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Chippewa Valley Book Festival Kicks off on Monday

It's not too late! There's still time to register for the 22nd annual Chippewa Valley Book Festival. The festival is proud to bring six spectacular author events next week, October 25–October 29, 2021. All these events have a virtual option and three include an in-person presentation at Pablo Center at the Confluence. Events are FREE and open to the public. Walk-up registration will be available for the events taking place at Pablo Center but registering in advance helps us determine how to set up the JAMF Theatre for best viewing. If you are planning virtual participation, you can register right up until the event starts and even after the events are underway.

The festival features authors across genres and diverse backgrounds. Don't miss your chance to be inspired by these authors and their unique stories.

- Monday, October 25, 7:00 p.m. – **Lila Quintero Weaver: South American Eyes in the American South** – *Darkroom: A Memoir in Black & White*
- Tuesday, October 26, 7:00 p.m. – **Kao Kalia Yang: A Journey to Belonging** – *Somewhere in the Unknown World*
- Wednesday, October 27, 4:00 p.m. – **Dasha Kelly Hamilton: A Line Meant** – *Almost Crimson*
- Wednesday, October 27, 7:00 p.m. – **Brian Freeman: A Thrill a Minute** – *The Deep, Deep Snow*
- Thursday, October 28, 7:00 p.m. – **Kate Moore: History's Forgotten Heroine and Modern Lessons** – *The Woman They Could Not Silence*
- Friday, October 29, 7:00 p.m. – **Madeline Miller: Literary Witches** – *Circe*

For full festival details and complete list of authors, visit <https://www.cvbookfest.org/2021-festival-events>. Author photos and book jackets can be sent upon request. Please reach out to chippewavalleybookfestival@gmail.com for all graphic inquiries.

The Chippewa Valley Book Festival partners with the Pablo Center at the Confluence, and the University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire Foundation to provide literary programming for all Chippewa Valley residents.

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