



Texas Book Festival

Sixth Annual Texas Book Festival Schedule November 15-18, 2001 ★ Austin, Texas

November 15

Bon Appetit, Y'all: An Evening With Charlie Trotter & Friends

7 to 10 p.m. Thursday • The home of Deborah & Tom Green • \$100 per person

Sponsored by Williams Sonoma, with additional support from Central Market

Chicago restaurateur Charlie Trotter will prepare his favorite recipes from *Charlie Trotter Cooks at Home* and visit with guests. *Savueur* editor Colman Andrews and the Festival's other cookbook authors will be on hand to sign their books. Top Texas chefs Bruce Auden, Jeff Blank, David Garrido, and Stephan Pyles will also offer their specialties.

November 16

First Edition Literary Gala

6:30 to 10 p.m. Friday • Austin Marriott at the Capitol, 701 E. 11th St. • \$350 per person

Four distinguished authors will read from their works at this black-tie gourmet dinner. A silent auction of literary memorabilia will also be held.

Texas Book Festival After Hours

10 p.m. to midnight Friday • Two Austin coffeehouses (to be announced) • Free

A night of cutting-edge literary voices and slam poetry. Check the Web site in September for the whole 411 (or low-down) on venues and schedule.

November 17 & 18

Texas Book Festival Bookend Award Ceremony

10:30 a.m. Saturday • House Chamber, State Capitol • Free

The Texas Book Festival pays tribute to a Texas author for distinguished contributions to literature at the opening session of the Festival.

Readings & Panels

10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday & 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday • State Capitol & Capitol Extension • Free

Readings and panel discussions by 100-plus authors, primarily those who are Texans or those who have books with a Texas focus. The Texas Book Festival will also feature a few national authors with new releases.

Outdoor Events

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday & 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday • Colorado & 11th streets • Free

- Book signings and sales by featured authors at the Book Festival Signing Tents
- Sales of books and book-related merchandise by 80-plus vendors in the tented book fair
- Poetry readings
- The Children's Chapter, featuring book-related crafts, children's vendors, and entertainment by storytellers, musicians, puppet shows, and more
- Texas-style musical entertainment
- Refreshments

November 17

The Authors Party

7 to 10:30 p.m. Saturday • Four Seasons, 98 San Jacinto Blvd. • \$35 per person

Book lovers can mingle with their favorite authors at this "Texas-casual" event, which will feature a short tribute to 2001 TBF Bookend Award winner, live music, an hors d'oeuvres buffet, book sales, and a cash bar.

For ticket information, call 512/320-5451.

*For more information, call the Texas Book Festival at 512/477-4055
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