



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12
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Agent and Editor Pitches

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Passcode: 897504

10 AM – TBD	Anjanette Barr – Associate Literary Agent, Dunham Literary Room 1
	Mike Bray – CEO of Wolfpack Publishing Room 2
	Annette Chaudet – Publisher, Pronghorn Press Room 3
	Casey Cowan – President & CEO, Oghma Communications, Roan & Weatherford Publishing, Hat Creek Imprint Room 4
	Nicole Cunningham – Agent, The Book Group Room 5
	Dara Kaye – Agent, WME Books Room 6
	Sophia M. Ramos – Literary Associate, New Leaf Literary & Media Room 7
	Katie Reed – Literary Agent, Andrea Hurst & Associates Room 8
	Sinclair Sawhney – Senior Editor, Tule Publishing Room 9
	Julie VanLaanen – Publisher, Filter Press Room 10

11 AM – 12 PM	<p>Laurie Bower: Audiobooks: A Rising Star in the Literary Market</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82111075400?pwd=hwBvRmTdyDeBjSlznHaRn9NTWjT.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 821 1107 5400 Passcode: 142197</p>
	<p>Shirley Jump: Conflict – It’s Not an Argument</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84267217193?pwd=9dZ82GlgkcisBqGFhgGUjONC01fyiH.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 842 6721 7193 Passcode: 637575</p>
12 – 12:15 PM	<p>Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86400023084?pwd=3bhDoWq5g2eX59vDjhqIMhdJ511czz.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 864 0002 3084 Passcode: 765136</p>
12:15 – 1:45 PM	<p>Bring Your Lunch – Women Writing the West Awards and Readings</p> <p>The DOWNING Journalism Award – Linda Wommack, Chair The LAURA Short Fiction Award – Gayle Gresham, Chair</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84029083187?pwd=BkKUeb2nDO1eS71rBMJCvLR15FMaQ7.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 840 2908 3187 Passcode: 083568</p>
1:45 – 2 PM	<p>Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83304294627?pwd=Ug4ID77DfaPlpR9b1cUyONX2NAkcp7.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 833 0429 4627 Passcode: 564890</p>
<p>Agents and Editors Panel</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87411418956?pwd=6lPndbqh509OfiGaGkFcBplbv4Loet.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 874 1141 8956 Passcode: 097264</p>	
2 – 3 PM	Anjanette Barr – Associate Literary Agent, Dunham Literary
	Jake Bray – President, Wolfpack Publishing
	Annette Chaudet – Publisher, Pronghorn Press

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	Dara Kaye – Agent, WME Books
	Jane Porter – Founder and CEO, Tule Publishing
	Katie Reed – Literary Agent, Andrea Hurst & Associates
	Julie VanLaanen – Publisher, Filter Press
3 – 3:15 PM	<p>Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88425844000?pwd=8UaXmbNO5mYhdnSsClIU3eLJw7CbzN.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 884 2584 4000 Passcode: 288167</p>
	<p>Kim Taylor Blakemore: Editing Bootcamp</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86807075475?pwd=FYmjSYp8zbZEwcuiUxuIClBIRdAsJb.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 868 0707 5475 Passcode: 533212</p>
3:15 – 4:15 PM	<p>Jake Bray: AI and How it Relates to the Publishing Industry</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82411291563?pwd=s2xfs7aOTak5hIqKZ6DCMg5a6DC3XK.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 824 1129 1563 Passcode: 614357</p>
	<p>Julie Weston: From Memoir to Mystery – Grounding Prose in Reality</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85252402807?pwd=88tjwdot0VjwEcUhMmeUayo541dbSt.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 852 5240 2807 Passcode: 703145</p>
	<p>Film Night – Bring Your Popcorn! Showing of <i>Miner’s Candle</i>, a film by Manuela Schneider</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89541404087?pwd=HXhMowh1dlrXUzIVeVobjA1Ns7Yoel.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 895 4140 4087 Passcode: 558453</p>
4:15 – 5:15 PM	



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8 – 10 AM	<p>WWW ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING: Open to All Members</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Updates on WWW activities, awards, financials, and voting• Farewell to departing board members, and hello to VP/President-Elect and new directors• A sneak peek at the 2024 in-person conference in Denver• Introducing the new and improved Book Corral• Introducing the 2023-2024 President, Gayle Gresham <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86935092589?pwd=RGQVHMuLE9Jbp3uhGomTBGPAAtbj58J.1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meeting ID: 869 3509 2589 Passcode: 656066</p>
10 – 10:15 AM	<p>Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88266820410?pwd=1RXwKqWRKdJRX5wwM9F04HgkNw7lI.1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meeting ID: 882 6682 0410 Passcode: 848260</p>
10:15 – 11:15 AM	<p>Sarah Elisabeth Sawyer and Carmen Peone: Creating Believable Native American Characters</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83397367802?pwd=M66Ycg5ocbFuxYOH0Yo3Wmu2PMOSM5.1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meeting ID: 833 9736 7802 Passcode: 583110</p>

11:15 – 11:30 AM	Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members. Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87588582509?pwd=KSExybdptcAr4GH7jlU7gxJ8LCqDTI.1 Meeting ID: 875 8858 2509 Passcode: 803093
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Laura Drake: Query Workshop Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86135976666?pwd=wPSpWF4fWAodcgrcsSXJfJmAfnFLs7.1 Meeting ID: 861 3597 6666 Passcode: 632729
	Debra Thomas: Story, not Soapbox: How to Write Compelling Fiction about Injustice Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82928125954?pwd=kxw3dJVW5nmITS3Pd5RTTo0ZimtPFSk.1 Meeting ID: 829 2812 5954 Passcode: 613261
	Candace Simar: Dialogue, the Writer's Friend Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89825541183?pwd=1vOtfOErIlgGacGrQaWGxRcLkQkzV82.1 Meeting ID: 898 2554 1183 Passcode: 722176
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Lunch Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members. Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82282507647?pwd=sBtB210ByouBuPdBL0NRrlPRScWTYa.1 Meeting ID: 822 8250 7647 Passcode: 364070
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Corinne Joy Brown: Pre-teen and Tween: Writing Great Stories for Middle-Grade Readers Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83909603983?pwd=QHfxd1bKdlaMApv0hBHlaEzLWm7CSf.1 Meeting ID: 839 0960 3983 Passcode: 578191
	Vicki Felmlee: An Amateur's Guide to Ebook Publishing

<p>1:30 – 2:30 PM</p>	<p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87099309376?pwd=8pRp6K2ZFuD57hrX5aX6jRn19Nt317.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 870 9930 9376 Passcode: 109770</p> <hr/> <p>Janet Fox: The Importance of Backstory: Crafting Deeper Characters by Understanding Backstory Wounds</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83321079606?pwd=44QvXsyWoMkYLRgpivWLeFa4Vzxbda.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 833 2107 9606 Passcode: 062857</p>
<p>2:30 – 3 PM</p>	<p>Break – Come on into the break room and chat with your fellow members.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82521077022?pwd=GGf0H3EkIOY0LdpfA92o7KMSXedk7E.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 825 2107 7022 Passcode: 413492</p>
<p>3 – 4 PM</p>	<p>Keynote Speaker, Susan Straight</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81256055881?pwd=5Y9LgOeM8Hm0xPvFZhbhJbzbHlaoQG.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 812 5605 5881 Passcode: 185614</p>
<p>4 – 4:30 PM</p>	<p>Break – Take a break to grab your favorite beverage and get ready for our exciting WILLA award ceremony.</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84331649013?pwd=MbQvcfNY6m8bMyNVgljUnb88q09NBT.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 843 3164 9013 Passcode: 483464</p>
<p>4:30 – 6 PM</p>	<p>Women Writing the West Awards and Readings</p> <p>The WILLA Literary Award – Betsy Randolph, Chair</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84348957475?pwd=rwwDmdlaDnmrmX81oARjtg3bbBkXMP.1</p> <p>Meeting ID: 843 4895 7475 Passcode: 517494</p>
<p>Conference Closing – Lynn’s final remarks and Gayle’s closing remarks</p>	

6:15 – 7:15 PM	<p>Water Cooler Sessions</p> <p>Wish List for Board Wish List for the 2024 Conference</p> <p>Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86032964106?pwd=Y9Kb7fz4qgBPqKaSL1qBAMDL0UimdS.1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meeting ID: 860 3296 4106 Passcode: 260961</p>

Questions about the schedule?
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