both the *Bookstore Café* and the *Furever Pets* mysteries. When he's not writing, he enjoys spending his time gaming or playing music. He lives in Ohio with his wife, son, and their four crazy cats. You can visit him on Twitter "X": @Author138 and on Facebook: AlexEricksonBooks.



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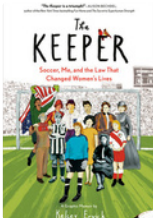


Annie Hunter Eriksen is from Wooster, Ohio. Originally from Columbus, she came for the College of Wooster ('13), but stayed after falling in love with Wooster's undeniable charm and realizing this town has the best ice cream in the world. Annie lives and breathes comics, cats, and coffee and had her first son in November 2022, whom she named after a superhero. *Along Came a Radioactive Spider* is about famed Marvel artist Steve Ditko, co-creator of Spider-Man. This is her second book. Find Annie online at AHeriksen.com and on Instagram: @AH_Eriksen.



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Kelcey Ervick grew up in the 1980s in Cincinnati, Ohio, where she was a goalkeeper for nationally ranked soccer teams—though that didn't keep her from using too much hair spray or Sun-In in her hair. She is the author and illustrator of the graphic memoir, *The Keeper: Soccer, Me, and the Law That Changed Women's Lives*, which tells the story of those big-haired years and the impact of Title IX on generations of women and girls. Winner of a 2023 Ohioana Book Award, *The Keeper* was described by Publisher's Weekly as "a work of disarming emotional power." KelceyErvick.com, Substack: KelceyErvick.Substack.com, Instagram: @Kelcey.Parker.Ervick and Twitter "X": @KelceyErvick



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Ohio native Ashley Aya Ferguson is a writer most inspired by real life. Through poetry, children's literature and creative nonfiction, she invites readers to live inside of a feeling, creating access that can't be ignored. Ashley is the author of three five-star rated children's books: *Girl, You Are Magic!*; *Boy, You Are Brilliant!* and the recently released, *I Am Not Afraid of Spiders!*. She currently resides in Cincinnati with her daughter, Nia. Visit AshleyAyaFerguson.com and follow her journey on Instagram: @AshleyAyaFerguson



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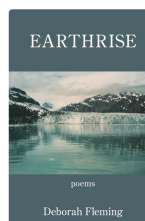


Erin Flanagan lives in Dayton, Ohio with her husband, daughter, two cats and two dogs. She is an English professor at Wright State University and likes all of her colleagues except one. Her third novel *Come With Me* (Thomas & Mercer) released in August 2023. Her novel *Deer Season* (University of Nebraska Press) won the 2022 Edgar Award for Best First Novel by an American Author and was a finalist for the Macavity Award for Best First Mystery and the Midwest Book Award in Fiction. You can say hello on Twitter "X" or Instagram: @ErinLFlanagan.



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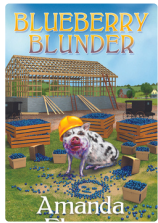


Deborah Fleming is from Perrysville, Ohio. Her nonfiction collection *Resurrection of the Wild: Meditations on Ohio's Natural Landscape* (2019) won the PEN-America Art of the Essay Award for 2020. She is the author of three collections of poems, *Morning, Winter Solstice* (2012), *Into a New Country* (2016), and *Earthrise* (2021); chapbooks *Migrations* (2005) and *Source of the River* (2018); and two novels, *Without Leave* (2014), winner of the Asheville Award, and *Reunion* (2023). She served for many years as director and editor of the Ashland Poetry Press.



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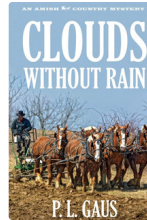


Amanda Flower is a USA Today bestselling and Agatha Award-winning author of over forty-five mystery novels. Her first Emily Dickinson Mystery, *Because I Could Not Stop for Death*, was a Mary Higgins Clark and Agatha Award Nominee. A former librarian, Flower and her husband own a farm and recording studio, and they live in Northeast Ohio with their adorable cats. You can learn more about Amanda at her website: AmandaFlower.com and on social media: @AuthorAmandaFlower



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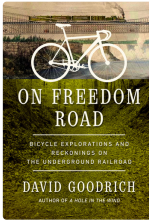


With Ohio University Press, Paul (P.L.) Gaus has recently published new editions of his first four Amish-Country Mysteries, containing maps for the stories, author insights, travel guides and Discussion Questions for Reading Groups. Paul has also published three more original novels in the series with Ohio University Press, two additional stories with Penguin, plus two self-published novels to finish the series with a total of eleven novels.



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David Goodrich is a retired climate scientist from Rockville, Maryland, whose book, *On Freedom Road*, narrates his bicycle journeys of over 3,000 miles following routes of the Underground Railroad. He followed the most illustrious of conductors, Harriet Tubman, from Maryland, where she was enslaved, to Ontario, where she led her charges to freedom. Also included was a ride across Ohio from Ripley to Ashtabula. In Oberlin, he followed the path of Lewis Leary, a Black man lost in John Brown's 1859 raid on Harpers Ferry, but whose spirit was reborn in the twentieth century. Come and explore from ground level, Ohio's role in the clandestine networks to freedom. *On Freedom Road* is available at the Buckeye Book Fair, and his cycling blogs are online: CGOAB.com/DavidG.



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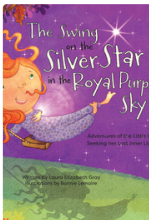


Roger Gordon has written 11 sports history books, including *The Cleveland Browns All-Time All-Stars: The Best Players at Each Position for the Browns* and *The Miracle of Richfield: The Story of the 1975-76 Cleveland Cavaliers*. For eight years, Gordon wrote for the magazine *Bernie's Insiders/The Orange and Brown Report* for which he conducted personal interviews with some 70 former Cleveland Browns, including Hall of Famers Jim Brown, Paul Warfield, Ozzie Newsome and Leroy Kelly. He lives in North Canton.



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Laura Elizabeth Gray is from Mentor, Ohio. Once upon a time, Laura Elizabeth was writing poems for her mother, skipping with her best friend Joanne, and wearing her beloved woolen mouse mittens while playing in the snow. Today, Laura Elizabeth serves as the Director of Development for the ALS Association and strives to live with a grateful heart. In 2015, Laura Elizabeth founded IPride, a self-esteem, empowerment program for youth. For more information, please visit IPride.net. Laura Elizabeth has been published by Sacred Stories Publications, Luna Negra and Beauty & The Beast Publishing; her works have been featured in Owl Magazine, Women for One: Truth Tellers and BizCatalyst 360. This is her first children's book.



VINCE GUERRIERI

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Vince Guerrieri is an award-winning journalist for the Elyria Chronicle-Telegram and Medina Gazette. His writing also appears regularly in various regional and national magazines and online publications. A native of Youngstown and graduate of Bowling Green State University, he is the author of three books on Ohio sports history. Check out his website: VinceGuerrieri.com, Facebook: [VinceGuerrieriBooks](https://www.facebook.com/VinceGuerrieriBooks) and Twitter "X": @VinceGuerrieri.



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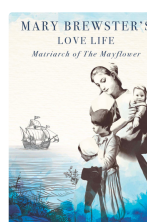


Anastasia Hastings is from Brecksville, Ohio. Her newest release, *Of Manners and Murder*, a Victorian mystery, has been praised by the Wall Street Journal as evoking "...the shocking revelations of Wilkie Collins, the social acuity of Jane Austen and the comic melodrama of Oscar Wilde." She has previously appeared at Buckeye as both Kylie Logan and Casey Daniels. You can find all her pen names and book titles at: Mystery-Book-Series.com



KATHRYN HAUSEISEN

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Native Buckeye Kathryn Hauelsen recently moved back to Ohio after several decades in Texas. A descendant of Elder William Brewster and his faithful wife Mary, she spent seven years in three countries researching their stories. Her historical novels about the Mayflower are based on real people, real events, and realistic conversations the Pilgrims and Indigenous people might have had with one another in the 1600s. She holds a degree in journalism from Bowling Green and a M. Div. from Wartburg Theological Seminary. In the early 90s she served on staff at Zion Lutheran in Wooster. Today she's available to speak to groups large or small about *Mayflower Chronicles: The Tale of Two Cultures* and *Mary Brewster's Love Life: Matriarch of the Mayflower*.

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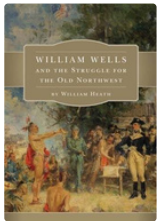
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WILLIAM HEATH

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William Heath, a Youngstown native, holds a Ph.D. from Case Western Reserve University and recently received Hiram College's Lifetime Achievement Award. He's taught American literature and creative writing at various universities, including Kenyon and Vassar. His latest poetry book, *Going Places*, complements *Steel Valley Elegy*, set in the U.S. William's work extends to early Ohio history, with *William Wells and the Struggle for the Old Northwest*, earning multiple awards. His award-winning novel, *The Children Bob Moses Led*, delves into the civil rights movement. Learn more at WilliamHeathBooks.com



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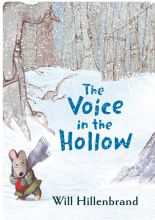


Victor Hess is from Xenia, Ohio. He is the author of five fiction novels, all set in Ohio during the 1950's. He is working on a six-book series, The Wesley Club Adventures. **Montana's Mission: Protecting the Forest** is his fifth book about 13-year-old Montana MacCarthy and her friends' run-in with a poaching ring at Glen Helen in Yellow Springs. His books are written for all age groups, including Middle Graders. You can find more information about all of Hess's books at VictorHess.com and Facebook: @AuthorVictorHess.



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Will Hillenbrand is a celebrated children's author and illustrator from Cincinnati whose published works include over 70 books. Will's magical illustrations transport young readers to enchanting realms where imagination dances upon the page. His two new picture books include *The Voice in the Hollow*, about a mouse who takes a shortcut home during a blizzard and is guided by a mysterious guardian. *Little Red* is about a pick-up truck with a mighty spirit and a heart of gold determined to help his many vehicle friends. Connect with Will online at WillHillenbrand.com, Facebook: @WillHillenbrandBooks, and Instagram: @WillHillenbrand



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Conrade C. Hinds was born in Nashville and graduated from Ball State University, where he studied architecture and industrial technology. He has lived in Ohio for forty years. A registered architect and a retired projects manager with the City of Columbus Department of Public Utilities, he is also a retired adjunct faculty member in the Engineering Technology Department at Columbus State Community College. He has published three other books: *The Great Columbus Experiment of 1908*, *Columbus and the Great Flood of 1913* and *Lost Circuses of Ohio*.



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Anna Lee Huber was born and raised in Hicksville, Ohio. She is the USA Today bestselling and award-winning author of the Lady Darby Mysteries, Verity Kent Mysteries, and Gothic Myths Series, as well as the anthology *The Deadly Hours* and the upcoming historical fiction novel, *Sisters of Fortune: A Novel of the Titanic*. Her latest release, *A Fatal Illusion*, is the 11th novel in the Lady Darby historical mystery series, featuring a portrait artist who teams up with her gentleman inquiry agent husband and their intrepid staff to solve crimes in 1830s Scotland and England. You can learn more online at AnnaLeeHuber.com, Facebook @AuthorAnnaLeeHuber, Instagram @AnnaLeeHuber, TikTok @AnnaLeeHuberAuthor, and YouTube @AnnaLeeHuber.



JUDY ORR JAMES

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Judy Orr James is from Akron, Ohio. She is the former manager of the Special Collections Division for the Akron-Summit County Public Library. She received her B.A. from The Ohio State University and Masters of Library and Information Science from Kent State University. A celebration of Akron's cultural and ethnic communities, *Akron Family Recipes* includes a history of these groups as well as favorite family recipes and the stories of their creators. A bonus chapter tells the story of sauerkraut balls, Akron's iconic and official food. Classic recipes are included for this favorite Rubber City snack.



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Sandra K-Horn, originally from Cleveland, now resides in Columbus, Ohio. Sandra K-Horn has worked in politics, education, and broadcast media. Her first novel, *Downward Spiral*, was awarded an honorable mention by The Edward Hoffer Award and was a featured book in the Ohioana Book Festival, 2021. Connect with Sandra K-Horn on Facebook: @Author.SandraKHorn, Twitter "X": @SKHorn, Instagram: @SsandraKHornAuthor, and Website: SandraKHorn.net



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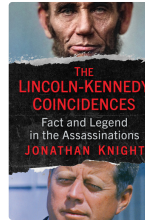


As a professor at Miami University (Oxford, Ohio), Jay Kimiecik continually writes about the connection among being human, health, and optimal wellbeing. His latest nonfiction book explains the FEEL of living and optimal wellbeing, which complements his other books written over the years that have explored both practical and inspirational ideas relating to motivation, physical activity, running, performance, flow, enjoyment, and all things positive about moving our bodies.



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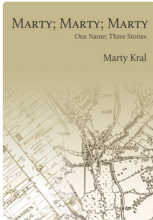


Jonathan Knight is the author of eleven books on a range of topics which have gained nationwide notoriety. From true crime to sports to his latest, *The Lincoln-Kennedy Coincidences*, which focuses on the myths and mysteries connecting the deaths of these legendary presidents, Jonathan has a knack for discovering untold tales and transforming them into compelling pageturners. You can learn more online at JKnightWriter.com.



MARTY KRAL

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Marty Kral is an educator, musician, composer, clinician, and author from Ashland, Ohio. His book: *Marty; Marty; Marty* is a deep dive into family and their connection to the world around them. Marty holds degrees and certifications in education and leadership from Ashland University, Nova Southeastern University, Concordia University and the Ohio Department of Education. He is a lifelong music & history nerd that loves to travel, attend concerts, and absorb the world around him. He is a multiple Grammy & Tony Award show watcher that loves playing music with family & friends, enjoys a perfectly grilled ribeye, & appreciates listening to podcasts about absolutely nothing important. Connect with Marty online at MartyKral.com



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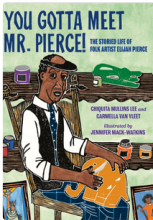


Dr. Robert Kroeger was born in Youngstown but currently lives in Cincinnati. Robert is an avid barn enthusiast and author. He embarked on a remarkable journey through Ohio's countryside. With his dedicated "barn scouts" and extensive research, he delved into the stories and history behind these iconic structures. His passion for preservation led him to use his barn paintings for nonprofit fundraisers, supporting the community in more ways than one. In 2021, his dedication bore fruit with the release of *Historic Barns of Ohio* by Arcadia Publishing. Check out Robert's website: RobertKroeger.com



CHIQUITA MULLINS LEE

You Gotta Meet Mr. Pierce\$18.99



Chiquita Mullins Lee lives in Columbus, Ohio and oversees arts education programs for the Ohio Art Council (OAC). Formerly of Atlanta, Georgia, Chiquita has won individual artist/excellence awards in creative writing from local and state arts councils and is published in numerous literary anthologies. She writes poetry, fiction, plays, and creative non-fiction, and performs regularly in local theater productions, as well as with Wild Women Writing and with the Word Warriors Creative Writing Ministry of New Covenant Believers Church. Her picture book, *You Gotta Meet Mr. Pierce*, co-authored with Carmella Van Vleet and illustrated by Jennifer Mack-Watkins is published by Kokila Books. Connect with her at ChiquitaMullinsLee.com.



FLORENZA LEE

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Florenza Lee, is a versatile and accomplished author, coach, speaker, and advocate from Chagrin Falls, Ohio. She wears many hats, including those of a publisher, radio talk show host, and Master Storyteller. Her impactful children's books, such as *Adventurous Olivia's Alphabet Quest* and *Barry Bear's Very Best*, reflect her dedication to young readers. Florenza is actively involved in literary and professional organizations like SCBWI, AALBC, IPG, and InScribe, highlighting her commitment to her craft and collaborative communities. Explore her literary world online at: Florenza.org.



MIRANDA LIASSON

The Summer of Second Chances\$16.99
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Miranda Liasson is a bestselling author from Akron, Ohio, who writes about the important relationships in women's lives. Her heartwarming and humorous romances have won numerous accolades and have been praised by Entertainment Weekly for the way she "deals with so much of what makes life hard . . . without ever losing the warmth and heart that characterize her writing." Her newest release, *The Summer of Second Chances*, is about first love, second chances, and what it means to truly live your life. Visit MirandaLiasson.com, Facebook: [2MirandaLiassonAuthor](https://www.facebook.com/2MirandaLiassonAuthor), Instagram: [@MirandaLiasson](https://www.instagram.com/MirandaLiasson), Twitter "X": [@MirandaLiasson](https://twitter.com/MirandaLiasson), TikTok: [@MirandaLiasson](https://www.tiktok.com/@MirandaLiasson)



JULIE ANNE LINDSEY

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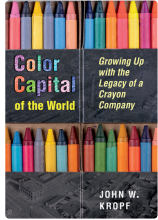


Julie Anne Lindsey is an award winning and bestselling author of more than 50 novels. Julie resides in Kent, Ohio, where she writes mysteries and romantic suspense as herself and under multiple pen names including Jacqueline Frost, Bree Baker, & Julie Chase. Learn more about Julie and her many books online at JulieAnneLindsey.com



JOHN KROPF

Color Capital of the World: Growing Up with the Legacy of a Crayon Company\$25.00



John Kropf is originally from Sandusky, Ohio, attended Denison University, and is an attorney in the Washington DC area. His new book *Color Capital of the World: Growing Up with the Legacy of a Crayon Company* tells the story in words and pictures of the American Crayon Company in Sandusky, Ohio. Readers will come away with a greater appreciation of the story behind the invention of the crayon and the Ohio town that produced more crayons than anywhere in the world. Social media: CompulsivelyAimless.BlogPpot.com, Twitter "X": JKropf, Facebook Groups: Crayon and Art Supply Collectors, Historical Sandusky, The Real Sandusky, and American Crayon Company Recollections



KATHRYN LONG

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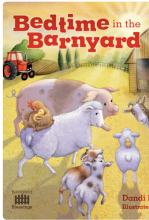


Kathryn Long is a Buckeye native and retired teacher who enjoys spending her days plotting murder and writing mysteries. She's a member of Sisters in Crime as well as International Thriller Writers. *Blooming with Murder* is book three in the Sierra Pines B&B series. She also writes the *Paint by Murder* cozy mysteries under the pen name Bailee Abbott. Kathryn lives with her husband and furry friend Max in the quiet suburbs of Green. Visit Kathryn online: KathrynLongAuthor.com.



DANDI DALEY MACKALL

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Dandi Daley Mackall returns with three new books, including *Bedtime in the Barnyard*, the first in the *Blessings in the Barnyard* board book series, and *Lucky for Winnie* and *Homesick Horse* in the *Winnie: The Early Years* series. For adults, *Three Wise Women* celebrates Advent with Mary, Elizabeth, and Anna. With over 500 books to her name, Dandi has received prestigious awards, including the Edgar Award and the Helen Keating Ott Award for Contributions to Children's Literature. She writes from rural Ohio. Connect with Dandi at DandiBooks.com and Facebook: @Dandi.Mackall.



ALLISON AND WAYNE MARKS

Tizzy the Dizzy Dreidel (hardback)\$19.99
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The \$150,000 Rugelach (paperback)\$8.99
The Art Lesson: A Shavuot Story\$7.99



Allison and Wayne Marks of Akron, Ohio, are the authors of several picture books and middle-grade novels, including *The Art Lesson: A Shavuot Story*, *The \$150,000 Rugelach*, and *Benny Feldman's All-Star Klezmer Band*, a 2022 Sydney Taylor Award notable book. Their latest book, *Tizzy the Dizzy Dreidel*, is a rhyming story of a balance-impaired top who is plucked from the floor by a hopeful four-year-old to perform a Hanukkah miracle. Hadassah Magazine wrote, "This is a sweet, clever story with a meaningful conclusion: 'When winter's chill has filled the air/ and dreidels start their dance,/ why not pick a dizzy one/ who only wants a chance?'" Visit AllisonAndWayneMarks.com to connect online.



OLIVIA MATTHEWS

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Olivia Matthews is the cozy mystery pseudonym of national best-selling author Patricia Sargeant. Patricia writes romance as Patricia Sargeant and Regina Hart, and mysteries as Olivia Matthews. Her work has been reviewed in national publications such as Publishers Weekly, USA Today, Kirkus Reviews, Suspense Magazine, Mystery Scene Magazine, Library Journal and RT Book Reviews. Patricia was drawn to write romance because she believes love is the greatest motivation. Her mysteries put ordinary people in extraordinary situations to have them find the Hero Inside. For more information about Patricia and her work, please visit PatriciaSargeant.com.



KATIE MAZEIKA

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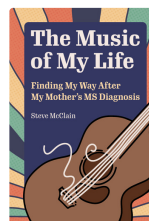


Katie Mazeika is an award-winning author and illustrator who specializes in telling stories based on real people and events and likes to highlight disabled voices in her work. Her newest book *Beulah Has A Hunch* is a picture book biography about prolific inventor Beulah Henry, known as "Lady Edison." Despite not having any math or science education, Beulah became one of the most prolific female inventors. She also understood, and talked openly about her own neurodiversity in the 1930's. Katie currently lives in Cleveland, Ohio. You can visit her online at KatieMazeika.com, Twitter "X": @KDMAZ, and Instagram: @KDMAZART.



STEVE MCCLAIN

The Music of My Life: Finding My Way After My Mother's MS Diagnosis\$24.95



Steve McClain is a Nashville-based singer/songwriter and guitarist, known for his numerous album and single releases. Originally from northeast Ohio and an alumnus of Kent State University, his music serves as a platform to share his mother's story and his personal journey as a caregiver, son, musician, and MS patient. Explore his music and connect with Steve on his website: AtSteveMcClain.com, Facebook: @SteveMcClainMusic, Twitter "X": @SMcClainMusic, and on YouTube.



MINDY MCGINNIS

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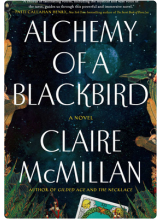


Mindy McGinnis is an accomplished Edgar Award-winning novelist celebrated for her versatility across various genres, spanning from post-apocalyptic and historical fiction to thrilling mysteries, contemporary tales, and captivating fantasy. Her literary works consistently offer readers an unvarnished portrayal of human nature and the world we inhabit, characterized by their unflinching exploration of grit and truth. With a keen eye for storytelling, Mindy McGinnis's novels continue to captivate and challenge readers across diverse landscapes.



CLAIRE MCMILLAN

Alchemy of a Blackbird\$28.00
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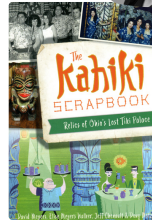


Claire McMillan is the author of *Alchemy of a Blackbird*, *Gilded Age*, and *The Necklace*. She was the 2017-2018 Cuyahoga County Writer-in-Residence and currently serves as a member of the board of trustees of The Mount, Edith Wharton's home in Lenox, Massachusetts. She practiced law until 2003 and then received her MFA in creative writing from Bennington College. She grew up in Pasadena, California, and now lives on her husband's family farm outside of Cleveland, Ohio, with their two children.



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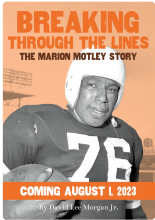


Columbus residents David Meyers and Elise Meyers Walker have written numerous local histories, including their most recent book, *The Kahiki Scrapbook: Relics of Ohio's Lost Tiki Palace*. A follow-up to *Kahiki Supper Club*, *The Kahiki Scrapbook* is a completely new collection of stories, images, and delicious recipes that explain why the Kahiki was such a historically, culturally, and sociologically important artifact of the twentieth century. David has also written several novels and works for the stage. Elise, his daughter, works as a freelance writer for national magazines. Follow them at ExplodingStove.com and @ExplodingStove on social media.



DAVID LEE MORGAN, JR.

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Following a long career in journalism, including 15 years at the Beacon Journal, David Lee Morgan Jr., a Warren, Ohio native who lives in Canton, is now a high school English teacher, public speaker, and author of nine books. Morgan's current release is the story of Marion Motley, who was recognized as one of the gridiron's most outstanding players when he was enshrined into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1968 in his hometown of Canton, Ohio. His legacy helped blaze a path for Black athletes in the highest echelons of professional sports, including baseball's Jackie Robinson. Yet, his impact remains unknown to most Americans. Facebook: David Lee Morgan Jr.. Twitter: @DavidLeeMorgan Instagram: @davidleempv, www.davidleemorganjr.com



DENI NAFFZIGER

Strange Bodies\$25.00



Deni Naffziger is from Athens, Ohio. Her most recent collection, *Strange Bodies*, gives poetic voice to the act of seeking, exploring what the mind and the self can intuit. In much the same way that physics broadens out from finite laws to theoretical questions engaging with infinite potential, this rich collection of poetry asks questions that seem at times essential, at times mysterious, and at times Socratic and philosophical invitations to the reader, always an acknowledgement that the questions are important. She currently serves as Poet-In-Residence at Passion Works Collaborative Community Studio, Athens, Ohio. @deninaff (instagram) Deni Naffziger Hackworth (Facebook)



AUTHOR PAULA JOHNSON NEAL

Breathe. Gabby, Breathe!\$14.95
I'm Gonna Have A Good Day!\$14.95



Author Paula Johnson Neal is based in Columbus, Ohio, where she draws inspiration from her vibrant community. Her impressive body of work includes two award-winning children's books, *I'm Gonna Have A Good Day* and *Breathe, Gabby, Breathe*, both of which are dedicated to fostering social-emotional learning in young readers. To delve deeper into her literary world and explore her popular books, visit her website at PaulaJohnsonNeal.com. You can also connect with Paula on social media platforms such as Facebook and Instagram by following @paulajohnsonneal. Discover her heartwarming stories that resonate with children and parents alike.



MERRILL RAINEY

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Merrill Rainey, a cowboy-boot-wearing picture-book creator and paper-toy-maker, once spent his Saturdays drawing, watching monster movies, and embarking on imaginative adventures. His work champions creativity and imaginative play, with titles like *Roar! I'm a Dinosaur*, *Oink! I'm a Pig*, and the *Color, Cut, Create* series. His latest illustrated book, *Giants Are Very Brave People*, reimagines a classic tale of a little giant finding courage with a new friend's help. Merrill's contributions extend to children's magazines like *Highlights*, *Ranger Rick*, and *Humpty Dumpty*. Explore his art at LittleRainey.com or follow @LittleRainey on Instagram.



DIANNA RHYAN

Staff of Laurel, Staff of Ash: Sacred Landscapes in Ancient Nature Myth\$17.95



Dianna Rhyan is from Wooster, Ohio, is a multifaceted individual. With a PhD in Ancient Greek and Latin, she has delved deep into the realms of mythology, therapy, and nature writing. Her passion for Ohio's scenic trails has led to a lifelong journey as a dedicated hiker. In her captivating work, *Staff of Laurel, Staff of Ash*, she weaves together ancient myths, sacred landscapes, forgotten realms, and the essence of nature goddesses. This enchanting narrative unfolds across diverse settings, from the picturesque Cuyahoga Valley to the storied lands of Greece, Rome, and the Ancient Near East.



NATALIE D. RICHARDS

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New York Times bestselling author Natalie D. Richards, an Ohio native, has captivated readers with her nine pulse-pounding thrillers, including her latest release, *Four Found Dead*, which delves into the chilling suspense of a final shift gone awry at a deserted mall's movie theater. In addition to her gripping suspense novels, Natalie is set to expand her literary horizons with the upcoming debut of her middle-grade book, *15 Secrets to Survival*, scheduled for release on November 7, 2023. Her engaging storytelling has garnered a loyal following, and you can connect with Natalie on social media by following her @NatDRichards.



JADE RUSH

Evelyn the Environmentalist Takes on Climate Change\$24.99



Jade Rush, a Mentor, OH native and recent BGSU Grad, has published her first children's book around climate change. From a young age, Jade has always had a passion for helping the planet. She wants children to learn about what is happening around them and provide them with different actions they can take to make an impact. Jade's first book, ***Evelyn the Environmentalist Takes on Climate Change***, encourages children to take action and positively impact their future. This book includes a wildflower seed page that children can tear out of the book and plant in their own backyard, and watch as it helps the bees and others in the environment around them.



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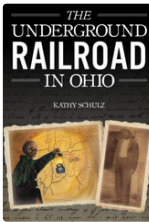


John Schmid, hailing from Benton, Ohio (Holmes County), is dedicated to a unique singing/speaking ministry with a primary focus on the Ohio Prison System. He also performs at concerts, banquets, churches, and camps. An anecdote from his journey: While singing at a Heidelberg, Germany Army Base, initially unnoticed by soldiers returning from a strenuous mission, everything shifted when he sang "Silent Night." Tears flowed, and the atmosphere transformed. This compelling experience is just one of the 24 stories recounted in ***The Power of a Song***. Check out JohnSchmid.com or connect with Common Ground Ministries in Berlin, Ohio.



KATHY SCHULZ

The Underground Railroad in Ohio\$23.99



Kathy Schulz is a distinguished retired college librarian, with her career centered at Wittenberg University. A native of Columbiana County, she boasts strong Ohio ties and holds degrees from three of the state's esteemed universities. Residing in regions significant to the Underground Railroad, Kathy is passionate about dispelling the misconception that it operated primarily underground. Her published work, ***The Underground Railroad in Ohio***, offers a comprehensive exploration of this vital historical chapter. For more insights, please go online and visit UndergroundRailroadOhio.com.



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Erik Jon Slangerup, a child of the eighties, found his inspiration for writing tales of adventure while exploring the outdoors without the distractions of cell phones and the internet. He crafted the middle-grade "Far Flung Falls" series, including ***Molly and the Machine*** and ***Molly and the Mutants***. Erik's talent extends to picture books, with the award-winning ***Dirt Boy*** among his creations. Beyond his literary adventures, Erik is the proud father of six and calls Columbus, Ohio, his home. Explore more of his work at ErikJonSlangerup.com.



JENNIFER SOMMER

Her Eyes Were on the Stars (Hardback)\$37.99
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Jennifer Sommer is from Kettering, Ohio. Nancy Grace Roman loved the stars from a young age and dreamed to one day become an astronomer. But when she was young, it wasn't easy for a girl to pursue her passion, especially one in science. Discover the perseverance necessary to overcome the obstacles placed before her, not only to study the stars, but to eventually make the space telescope a reality for NASA as Chief of Astronomy, and ultimately become nicknamed the "Mother of Hubble." Social Media is @Uu_Jennifer. Discover more JenniferSommer.Weebly.com



TRICIA SPRINGSTUBB

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Tricia is the author of award-winning books for readers of all ages. Her newest middle grade novels, ***The Most Perfect Thing in the Universe*** and ***Looking for True***, now available in paperback, are funny, wise, big-hearted stories about the joys and challenges of growing up. A frequent speaker at schools, libraries and conferences, Tricia lives in Cleveland Heights. Find out more online at TriciaSpringstubb.com or on Facebook @Tricia.Springstubb



JESSICA STRAWSER

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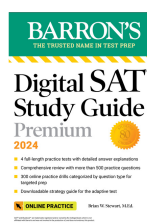


Jessica Strawser is the author of popular book club fiction, and she returns to Buckeye Book Fair from Cincinnati, Ohio, with not one but two new featured titles this year: The brand-new paperback edition of ***The Next Thing You Know***, her 2022 People Magazine "Best New Novels" pick widely praised as "Me Before You meets A Star is Born", and exclusive early paperbacks of her new domestic suspense, ***The Last Caretaker***, which is perfect for fans of her 2018 Book of the Month bestseller, ***Not That I Could Tell***. Find her on Facebook and Instagram @JessicaStrawserAuthor or visit JessicaStrawser.com to learn more.



BRIAN W. STEWART

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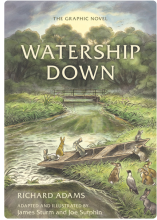


Brian W. Stewart is from Columbus, Ohio. Brian is the founder and president of BWS Education Consulting, Inc., a boutique tutoring and test preparation company based in Columbus, Ohio. Brian is a nationally recognized test preparation expert, having over 30,000 hours of direct instructional experience with a wide variety of learners from all over the world. He has achieved a perfect score on the SAT, helped hundreds of students reach their college admissions goals, and presented on best tutoring practices at national conferences. You can find out more Brian online at BarronsEduc.com.



JOE SUTPHIN

Watership Down: The Graphic Novel (Hardcover) . \$35.00
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Joe Sutphin is an illustrator and cartoonist of children's books and graphic novels. His body of work includes the official graphic novelization of Richard Adams's masterwork *Watership Down*, the re-envisioned edition of Helen Taylor's timeless classic *Little Pilgrim's Progress*, Andrew Peterson's beloved *Wingfeather Saga*, and many others. His love of nature and the living creatures in the fields and woods around his home has informed his art for much of his life. Joe lives in a barn in Ohio with his wife Gina and a bunch of cats. You can follow Joe on Instagram: @JoeSutphin



THAO THAI

Banyan Moon \$30.00



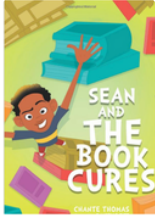
Thao Thai, acclaimed author of *Banyan Moon*, shines with accolades from the Washington Post and Elle, who praise her work as "radiant" and "a riveting mother-daughter tale." Her literary talents have graced publications like the Los Angeles Review of Books, WIRED, Elle, Lit Hub, Electric Lit, Catapult, and The Sunday Long Read. Thao's novel earned prestigious titles such as the July Read with Jenna book, Barnes & Noble July Discover pick, Indie Next selection, Indies Introduce Title, and Book of the Month pick. *Banyan Moon* weaves an evocative tale of three generations of Vietnamese American women, unveiling inherited burdens, hidden secrets, and improbable love stories. Instagram: @Thao_Writes.

Note: Thao Thai will be speaking at 10:00am and signing books until 12:00pm in Event Room D.



CHANTE THOMAS

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Author Chante Thomas is from Beachwood, Ohio. She is a lifelong teacher, beginning her 29th year and self-published author of four diverse children's books. *Sean and The Book Cures The Great Sacrifice ...Can You Spare A Kidney?* is a sweet story that teaches the readers how to support a friend or family member by learning about things that are scary. This research journey takes away character Blake's scared feelings. Please visit ChanteThomasBooks.com for more information about the author and her stories. Social Media: @ChanteThomasBooks



SAMANTHA TUCKER AND AMY SPEARS

Collective Chaos: A Roller Derby Team Memoir \$19.95

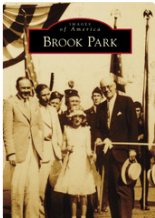


Samantha Tucker (@tuckersamantha) and Amy Spears (@wittyknits) are passionate roller derby enthusiasts based in Columbus, Ohio. Their debut book, *Collective Chaos: A Roller Derby Memoir*, offers a captivating journey through the evolution of modern roller derby, as seen through the experiences of Ohio's inaugural team. This dynamic duo's unique perspective adds depth to the sport's history and its impact on their community.



DR. JAMES VAN KEUREN

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Dr. James Van Keuren, former Dean of the Dwight Schar College of Education, lives in the community and has written multiple books about Ohio's history. Brook Park evolved into an industrial hub in the Midwest, and the area became home to Ford's second-largest manufacturing complex. The historical images in the book illustrate the roles Brook Park played in World War II, the Korean and Vietnam wars, NASA Glenn Research Center, vehicle manufacturing and this area becoming an airport center (Cleveland Hopkins International Airport). Today NASA employs over 3,000 people, and Ford's Engine Plant No. 1 employs more 1,700. The Images of America series celebrates the history of neighborhoods, towns, and cities across the country which shapes the character of the community today.



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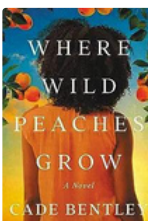


Carmella Van Vleet is a former teacher and the author of over a dozen books for kids. These include the 2023 Ohioana Book Award Finalist *Nothing Is Little*, and the Christopher Award winning *Eliza Bing Is Not a Big, Fat Quitter*. Her latest book, *You Gotta Meet Mr. Pierce!* (co-authored with Chiquita Mullins Lee and illustrated by Jennifer Mack-Watkins), introduces young readers to folk artist Elijah Pierce, a woodcarver from Columbus. You can learn more at CarmellaVanVleet.com or follow her on Twitter "X": @CarVanVleet. Carmella lives in Lewis Center, OH.



ABBY L. VANDIVER

Where Wild Peaches Grow \$14.95
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Abby L. Vandiver, also known as Abby Collette and Cade Bentley, is a versatile and acclaimed author from Cleveland, Ohio. With a career spanning various genres, she holds titles as a Wall Street Journal, USA Today, and international bestselling author. Starting in 2013 with self-published works, including the captivating "In the Beginning" series, she later ventured into cozy mysteries, creating four series. Abby also co-authored a historical/women's fiction novel and entered traditional publishing with the Romaine Wilder Mysteries series. Her academic background in economics and law led to a transition to full-time writing, where she now shares her expertise through teaching and serving as the Writer in Residence at the South Euclid-Lyndhurst Public Library's William L. Skirball Writer's Center.



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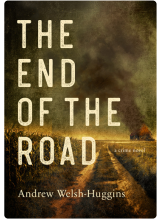


Lindsay Ward lives in Peninsula, Ohio. She is the author/illustrator of over 30 books for children, including the Amazon Bestselling *Dexter T. Rexter* series. Her newest books include *Pink Is Not a Color*, *The Capitol: A Meet the Capital Book*, *Jessie Queen of the Road*, and *Trusty Town Hall: A Community Helpers Book*. For more information about Lindsay visit her online at LindsayMWard.com or follow her on Twitter "X" or Instagram @LindsayMWard.



ANDREW WELSH-HUGGINS

The End of the Road\$26.95
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Andrew Welsh-Huggins is the Shamus, Derringer, and International Thriller Writers-award-nominated author of the Andy Hayes Private Eye series and editor of Columbus Noir. Kirkus calls his new crime novel, *The End of The Road*, "A crackerjack crime yarn chockablock with miscreants and a supersonic pace," while Library Journal included it on its list of "The Best Thrillers of the Year (So Far)." Follow Andrew on Social Media @AWHColumbus, or by visiting his website at AndrewWelshHuggins.com.



BRIANNA WILKOFF

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Brianna Wilkoff (she/her) believes wholeheartedly in the power of kindness, the importance of theatre, and the awesomeness of '80s rock, all of which feature in her debut young adult novel, *I'll Be There for You*. Her forthcoming YA novels include *Shatterproof* (fall 2024), about a girl with cancer who vows to make the most of whatever time she has left, and *Humbly Yours*, *Juliet* (winter 2025), about an English class that writes letters asking "Juliet" for love advice only to find the letters posted online. Brianna lives in Westerville, Ohio, with her husband, daughter, and dog. For more information, and to sign up for her newsletter, visit BriannaWilkoff.com. You can also follow her on Twitter "X" @BriannaWilkoff, Instagram @Brianna_Wilkoff, or Facebook @Brianna Wilkoff Author.



ASHLEY WILLOW

Stars of Life\$14.99



Ashley Willow resides just outside of Wooster, Ohio. Aside from her family (including fur family, of course), her greatest loves are writing and reading. She can always be found with a book, her laptop, and sometimes both. After several years working in the medical field, this novel was a true labor of love. *Stars of Life* has the romance to give all the feels along with exciting medical drama. Follow her on social media to get the the inside scoop. TikTok: @AshleyWillowWrites, Instagram: @Author_Ashley_Willow, and Facebook: Author Ashley Willow



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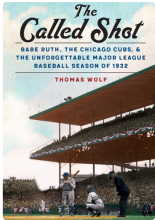


Misty and David Wilson are the husband-and-wife team behind *Play Like a Girl*, their debut middle grade graphic memoir about when Misty played football on the boys' team in seventh grade, which earned a starred review from Booklist and was a Junior Library Guild Gold Standard Selection. Both Misty and David are teachers and voracious readers. They live in Stow, Ohio with their two daughters. For more information, visit MistyWilsonWrites.com or WorkDavidWork.com, or visit them on Instagram: @MistyWilsonWrites & @DownPourDW.



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Thomas Wolf is from Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Wolf has written numerous articles on baseball history and is the coauthor of *Midnight Assassin: A Murder in America's Heartland* and *The Plea: The True Story of Young Wesley Elkins and His Struggle for Redemption*. His book, *The Called Shot: Babe Ruth, the Chicago Cubs, and the Unforgettable Major League Baseball Season of 1932*, was released as a paperback in April. ThomasWolfBooks.com for more information.



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Merrill Wyatt is from Toledo, Ohio and is the author of the humorous middle grade mystery series, *Tangled Up in Luck* series. All three books take place in Northwest and North Central Ohio, with the most recent book - *Tangled Up in Mayhem* - set in Cedar Point. Check out her website: AuthorMerrillWyatt.com and on social media Twitter "X": @eMrrill_Wwyatt, and Instagram: @Author_Merrill_Wyatt



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By Scott A. Zanon

Scott Zanon, an experienced gardener from Upper Arlington, Ohio, and a dedicated member of its Tree Commission, holds degrees in Agronomy and Horticulture from The Ohio State University. He's authored three tree books and this is his debut children's book, *The ABCs of Trees - A First Book about Trees* (2022). Concerned about children's screen time, Scott's book playfully encourages outdoor exploration, fostering an appreciation for nature and agriculture. His goal is to inspire future agriculturalists. For more, visit www.DesirableTrees.com.

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We're delighted to have you join us on Saturday, November 4th, from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm in Wooster, Ohio. Here's what you can expect:

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We can't wait to make this year's Buckeye Book Fair a memorable experience for you!



After the Buckeye Book Fair

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