



The Baltimore Bibliophiles

A Literary Miscellany July 18, 2022

Binnie Syril Braunstein, Editor

Updated Calendar of Events for Fall, 2021 through November, 2022

Please note: Per request of one of our members,
descriptions of newly updated calendar events are highlighted in **bold**.

Spencer W. Stuart

A Collection's Coda: Deaccessioning Strategies
Thursday, September 23, 2021. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Ed Papenfuse

The Enterprising Roach Family of Baltimore, 1819-1830. It is a saga of marketing Books, Stationery, Musical instruments, Umbrellas, Printing, and Sign Painting, mixed with Millerites and fisticuffs with the Constabulary.

Wednesday, October 20, 2021. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Andrea Lewis - November 2021

Maryland Center for the Book - what is it?
Mt. Vernon Club, Baltimore. Annual meeting
Thursday, November 18, 2021. 6:00 pm.

Olya Samilenko

On her book *Snow Goose Chronicles: How the Goose Became a Peacock.*
Thursday, December 16, 2021. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Sallie Lowenstein

Adventures in Bookmaking: Tales of a children's book author, illustrator, publisher and maker of handmade books.

Thursday, January 20, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Reid Byers.

Program on his recently published book, *The Private Library.*
Wednesday, February 16, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Kenneth Gloss, Brattle Books Brattle Book Shop proprietor/Antiques Roadshow appraiser.
A Firsthand Look at Secondhand Books.

Tuesday, March 8, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

April Oettinger, Professor of Art History at Goucher College

Innovations in Teaching the History of the Book in the Liberal Arts Classroom. As presented to the Renaissance Society of America annual meeting, at Marsh's Library in Dublin, Ireland.

Thursday, April 21, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Elizabeth DeBold, Assistant Curator of Collections, Folger Shakespeare Library

Brush Up Your Shakespeare: The Harmsworth Collection and other things you didn't know about The Folger Shakespeare Library

Wednesday, May 18, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Peabody Library. Exhibit/Tour/Lunch

GRACE NOTES IN AMERICAN HISTORY: 200 Years of Songs from the Lester Levy Sheet Music Collection. Tour courtesy of exhibit curator, Sam Bessen.

Saturday, June 18, 2022. 11:00 AM. Box lunch.

Leonard Marcus

On his recent book: *You Can't Say That!: Writers for Young People Talk About Censorship, Free Expression, and the Stories They Have to Tell*

Wednesday, July 20, 2022. 7:00 PM. **ZOOM**

Wine & Cheese at Kelmscott Bookshop!

To celebrate the anniversary of Kelmscott at their new location at Savage Mill.

The Kelmscott Bookshop, 8600 Foundry Street Suite G-7, Savage, MD 20763

Saturday August 13, 2022. 2:00-4:30 PM.

Limited to 20 members. RSVP to Binnie required.

Spencer W. Stewart

The Making of a Collector. Interactive with participating members/attendees.

Wednesday, September 21, 2022. 7:00 pm. **ZOOM**

Evergreen House. Wine & Cheese. Learn about the Fowler Collection. (Architecture)

Limited to 20 people. \$16.50/person, including admission fee.

Complimentary wine/non-alcoholic beverages.

Friday, October 14. 3:00 pm-5:00 pm.

Annual Meeting.

Speaker: Charles Tharp On *George Washington's library at Mt. Vernon*

November, 2022. Exact date/time TBD. In person.

MedChi - The Maryland State Medical Society. 1211 Cathedral St., Baltimore

Event includes tour of MedChi by Director of Development, Meg Fairfax Fielding.

Binnie Syril Braunstein

Secrets of a writing career: How a bus ride led (dragged) the author to pen short stories and romance novels.

Date/Time/Venue TBD. In person or Zoom.

New feature...Spotlight on our members!

Donald Farren's collecting interests include Publishing by subscription; Princetoniana. Norman T. A. Munder; art deco book jackets.

News and Notes from Here and There...

Kelmscott Bookshop. July 2022 Sale. Peruse the July sale on American History, State History, American Biography, Presidential History, and Political Science. All books in these sections priced at \$100 or less are 30% off through the end of the month (excluding new arrivals and items sold on consignment). A few highlights are featured below. You can browse everything on sale [here](#) or you can browse by section by following these links:

Browse books on sale in [American History](#)

Browse books on sale in [American Biography](#)

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Browse books on sale in [Political Science](#)

Browse books on sale in [Presidential History](#)

https://bit.ly/Kelmscott_July2022_SALE

BBC via Literary Hub: “The Norwegian library with unreadable books.” By Richard Fisher. Some of the world's most celebrated authors have written manuscripts that won't be published for a century – why?

https://www.bbc.com/future/article/20220630-the-norwegian-library-with-unreadable-books?utm_source=Sailthru&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Lit%20Hub%20Weekly:%20July%209%2C%202022&utm_term=lithub_weekly_master_list

Sotheby's: “The Tail of Eeyore.” By Nadia Shireen. *Illustrator E.H. Shepard's drawings of A.A. Milne's notoriously glum Eeyore have charmed generations of children, around the world. As Sotheby's presents two very special examples of Shepard's drawings of the doleful donkey, award-winning children's author Nadia Shireen reflects on the character's enduring appeal in the hearts of millions of Milneans.*

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1wDJ2uqF2Jh_y5HucslCmgjkktyEOhN03BVNBgAvKs4/edit

Christie's: “Seven revolutionary scientific works that shaped the modern world.”

Groundbreaking books by some of the greatest minds in human history, from Copernicus to Galileo, Darwin to Einstein, come to Christie's in London on 13 July.

https://www.christies.com/features/ideas-that-made-the-modern-world-12362-1.aspx?sc_lang=en&cid=EM_EMLcontent04144C16Section_A_Story_3_1&COSID=43371073&cid=DM479932&bid=318458028

From The Library of Congress via ExLibris: New virtual series: *From the Vaults*. Check out the hot links within the explanation below.

Dear Friends, Colleagues, and Rare Book Enthusiasts -

The [Rare Book and Special Collections Division](#) at the Library of Congress is delighted to announce the launch of a new virtual series entitled *From the Vaults!* This series features RBSCD staff and invited guests discussing everything from crystal gazing experiments in the

Harry Houdini Collection to modern art treasures in the newly donated Aramont Library– and everything in-between! **A full list of videos can be found on YouTube**. We hope you enjoy! More great content coming soon, so stay tuned!

Very Best,

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Check out RBSCD's new virtual series, **From the Vaults!**

Maryland Road Trips: “*The Road to Your Next Page Turner – 7 Independent Bookstores in Maryland.*” By Stephanie Verni.

<https://marylandroadtrips.com/the-road-to-your-next-page-turner-7-independent-bookstores-in-maryland/>

Book Riot: “How do Books Become Valuable?” By Asiling Twomey.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1wDJ2uqF2Jh_y5HucslCmgjkktyEOhN03BVNBgAvKs4/edit

Early Bird Books: “13 Bizarre Author Pen Names: Sue Denim. Say it fast.”

By Lillian T. Hogarth (a.k.a. Molly Reiniger)

<https://earlybirdbooks.com/bizarre-author-pen-names>

AP News: “New Dr. Seuss-inspired books to feature diverse creators.”

By Mark Pratt

https://apnews.com/article/new-dr-seuss-inspired-books-diverse-creators-05fbaa1cf59c17c208f9cbfc87db507a?utm_source=Sailthru&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Lit%20Hub%20Daily:%20March%203%2C%202022&utm_term=lithub_master_list

Literary Hub: This week in Literary History, July 10-July 16.

<https://link.lithub.com/view/602ea70a180f243d653298a0gv1qw.h5o/805090b4>

Literary Hub: This Week in Literary History, July 17-Jul 23.

<https://link.lithub.com/view/602ea70a180f243d653298a0gwosc.o3n/d963d0ad>

Fine Books & Collections: Fine Books Notes July.

<https://www.finebooksmagazine.com/>

The Library of Congress via *Book Riot: National Book Festival returns this*

Labor Day Weekend! By Leah Knobel. At the DC Convention Center. Some events will be live-streamed, so if interested, check out the link below for details. ***One day only: Saturday, September 3, 2022.***

<https://blogs.loc.gov/loc/2022/07/the-2022-national-book-festival-lineup-reveal/?loclr=ealocb>

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