



TEXAS BOOK FESTIVAL

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Texas Book Festival to celebrate local independent publishers, Feb. 20

WHAT

Join the Texas Book Festival in a celebration of Austin's independent publishers at TBF <3s Indies. Guests will enjoy discounted drink specials, literary swag, and raffle prizes.

The event is free and open to the public. Use the event hashtag #TBFheartsIndies to join the online conversation and find out the latest event details.

WHO

Participating local indies include:

- [A Strange Object](#), a literary publisher dedicated to publishing surprising, heartbreaking fiction in strange packages
- [Unstuck Books](#), a literary journal that emphasize stories, poems, and even essays with elements of the fantastic, the futuristic, the surreal, and the strange
- [The Austin Review](#), a nonprofit literary journal that draws inspiration from the flourishing art scene of Austin, Texas
- [Write Bloody Publishing](#), publisher and promoter of great books of poetry, short fiction, and humor
- [American Short Fiction](#), a literary magazine that selects and publishes short stories, short shorts, novellas, and novel excerpts by established and new writers
- [Foxing Quarterly](#), print-only literary and arts journal that delivers inventive, well-cultivated nourishment to the lit, art, and print community
- [fields](#), an arts and culture journal designed to spotlight writers, musicians, poets, painters, illustrators, and creative types of all stripes, with an emphasis on the up and coming and the unsung
- [Slagdrop](#), a collaborative effort between writers, musicians, and artists to bring readers the best new stories in the most exciting way possible

WHEN

Thursday, February 20, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

WHERE

Cheer Up Charlies, 900 Red River

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About Texas Book Festival

The Texas Book Festival is a nonprofit organization that celebrates authors and their contributions to the culture of literacy, ideas, and imagination. Founded in 1995 by Laura Bush and a group of volunteers, the Festival is held on the grounds of the Texas Capitol every October. The Festival features author readings from more than 225 renowned Texas and national authors, panel discussions, book signings, musical entertainment, live cooking demonstrations, and children's activities. Thanks to donors, sponsors, and nearly 1,000 volunteers, the Festival remains free and open to the public. TBF supports Texas public libraries and literacy through its Library Grants and Reading Rock Stars programs, and also hosts events across the state year-round. Visit www.texasbookfestival.org for more information, and join the conversation using the hashtag #txbookfest on Facebook and Twitter @texasbookfest.