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KXRW.FM to Host 2026 Northwest Book Fair & Media Fest at Clark College

Expanded event brings together authors, podcasters, and media creators from across the Northwest

Vancouver, WA — October 2025 — The Northwest Book Fair & Media Fest will return on Saturday, June 27, 2026, to a new, larger venue at Clark College, offering more space, better parking, and greater accessibility for authors and attendees.

The Northwest Book Fair has expanded to include an exciting new feature — the Northwest Media Fest. As KXRW, Vancouver's community radio station, we are broadening the event to highlight not only book authors but also local print media, podcasters, YouTubers, filmmakers, and digital media creators.

"We're thrilled to grow this event into something that celebrates every kind of storyteller," said Patty Grasher, event coordinator and host of Northwest Book Talk on KXRW.FM. "So many storytellers today work in a variety of mediums, including podcasts and video channels. This is a chance to showcase how stories are being shared in new ways across our region."

The 2026 Northwest Book Fair & Media Fest will feature more than 70 print and media booths, engaging workshops, and recorded author interviews for later broadcast on KXRW.FM. A printed program and online directory will highlight all participants and sponsors. Early-bird registration opened October 20, 2025, at \$75 per table, with full registration later at \$125.

Organizers expect to welcome over 3,000 visitors to Clark College's campus—located just minutes from downtown Vancouver—for a full day celebrating books, media, and community connection.

Sponsorship opportunities are available for local businesses and organizations interested in supporting literacy, creativity, and community media in Southwest Washington.

For registration details, sponsorship information, or press inquiries, visit NorthwestBookFair.com or contact:

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About the Northwest Book Fair & Media Fest

Founded in 2023 this event celebrates storytelling in all forms—from books and radio to digital and visual media. Sponsored by KXRW.FM 99.9, Vancouver's community radio station, the Fair connects authors, readers, and media creators across the Pacific Northwest through exhibits, workshops, and recorded interviews for later broadcast.