

TELLERS-IN-RESIDENCE

All events held at the International Storytelling Center's Mary B. Martin Storytelling Hall.

Storytelling Live! 2022

For tickets or information call 800-952-8392 or 423-753-2171 or visit storytellingcenter.net

Reservations encouraged for all performances. Seating is limited.

MATINEE PERFORMANCES

2 pm daily, Tuesday-Saturday



May 3-7
Andy Offutt Irwin
Georgia



May 10-14
Gene Tagaban
Washington



May 17-21
Donna Washington
North Carolina



May 24-28
Andy Hedges
Texas



May 31-June 4
Pippa White
Nebraska



June 7-11
Antonio Rocha
Maine



June 14-18
Carol Birch
Connecticut



June 21-25
Len Cabral
Rhode Island



June 28-July 2
Sam Payne
Utah



July 5-9
Carolina Quiroga
Georgia



July 12-16
Elizabeth Ellis
Texas



July 19-23
Minton Sparks
Tennessee



July 26-30
Kate Campbell
Tennessee



August 2-6
Tim Lowry
South Carolina



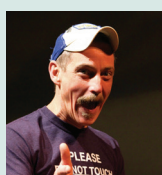
August 9-13
Motoko
Massachusetts



August 16-20
Michael Reno Harrell
North Carolina



August 23-27
Sheila Arnold
Virginia



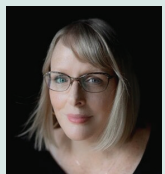
August 30-September 3
Bil Lepp
West Virginia



September 6-10
Geraldine Buckley
Maryland



September 13-17
Tom Lee
Connecticut



September 20-24
Kim Weitkamp
Ohio



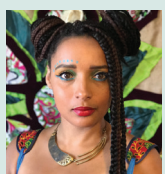
September 27-October 1
Beth Horner
Illinois



October 3-6
Donald Davis
North Carolina



October 11-15
Chuck Brodsky
North Carolina



October 18-22
Mara Menzies
Scotland



October 25-29
Sheila Kay Adams
North Carolina

Schedule may change without notice

SEASON PREVIEW

Bil Lepp

Thursday, April 28
2 pm · \$15

Kick off the *Storytelling Live!* season in hilarious style with this concert featuring both Bil's greatest hits and new stories. "Lepp is a side-splittingly funny man."
—The Smithsonian Center for Folk Life



EVENING CONCERTS

Not Recommended for Children under 12

Elizabeth Ellis

Thursday, July 14 · 7:30 pm · \$15
Old Maps, New Journeys

The past may guide us, but it doesn't determine who we may become. We decide what pieces of our past are of value and what we should discard, and laugh at what we put ourselves through along the way.



Tim Lowry

Thursday, August 4 · 7:30 pm · \$15
Ten Thousand Tries

You know what they say, "If at first you don't succeed . . ." Tim Lowry tells the inspirational story of Thomas Edison.



Bil Lepp

Thursday, September 1 · 7:30 pm · \$15
Inherent Risk

It's a fine line between fun and trouble when it comes to Bil Lepp.

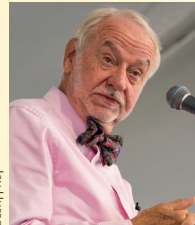


Donald Davis

Wednesday, October 5
7:30 pm · \$20

THAT'S Not on the Test

Things we learned in school that were not part of the curriculum!



This evening concert is a special event held in the Library Tent on the grounds of the National Storytelling Festival.

Sheila Kay Adams

Thursday, October 27 · 7:30 pm · \$15
Mountain Music and Mean Outlaws

Join NEA National Heritage Award winner and world-class balladeer, Sheila Kay Adams, for an evening of mountain stories and songs.



CHILDREN'S STORYTELLING CONCERTS

Admission \$5
All Ages; Best for Children 5-10

Gene Tagaban

Saturday, May 14 · 10:30 am

Learn about Gene Tagaban's Native American heritage through story, dance, and music. 45 minutes



Carol Birch

Saturday, June 18 · 10:30 am

Join award-winning storyteller, Carol Birch, for children's tales told true and tales told skewed! 45 minutes



WORKSHOPS



Minton Sparks

Thursday, July 21 · 9:30-11:30 am · \$30
Origin Stories

Every one of us has a story about who we are. Some are wildly inspiring; other times, they are the very things that hold us back. This writing workshop will take you on a surprising tour of your own family tree while studying storytelling techniques and learning from Minton's own work and experience. No writing or performance experience necessary.

A gifted storyteller and writer, Minton has taught writing workshops at universities and professional organizations across the U.S.



Motoko

Saturday, August 13 · 10-11:30 am · \$10
Origami Adventure: Combined Performance and Workshop

Motoko explores the art of origami; performing stories and sharing step-by-step instructions that make this ancient Japanese art fun and accessible. Materials provided. Please call 423-913-1276 to secure a seat. All ages. 90 minutes.

A native of Osaka, Japan, storyteller and teaching artist Motoko has appeared in venues across the country, including Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood.



Kim Weitkamp

Thursday, September 22
9:30-11:30 am · \$30

STAND OUT: Sharpen Your Story

Within a five-mile radius of every nonprofit organization, there are approximately 20 others—and almost all of them have a worthy mission. How can you stand out? By telling a compelling story about what you do. This workshop will help you hone your organization's story and learn to leverage it in digital marketing, across social media platforms, and within your own team.

Kim has led workshops nationally for business leaders, nonprofits, and volunteers, and has consulted with organizations including Feeding America and Nestle Purina.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Reservations Strongly Recommended



Tim Lowry

Friday, December 2
2 pm and 7:30 pm · \$20

Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol

Join Lowry for his beloved show, Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*, as he brings to life the Ghosts of Christmases Past, Present, and Future along with Ebenezer Scrooge and Tiny Tim. Ages 10 and up. Refreshments follow the show.

Bil Lepp, Regi Carpenter and Andy Offutt Irwin

Thursday, December 15-Saturday, December 17
2 pm and 7:30 pm · \$20

Naughty or Nice?

New year, new ensemble—with a storytelling, music, and variety show full of fun, fools, and family! Perfect for holiday merriment making. Refreshments follow the show.



Jay Huron



Dede Hatch

