



2025 Schedule

Location Key:  Black Cat Main Stage

 OBD Side Stage

Saturday

- 9-10am - Breakfast Book Swap 
- 10-10:15am - Opening Remarks and Welcome 
- 10:30-11:15am - Hometown Stories: A Q&A with Ohio Indie Authors 
- 11:15am-12:30pm - Meet & Greet with Ohio Indies 
- 11:30am-12:15pm - Phantoms and Folklore: Creeping Through Local Legends 
- 12:15-1:15pm - Folklore Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 1-1:45pm - Myth and Magic: Crafting Enchanting Worlds 
- 1:45-2:45pm - Fantasy Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 2-2:30pm - Conversation with Daniel A. Hoyt 
- 2:30-3:30pm - Daniel A. Hoyt Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 3:15-4pm - Mastering Fear: Inside the Minds of Horror Writers 
- 4-5pm - Horror Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 4:53pm - Confession 4 Launch Party with Sarah Forester Davis 
- 5:30-6:15pm - Monstrously Yours: Exploring the Allure of Monster Romance 
- 6:15-7pm - Monster Romance Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 

Sunday

- 8:30-10am - Breakfast & Bookish Bingo 
- 10:30-11am - Fireside Chat with Melissa Landers, The Half King 
- 11am-12pm - Melissa Landers Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 11am-12pm - Bookish Trivia 
- 12:30-1pm - In Conversation with: John Scalzi & Tochi Onyebuchi 
- 1-2pm - John Scalzi & Tochi Onyebuchi Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 1-1:45pm - Swords, Spells & Swoons: An Ohio Romantasy Showcase 
- 1:45-2:45pm - Romantasy Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 2:30-3pm - Fireside Chat with Emily Carpenter, Gothictown 
- 3-4pm - Emily Carpenter Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 3:15-3:45pm - Conversation with James Renner 
- 3:45-4:45pm - James Renner Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 4:30-5:15pm - First Love, Lasting Impact: Romance That Resonates 
- 5:15-6:15pm - Romance Author Meet & Greet and Book Signing 
- 5:15-6:15pm - Book Club Discussion 
- 6:30-7pm - Closing Remarks & Giveaways 