



SATURDAY,
APRIL 27TH



We're glad you're excited about the 2019 Teen Lit Con!

This info is for adult travelers only.

This year, to reserve a spot on the bus, we are requiring a refundable \$5 (cash) deposit. The deposit will be returned to you after you get on the bus on Saturday, April 27th. If you would like to attend, you must complete the consent and permission form. **Return your form and \$5 deposit as soon as possible to reserve your seat.** Forms can be picked up at the Marshall-Lyon County Library or printed off from mlclibrary.org. **Please return your form to the Marshall-Lyon County Library.**

Seating is limited. Teens have priority, followed by college students. All permission forms and deposits are due before the Marshall library closes (7:30 pm) on Monday, April 22nd.

Because teens have priority, we can't guarantee you a seat on the bus until all teens have turned in their forms. Because of that, we'll contact you on April 23rd to confirm whether or not we have space for you. If there isn't space, you can pick up your deposit any time before May 11th.

The bus will leave promptly from the Marshall-Lyon County Library at 6:15 am on Saturday, April 27th, and return at approximately 7:15 pm that evening. We won't wait for you!

Find out you can't make it after you've turned in your form and deposit? You can cancel and get your deposit back through April 26th. Please contact Emilirose at the Marshall library to cancel: 507-337-6187 or emilirose.rasmusson@marshallyonlibrary.org. After April 26th, your deposit will be forfeit and donated to fund future Teen library programs.

Interested in attending Teen Lit Con, but don't want to ride the bus? The event is free, and there is no registration necessary to attend the event. Just get yourself to Henry Sibley High School on Saturday, April 27th, and have a great time! Be aware that because the event is for teens, so they'll have priority for freebies and limited-space activities.

Featuring...

TOMI ADEYEMI
Becky Albertalli

LAMAR GILES
Jarret J. Krosoczka

BRIAN BLISS
MARtha BROCKENBROUGH

Alison McGhee

SARA BIREN

JUNAUDA PETRUS

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J. M. LEE
Peter Bognanni

...and more!

More info on the back!

Basic Schedule

Please note: you are responsible for showing up on April 27th! We will be leaving at 6:15 am with or without you. We will not call you if you're not there.

Also, to make our journey as fast as possible, we will *only* stop once for bathrooms. It'll be about 2 hours into the ride on the way to the cities. Please plan accordingly!

- **6:00 am** - Load at Marshall-Lyon County Library (201 C Street, Marshall)
- **6:15 am** – Leave from Marshall
- **8:15 am** (approximately) – bathroom & snack break
- **9:30 am** – arrive at Henry Sibley High School
- **10 am – 4 pm** – Teen Lit Con! See teenlitcon.org for the complete schedule. You will need to check in with the chaperones during the event.
- **4 pm** – Load the bus to return to Marshall
- **5 pm** – (approximately) – bathroom & snack break
- **7:15 pm** – (approximately) – arrive in Marshall. Make sure you have a way to get home!

Book Signings

Authors will be signing books all day! Feel free to bring your own books to be signed. Books will also be available for purchase at the event (cash or credit card).

Your Stuff

We're taking a school bus, and you should plan on sharing a seat.

You are responsible for whatever you bring with you. Think carefully before you pack! Don't bring anything that's not safe to have at a school. You'll need to carry it with you, keep it on your lap or under your seat on the bus, and keep track of it all day.

Bring some food! There will be some food for purchase at the event (*cash only*, no ATM on site), and we're planning to stop during the bus ride, but selections will be limited.

Per the request of the bus company, please keep your beverages in plastic containers with screw-on lids. No sunflower seeds are allowed.

For more bus ride info: visit marshallyonlibrary.org/teens/teen-lit-con/.

For more event info: visit teenlitcon.org.

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Travel Consent and Release Form for the Teen Lit Con (This form is for legal adults only.)

Saturday, April 27, 2019 at Henry Sibley High School, 1897 Delaware Ave, Mendota Heights, MN 55118

I, _____ intend to travel with the Marshall Lyon
(your name: print)

County Library, transported by Southwest Coaches, **from the Marshall-Lyon County Library to the Teen Lit Con in Mendota Heights, MN, on Saturday, April 27, 2019.**

I understand that by signing this consent and release form, I am agreeing that:

1. I authorize the chaperones to authorize changes in travel plans due to emergency or unforeseen circumstances;
2. I understand that my participation in the Marshall-Lyon County Library's bus to Chaska, MN to attend the Teen Lit Con is voluntary. Therefore, any loss or injury suffered by me or to my property because of my participation in any activity or use of equipment or facilities during this bus tour, whether sponsored or unsponsored, formal or informal, or shared or alone, is my sole responsibility. The Marshall-Lyon County Library, its governing board, or the bus tour chaperones will not be held liable for any such loss or damage to person or property. I indemnify the chaperones and the Marshall-Lyon County Library against any and all claims whatsoever and howsoever arising, save where such claims arise from negligence, gross negligence or willful intent during the specified period of this Travel Consent;
3. I understand that, unless I am an approved chaperone, a \$5 deposit is due with this form to reserve a place on the bus. The \$5 will be returned to me after I have boarded the bus on April 27th. If I am absent, the \$5 is forfeit and will be donated toward future library programs;
4. I understand that there is no charge for transportation or admission, but that I must supply my own packed breakfast/lunch/dinner or money for food and souvenirs;
5. I understand that I must be at the Marshall library ready for departure promptly at 6:00 am on Saturday, April 27, and that I must make arrangements to get home from the library at approximately 7:15 pm that same day;
6. I understand that I may be photographed or otherwise recorded by participating libraries, Teen Lit Con organizers, and/or other entities while participating. I consent to this recording and agree that such recordings may be used for any lawful purpose, including such purposes as publicity, journalism, advertising, and web content;
7. I declare that I am 18 years of age or older and have legal authority to grant photo and travel consent for myself.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Daytime phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Contact email: _____ I prefer to be contacted by phone email

Cell phone (optional): _____ My cell can receive texts (circle one): Y / N
(this number will be used only to contact you during the event, if necessary)

In the event of an emergency, please contact:

Emergency Contact 1 (name and phone): _____

Emergency Contact 2 (name and phone): _____

I am a chaperone for this event representing _____
organization name