

Supporting the Festival



•Become a Partner

Our partners are long term supporters and collaborators of the festival.

•Become a Sponsor

Read about our different sponsorship opportunities.

•In-Kind Contributions

In-kind contributions are critical to our organization as they offer us the opportunity to put funds directly into our programs. In-kind contributions to the festival will be recognized in their respective sponsorship category based on the retail value of the donation.

•Volunteer

Volunteers are important to our event; they help our audience connect with the authors and the authors connect to our community. We rely on volunteers for numerous opportunities including, room ambassador, book signing assistance, event promoter, author escort, event photography and with committee work.

To sign up to be a volunteer, please visit:
<http://foxcitiesbookfestival.org/volunteers>.

Sponsorship Levels



Advanced Reader Copy \$5,000

Credit in printed Festival program
Name or logo on website
Five Facebook and Twitter mentions
Verbal acknowledgement at headliner events
Option to introduce an author at an event
Sponsor Spotlight feature in our newsletter

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Name or logo on website
Five Facebook and Twitter mentions
Verbal acknowledgement at headliner events
Option to introduce an author at an event

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Credit in printed Festival program
Name or logo on website
Four Facebook and Twitter mentions

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Credit in printed Festival program
Name on website
Two Facebook and Twitter mentions

Paperback \$250

Credit in printed Festival program
Name on website
One Facebook and Twitter mentions

Chapbook \$100

Credit in printed Festival program
Name on website

Byline \$50

Credit in printed Festival program

How to Donate



We accept cash, check, and credit/debit through PayPal donations.

Help connect readers and writers by making a donation to the Fox Cities Book Festival.

In our goal of making the Festival a success by focusing on the importance of literacy education and providing a fun, culture-building experience for readers and writers of all ages, your help is greatly appreciated.

Lending your support would enable us to coordinate and organize activities, fund the expenses of hosting our authors and generate momentum for our exciting events.

The Fox Cities Book Festival is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Donations are tax deductible.

To learn how you or your organization can help, please contact:

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OR send your contribution to:

Fox Cities Book Festival
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About the Festival



Fox Cities Book Festival Partners

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Sponsorship Opportunities

**FOX CITIES
BOOK FESTIVAL
2018**

Connecting Readers and Writers

Our Mission: Celebrating books and authors to build an engaged community of readers.

Poems and stories can be powerful. They can make us see the world in ways we never have. They can make us question our own beliefs and values. And they can make us remember what is most important to us in this world.

For ten years the Fox Cities Book Festival has been bringing people together to share stories and poems. The power of our mission—celebrating books and authors to build an engaged community of readers—affects our community in ways that have a lasting impact.

To demonstrate the community impact, I look back at the recent visit of author Ruta Sepetys, who was here to talk about her book *Salt to the Sea* for Fox Cities Reads 2018. If you saw one of her presentations, you know what a treat it was. Here are a few comments from those in the audience:

"I loved her comment about how we are divided by history but united by story. Such a powerful talk last night--thank you!" - Emily Bowles

"To hear from the author - such an articulate, passionate and detailed writer/storyteller - in an intergenerational audience that asked great questions was an evening I will long treasure." - Kara Vozel Patterson

"I talked about this evening with 16 middle schoolers the next day from Seymour Middle School Battle of the Books (group winners). They heard her speak on Friday as well and were full of enthusiasm about her talk." - Melissa Sands Boveroux

Clearly it is difficult to measure the value of Fox Cities Book Festival's mission entirely in terms of dollars or numbers. The ideas, belief, and values expressed through poems and stories provide a platform for discussion and exploration of what is common to all of us, and we have a better place to live because of it.

Please consider supporting the Fox Cities Book Festival. Our mission adds power and strength to our community.

Sincerely,
Bernie Edmonds,
President FCBF

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