



1-4 May, 2024

FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

There will be fascinating booklogues, stimulating panel discussions, riveting performances, art exhibitions, film screenings with poets, authors, artists, musicians, filmmakers and thinkers. We've even thrown in something for the foodies, get ready to enjoy the fragrant dishes of some international delicacies at the food tasting event.

	10:00 - 11:00	11:10 - 12:10		13:00 - 14:00	14:10 - 15:10	15:20 - 16:20	16:30 - 17:30		18:30-20:00
Wednesday 1 May 2024	<p>Writing Workshop Helon Habila Bisi Adjapon Abubakar Adam Ibrahim</p> <p>Building a community of Northern Nigeria Booksfluencers Amyr Bawa-Allah</p> <p>How to Become a Citizen Journalist Ruona Meyer</p>								
Thursday 2 May 2024	<p>Welcome Ceremony</p>	<p>Bookchat When We Were Fireflies Abubakar Adam Ibrahim</p> <p>Host: Amyr Bawa Allah</p>	Lunch Mosque	<p>Panel Discussion (Hausa) Kannywood: Building A Culture of Diversity & Inclusion</p> <p>Ado Gidan Gabino Uzee Usman Surayya Aminu</p> <p>Host: Fatima Zahra Umar</p>	<p>Bookchat Daughter in Exile Bisi Adjapon</p> <p>Host: Sumayya Jaeh Iliyasu</p>	<p>Film Chat Surviving Long Covid Hauwa Saleh</p> <p>Host: Ruona Meyer</p>	<p>Panel Discussion Is Northern Nigeria Confronting its Mental Health Crisis?</p> <p>Aishatu Abubakar Joseph Ike Aishatu Armiyau</p> <p>Host: Naja'atu Garba Ahmed</p>	PublishHer	<p>Film and Presentation The Passport of Mallam Ilia Ferdinand Adimefe Issac Matui Thomas</p> <p>Host: Abdulkareem Baba Aminu</p>
Friday 3 May 2024	<p>Book chat We Were Girls Once Aiwanose Odafen</p> <p>Host: Omotoke Solarin-Sodara</p>	<p>Panel Discussion Confronting the Culture of Low Expectations Abdulhaleem Ishaq Ringim Sani Muhammad Francesca Musa-Akande</p> <p>Host: Sanusi Ismaila</p>		<p>Panel Discussion Supporting the Arts to Build a Lasting Legacy in Northern Nigeria</p> <p>Aisha Augie Aisha Aliyu-Bima Sada Malumfashi</p> <p>Host: Nabilah Usman</p>	<p>Bookchat The Anguish and Vigilance of Things Richard Ali</p> <p>Host: Khadija Sanusi</p>	<p>Panel Discussion Women and Leadership in northern Nigeria Maryam Uwais Hajara Bashari Grace Yakubu</p> <p>Host: Maryam Laushi</p>	UAE Food tasting	<p>Film Rebellion Uzee Usman Segun Arinze Chelsea Eze</p> <p>Host: Fatima Zahra Umar</p>	
Saturday 4 May 2024	<p>Panel Discussion The Politics of Religion Saidu Ahmad Dukawa Poju Oyemade</p> <p>Host: Kadaria Ahmed</p>	<p>Film Chat Knifar: The Women Who Spoke Up Hauwa Shafii Nuhu</p> <p>Host: Abdulkareem Baba Aminu</p>		<p>Panel Discussion Confronting the Environmental Crisis in Northern Nigeria</p> <p>Joan Bishio Abubakar Evuti Murtala Abdullahi</p> <p>Host: A'aron John</p>	<p>Bookchat The Incredible Dreams of Garba Dakaskus Umar Abubakar Sidi</p> <p>Host: Nnamdi Ehirim</p>	<p>Panel Discussion Making A Case for Poetry</p> <p>Deborah Johnson Alhan Islam Richard Ali</p> <p>Host: Abduljalal Musa Aliyu</p>	<p>Bookchat Travellers Helon Habila</p> <p>Host: Hadiza El-Rufai</p>	Balangu Night	<p>Poetry & Music Deborah Johnson Moyosola Olowookure Alhan Islam Hauwa Saleh Abduljalal Musa Aliyu Qalbsaleem Muhammad Abdulbasit Abubakar Yunusa Salim Ibrahim Ibrahim Musa Umar Farouk Namenj</p>

