Schedule of Events

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021  KICK-OFF
CityLit Festival & Writers LIVE! present
Emily St. John Mandel (The Glass Hotel)
& Jenny Offill (Weather): Tales of a Different World
Reading & Audience Q & A
7:00 - 8:00 pm (Zoom Webinar)
The Writer’s Room
8:00 - 8:30 pm (Zoom Meet)

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 2021
CityLit Festival presents Terrance Hayes
A Poet of These Times: How We Breathe
Reading & Audience Q & A
7:00 - 8:00 pm (Zoom Webinar)
The Writer’s Room
8:00 - 8:30 pm (Zoom Meet)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 2021
CityLit Festival Master Class with George Saunders
Eventbrite registration required.
7:30 - 8:30 pm ($10, Pay what you can, Donate)

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2021
CITYLIT FESTIVAL: Reimagined
10:00 - 11:00 am FEATURED EVENT
The Wolf You Feed: Brandon Hobson, The Removed & Kelli Jo Ford, Crooked Hallelujah
10:00 am - 12:00 pm
One-on-One 30-Minute Editorial Critique Sessions: Rosalia Scalia, Karen Houppert, Bret McCabe, Laura Ballou, Rebekah Kirkman and Chelsea Fetzer (Zoom Meet)
11:00 am - 12:30 pm
ReThinking How We Do Story: A 90-minute craft intensive featuring Jennifer Baker, Courtney Maum, Matthew Salesses and Felicia Rose Chavez with Susan Muaddi Darraj moderating.
1:00 - 2:00 pm FEATURED EVENT
The Mattering of Words: Nikky Finney
A Reading and Audience Q & A
2:00 - 3:00 pm
Who’s Missing? & Who’s Here Now? Children’s & YA Lit with Randi Pink, Laura Shovan and Saadia Faruqi
3:00 - 4:15 pm FEATURED EVENT
The Writer’s Room: Poet to Poet w/Nikky Finney
4:15 - 5:30 pm
The State of Baltimore: Brandon Soderberg, Joshua Davis and Alana Nichols with Nneka N’Namdi of Fight Blight Baltimore moderating.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2021
The Joy in Grief: Finding Life in Death with Gayle Danley & Kimberley Lynne
3 Workshop Event: March 24, March 31 & April 7
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021  FINALE
Somewhere in the Reflection: A Visual Presentation curated by Nia June, A Poet Named Nate & Kirby Griffin
7:30 - 9:00 pm

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