

AVALON/ELMWOOD WELCOMES

A POP OF INDIE A TRAVELING BOOK FAIR

We are thrilled to invite you and your family to a night of literacy excitement at our upcoming Pop of Indie Book Fair. This event promises to be an evening filled with fun activities, inspiring workshops, and a celebration of the joy of reading facilitated by local MICHIGAN authors.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- March 13th
- 5:00– 6:30 pm

WHAT TO EXPECT

Book Fair

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

- Explore a diverse selection of children's books—from delightful picture books to engaging middle-grade novels—all written and published by local Michigan Indie authors.

Arts & Crafts

Sessions: 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

- Get crafty with **Christine Janicke**, author of *Just As You Are*.

Writing Workshop - Creating Character MAGIC

Sessions: 5:00 PM - 5:25 PM / 5:30 PM - 5:55 PM / 6:00 PM - 6:25 PM

- Local author, **Carol Lomasney**, will guide young writers through the art of creating unforgettable characters in this interactive workshop.

Story Time: *Enjoy a story time followed by a Q&A about writing and creativity.*

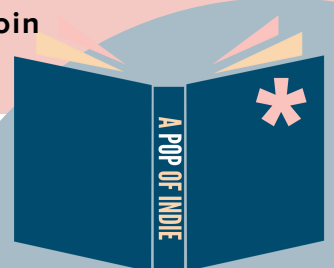
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- **Pria Dee**, author of *Little Moe Can't Fly*, will guide children through an empowering story about facing challenges.

Q&A with Indie Authors: 'Becoming an Authorpreneur' (5:00 PM - 6:30 PM): Ever wondered what it takes to become a successful author? Here's your chance to learn from the experts. Join our panel of Indie authors for an insightful Q&A session on the entrepreneurial side of writing.

- **This is tailored to 4th & 5th grade students, but all are welcome to join**

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MEET THE AUTHORS



Book Fair
Renee Bolla



Book Fair
Lindsay Gizicki



Storytime
Pria Dee



Arts & Crafts
Christine Janicke



Q&A
Molly David



Writer's Workshop
Carol Lomasney



Q&A
Marisa Quinn

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A Pop of Indie

WHO IS A POP OF INDIE?

A Pop of Indie is a dynamic and community-focused initiative committed to fostering a love for reading among elementary school children. Our unique concept of an Indie Traveling Book Fair & FREE Family Literacy Night aims to connect local Michigan Indie authors directly with students in the community, creating engaging experiences that promote literacy, creativity, and entrepreneurship.

WITH 30+ LOCAL MICHIGAN INDIE AUTHORS AND NEARLY 100 CHILDREN'S BOOKS AND COUNTING!

Check out our BOOK CATALOG

[http://](http://popofindie.com)  [A Pop of Indie](#)

OUR VISION

To inspire, empower, and nurture creative minds one indie book at a time.

**SOME MAY BE ASKING
“WHAT IS AN INDIE AUTHOR?”**

An Indie author, short for independent author, is a writer who chooses to self-publish their work rather than going through traditional publishing channels. These authors take full control of the publishing process, from writing and editing to designing covers and marketing their books. This creative freedom allows them to craft unique stories, build their author brand, and connect directly with readers. Indie authors embody the spirit of innovation and passion, turning their love for storytelling into thriving entrepreneurial ventures.