



Schedule of Events

Friday, April 5, 2024

10:30am – 2:30pm **Workshop Intensive Panel: *Talking About Self-Publishing***
Panel Participants: Angela DeCaires, Danny Pelfrey & Sandy Webster
Kitty Taylor, Intensive Moderator

Light Snacks & Water will be provided. Please bring your own lunch.

5pm **Meet & Greet Reception**
Book Sales
Opening Receptions: *Artisan Pottery Exposition & Artist-In-Residence Jason Clemmons*

Saturday, April 6, 2024

8:15am – 8:45am **Check-In & Continental Breakfast Served**

8:45am – 9:00am **Welcome & Announcements**

9:00am – 10:00am **Keynote Speaker: Brian Panowich** Courtroom
TRIBE & FIRE: Abolishing the Myth of the Aspiring Writer Gallery

(Sponsored by Barbara Groce Memorial Fund)

10:15am – 11:15am **(a) Chris Negron** Courtroom
Tips & Tricks for Introducing Your Characters Gallery

(b) Agent Julie Gwinn Studio
Artificial Intelligence: A Guide for Writers Gallery

11:30am – 12:30pm **(a) Brian Panowich & Fannin County Sheriff Dane Kirby** Courtroom
Stories & Their Sources: A Conversation Between Brian Panowich and the Source of his Fictional Sheriff, the Real-Life Dane Kirby Gallery

(b) Agent Julie Gwinn Studio
Creating a Film Deck: The First Step from Page to Screen Gallery



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12:30pm – 1:30pm	Lunch & Book Sales Lunch is provided with registration fee	
1:30pm – 2:30pm	Speaker Panel: Ask Us Anything! <i>Panel Participants: Brian Panowich, Chris Negron, John Turner, Julie Gwinn & Rosemary Royston</i> <i>Linda Sands, Panel Moderator</i>	Courtroom Gallery
2:45pm – 3:45pm	(a) Chris Negron <i>Writing Middle Grade Books</i>	Courtroom Gallery
	(b) John Turner <i>Failing Your Way to Writing Success</i>	Studio Gallery
4:00pm – 5:00pm	(a) Rosemary Royston <i>To Tell & Retell in Poetic Form</i>	Courtroom Gallery
	(b) John Turner <i>The Quest & The Story: Turning Your Travel Adventure Into a Successful Narrative</i>	Studio Gallery