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### News Release

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#### EAST HAMPTON LIBRARY'S 19TH ANNUAL

## • AUTHORS NIGHT •

Saturday, August 12, 2023 at 5 p.m. | at Herrick Park, East Hampton Village

*The Premier Literary Event of the Hamptons Returns!*

(East Hampton, NY, July 21, 2023) – On Saturday, August 12, 2023, the East Hampton Library will present its 19th Annual Authors Night fundraiser. One of the most popular and celebrity-studded events of the Hamptons' summer calendar, Authors Night features 100 authors across all genres. The "Premier Literary Event of the Hamptons" has grown over its history to become one of the most successful celebrations of books and authors in America, and one of the largest library-author events of its kind in the country.

**Participating authors include:** Jim Acosta, Tessa Bailey, Don Bentley, Geoffrey Berman, Bill Boggs, Marie Brenner, Patrick Bringley, Alafair Burke, Robert A. Caro, Carmela Ciuraru, Tom Clavin, Misty Copeland, Jane Ferguson, Daisy Alpert Florin, Amy Fusselman, Lauren Graham, Maggie Haberman, Helen A. Harrison, Kristy Woodson Harvey, Robert Hofler, A.M. Homes, Susan Isaacs, Jean Hanff Korelitz, Setha Low, Wesley Lowery, Steve Madden, Annabel Monaghan, David Netto, Susan Patterson, Paulina Poriskova, Prudence Peiffer, Jane Rosen, Deborah Goodrich Royce, Sydney Sadick, Ryan Serhant, Jill Santopolo, Neil deGrasse Tyson, Viola Shipman, Linda Villarosa, Jann Wenner, Chris Whipple, Michael Wolff—and many more. List in formation. For full list, check: <https://authorsnight.org/authors/>

"As we mark the 19th anniversary of Authors Night, we're thrilled to present the event once again in the heart of East Hampton Village," said Dennis Fabiszak, East Hampton Library Director. "We're thankful to the East Hampton Village Board for facilitating the use of Herrick Park and grateful for the generosity, participation, and support of both the local and literary communities. The funds raised at Authors Night enable the East Hampton Library to provide our diverse community with essential programming and services throughout the year—all free of charge."

**EVENT LOCATION:** Authors Night will be held under a grand tent on the Herrick Park field at 67 Newtown Lane in East Hampton Village, NY. ***Please note: The event is NOT held at the Library.***

**EVENT ITINERARY:** The evening begins at 5 pm with the Authors Reception under a grand tent, where guests enjoy delicious hors d'oeuvres and wine, meet and mingle with the authors, buy their books, and have them personally inscribed. At 8 pm, directly following the Authors Reception, guests dine at dinner parties at private area homes in honor of one or more of the guest authors.

**TICKETS:** Tickets are \$150 for the Authors Reception only, and begin at \$400 for the dinners (includes entry to book signing reception). Tickets are available online at authorsnight.org, at the Library (159 Main St., East Hampton, NY), and by phone at (631) 324-0222.

**BENEFICIARY:** Proceeds from this special event benefit the East Hampton Library, a not-for-profit organization providing outstanding free library services to the East Hampton community since 1897.

**MORE INFO:** For complete event details, visit the Authors Night website: [authorsnight.org](https://authorsnight.org)

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