The Berkeley Public Library Foundation’s
20th Annual Authors Dinner

SPONSOR Information

Join us for Berkeley’s most beloved literary gala of the season! Celebrating Bay Area authors and supporting your public library.

What We Do
The Berkeley Public Library Foundation raises funds to expand STEM literacy, jump-start new projects, re-imagine library spaces, and enable innovations at all five library locations. We partner with individuals, organizations, foundations, and businesses to provide resources that keep Berkeley’s libraries creative, flexible, and ready to serve the needs of our diverse and growing community.

Why Sponsor?
In today’s world, libraries are more important than ever. The Authors Dinner supports the innovations and offerings that make the Berkeley Public Library the extraordinary resource it is for our community. Your gift helps fund an essential community service while increasing your exposure and visibility as a philanthropic leader.

Event Details
The Authors Dinner, the Foundation’s signature annual event, brings our community together to celebrate Bay Area authors and our region’s rich literary tradition. The highlight for guests is mingling with our twenty honored authors — during a lively reception, over a sumptuous dinner, and throughout the festive program that spotlights each author’s personal story and most recent book. It’s a sparkling, not-to-be-missed evening, celebrating Bay Area authors, our library, and our region’s rich literary tradition.

WHEN: 6:30 p.m. Saturday, March 4, 2023
WHERE: Central Library, 2090 Kittredge Street, Berkeley

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Thank you!
Every sponsor makes a difference. Contact us and make your commitment today.
Call Kathy at 510.981.6115 or email khuff@bplf.org

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Sponsorship Commitment Form

☐ YES! I’d like to sponsor the 20th Annual Authors Dinner on March 4, 2023

Contact Name _________________________________________________________________

Phone ___________________________ Email ________________________ Website ____________

Name(s) as it should appear on event materials

Gift levels:

☐ Luminary $50,000+ (2 tables of 8 for 16 guests)  ☐ Literary Lion $25,000+ (Table for 10 guests)  ☐ Laureate $10,000+ (Table for 8 guests)  ☐ Belletrist $5,000+ (Seating for 4 guests)

☐ Bibliophile $2,500+ (Seating for 2 guests)  ☐ Underwriter $1,500+ (Reception only, call for details)  ☐ Challenge Grant (Call for details)  ☐ Love A Librarian $600 donation that sends a library staff member to enjoy the event.

☐ Sorry, I/we cannot sponsor this year but wish to make a gift in support of the Library.

☐ I/we wish to donate back #_____ of our tickets.

All sponsorships are tax deductible, less the cost of any tickets you use.

TOTAL AMOUNT $________________________

Method of payment: ( ) Check, payable to Berkeley Public Library Foundation

( ) This is a pledge for payment ______December 2022_______ January 2023

( ) Credit card

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Please respond by December 5 to secure seating and take full advantage of all sponsor benefits.

Send completed form to events@bplf.org or mail to:
Library Foundation, Attn: Kathy Huff, 2090 Kittredge Street, Berkeley CA 94704.
Call us at 510.981.6115

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Thank you!