

PARK BOOKS



EVENTS

BEYOND READING

We're proud to host more than 200 events each year, including eight instore book clubs and weekly story-and-craft times. Our Severna Park store's Community Space is a vibrant hub for author events, comedy shows, music performances, writing workshops, and panel discussions. We also frequently partner with local libraries to bring events to high school theaters and Exploration Commons in Carroll County. Whether it's an open signing or a full production, we love creating space for connection through books, creativity, and community.

REPORTING

The New York Times







PARTNERS

















ABOUT

SEVERNA PARK & SYKESVILLE, MD

ark Books is a proudly woman-owned, independent bookstore with two locations in Maryland. We offer a thoughtfully curated selection of new titles across all major genres, with a focus on representation, inclusion, and the joy of discovery.

Come for the books—stay for the conversation. Our stores are vibrant community spaces hosting author events, storytimes, and a range of programs that promote literacy and connection.



OUR SPACES

FLEXIBLE & WELCOMING

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- Over 5000 sq.ft retail space
- 2,500 sq ft. flexible event space
 seats 150 at tables, 195 in rows,
- PA System, screen & projector
- In-house ticketing system
- Offsite venue availability: 700 seats

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- Annapolis, MD 10 mins
- Washington DC 45 mins
- Baltimore: 20 mins
- Sykesville store location: 40 mins
- Rehoboth Beach, DE: 2 hrs
- Philidelphia: 90 mins
- New York City: 3.5 hrs
- BWI Airport: 20 mins

Sykesville

- Over 1800 sq.ft retail space
- 800 sq ft. flexible event space
 - o in bookstore: seats 50
- In-house ticketing system & partnerships
- Offsite venue availability: 700+ seats
- Formally, A LIKELY STORY BOOKSTORE

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- Westminster: 25 mins
- Washington DC 1 hr
- Baltimore: 35 mins
- Severna Park store location: 40 mins
- Frederick: 30 mins
- BWI Airport: 30 mins

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EXPLORE PAST EVENTS

Date	Author	Attendance	Books Sold	Location
3/27/25	Harlan Coben	190	223	McDaniel College
3/20/25	Laurie Gilmore	161	150	Community Space
9/26/24	Jack Carr	205	500	Community Space
1/26/24	Antonia Hylton	450+	560	Indian Creek School
4/13/23	Julia Quinn	200	200+	Anne Arundel County Public Library
3/10/23	Sarah Ferguson & Jodi Picoult	680	680 SF 350 JP	Maryland Hall, Annapolis MD

OUR REACH

- Preorder campaigns instore and online
- Book Box Subscription: WORDS IN ACTION
- B2B Bulk Sales
- Sales at events across the US
- Romance Con, Milwaukee, WI
- National and International Shipping
- Boozy Bookfair pop-ups











EDUCATION OUTREACH

- Relationships with public, private, parochial, and public charter schools across 3 counties and Baltimore City
- In-store/online bookfairs
- In-school bookfairs
- School author visits with books sold (pre-order)
- Home of the LitCoLab: Literacy instruction onsite for up to 30 families daily
- On-site Literacy based summer camp