# FESTIVAL OF JEWISH GONVERSATIONS BOOKS

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# November 1 - November 18, 2018

# Tickets can be purchased at www.JewishTampa.com/BookFestival

# **Ghapter One: Opening Night**

Thursday, November 1, 2018 JCC on the Cohn Campus

#### THE SHOWMAN | 7:00 PM



Dawn Raffel, The Strange Case of Dr. Couney, How a Mysterious European Showman Saved Thousands of American Babies. Tickets are \$18 and include Spirits and a Light Dinner Buffet.

# **Ghapter Two: Day of Ghampions**

Sunday, November 4, 2018 Bryan Glazer Family JCC

#### SIP & SKYPE | 10:30 AM



Chloe Benjamin, The Immortalists. Tickets are \$5 and include drinks to sip and a nosh.

## BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS | 11:30 AM



Aili McConnon, Road to Valor, A True Story of World War II Italy, the Nazis, and the Cyclist Who Inspired A Nation. Tickets are \$15 and include a Breakfast Buffet.

## AFTERNOON OF CHAMPIONS | 2:00 PM



Harold Shinitzky, A Champion's Mindset: 15 Mental Conditioning Steps to Becoming a Champion Athlete. Tickets are \$5 and include healthy snacks.

# **Gkapter Three: In The Festival Bookstore**

Wednesday, November 7, 2018 JCC on the Cohn Campus

## FEATURED LOCAL AUTHOR | 6:30 PM



Rachel Harris, Warriors, Witches, Whores -Women in Israeli Cinema. Free admission

#### FEATURED LOCAL AUTHOR | 7:30 PM



Jeff Lipkes, Rehearsals: The German Army in Belgium, August 1914. Free admission

## **Ghapter Five: Veterans Day Book Festival Events**

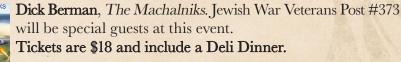
Sunday, November 11, 2018 JCC on the Cohn Campus

#### AFTERNOON RUSH HOUR | 3:00 PM



Stephen Fried, Rush: Revolution, Madness & The Visionary Doctor Who Became A Founding Father. Tickets are \$10 and include a Gourmet Coffee Bar with Pick-Me-Up Snack Buffet.

#### TAKING FLIGHT | 5:00 PM



# **Ghapter Six: In The Festival Bookstore**

Wednesday, November 14, 2018 JCC on the Cohn Campus

#### TAKE A JOURNEY | 7:00 PM



Rudolph Ruder, The Long Journey to Cleveland. Free admission

# **Gkapter Seven: Signature Festival Day**

Sunday, November 18, 2018 Bryan Glazer Family JCC

#### SIP & SKYPE | 1:30 PM



Ilana Kurshan, If All the Seas Were Ink. Winner of the 2018 Sami Rohr Prize for Jewish Literature. Tickets are \$5 and include drinks to sip and a nosh.

#### YOUNG ADULT NOVEL TEA - AUTHOR PANEL: VALLADARES & FRANK 2:30 PM



Ellen Wolfson Valladares, Crossing the Line. Valladares is an award-winning writer/author and a native Floridian. Her novel is an intriguing, mystical tale about friendship, fate and the courage to believe.



Sarah Frank, One Chance. Local Blake High School teen author, Frank has already won her first award from the Florida Authors & Publishers Association. Frank and Valladares will be featured together. Tickets are \$12 and will include High Tea.

## Gkapter Four: Lunch and Laugh

Friday, November 9, 2018 Carrollwood Country Club 13903 Clubhouse Drive, Tampa, FL 33618

#### LUNCHEON | 11:30 AM

Marilyn Simon Rothstein, Husbands and Other Sharp Objects. Tickets are \$25 and include a lunch buffet. Advance reservations by 11/1/18 are required for this event.





## DINNER & A MOVIE | 5:00 PM



Gerri Chanel, Saving Mona Lisa, The Battle to Protect The Louvre and Its Treasures During World War II. Chanel is a prize-winning freelance journalist who divides her time between Paris, New York and Toronto. Feature film: "The Monuments Men." Tickets are \$18 and include a Dinner Buffet.

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