



PROGRAMME

20TH Ghana International Book Fair (GIBF) Event Schedule

Theme: "Reading to connect minds for social transformation" **Date:** 10th – 13th August, 2023

Venue: Accra International Conference Centre **Time:** 9:00am – 6pm

Date	Morning		Afternoon		Mid-Afternoon/ Evening	
Thursday Aug 10	Opening Ceremony 10:00am - 12:00noon Committee Hall 1		Kiddie Esports (Literacy Games – Read to Play) Literacy Centre 10am – 6:00pm		Bouncy Castle for Children 10:00am – 5:00pm daily Frontage	Deep conversations with Oheneyere Gifty Anti When Strong Women Cry and The Black Chale Wote - Diary of the late Bloomer and her Daughter 4pm Committee Hall 1
	Workshop Practical Steps for Writing and Publishing a Book Speakers: Traneisha Jones & Dr. Mattie Jo (T. Jones Media, USA) 1:00pm – 3:00pm Meeting Room 2 Registration fee: GHC100/US\$20		GPA-AFRAM SHS Debate Competition 1:00pm – 4:00pm Committee Hall 2 Organiser: GPA & Afram Publications Ghana Ltd.		Victory Books Reading with Champions with Casandra (Media Personality) & Kate Addo (Director, Public Affairs of Parliament) Part 1 1:00pm – 2:00pm Committee Hall 1	Workshop The 7Ps of Digital Publishing and E-book Management Organiser: Ghana Book Development Council 3:30pm – 4:30pm Meeting Room 2
	Registration		Free Participation		By Registration	
	Adwinsa Children's Show: Disability not inability 9:00am – 12:00	Time with CNN Lokko 10:00am – 1:00pm Committee Hall 2	Workshop How to Break into an International Market as an Author Speaker: Traneisha Jones (International	Kiddie Esports (Literacy Games) Literacy Centre 10am – 6:00pm	5th GIBF Personality of the Year (Celebrant: Mr. Abdourahamane Diallo, Country Director, UNESCO	

Friday Aug 11	pm Committee Hall 1 Organiser: Adwinsa Publications	Organiser: Afram Publications	Business Strategist, Publishing Consultant & CEO of T. Jones Media, USA) 9:30am – 11:30am Meeting Room 2		Ghana) 5:00 – 6:30pm Committee Hall 1
	Digibooks Reading with Champions with Ruby Goka (Award-Winning Author), Nana Gyan Apenteng (Past President, GAW) and Lawyer Akainyah (Author of 7 stories) 10:00 – 11:30am Committee Hall 1	Symposium: 50 years of indigenous publishing (The Afua T Sutherland legacy) 2:00pm – 5:00pm Committee Hall 2 Organiser: Afram Publications	GPA-APNET African Publishers Symposium 11:45-1:45pm Meeting Room 2 Organisers: Ghana Publishers Association & African Publishers Network (APNET)	Hi-School Poetry Contest (Friday) 2:15pm – 3:30pm Committee Hall 1 Read Ghana Read Consult event Book Launch by Sub- Saharan Publishers Meeting Room 2 2:00pm – 4:00pm	
	Free Participation	By Invitation	Free Participation	Free Registration	Free Participation
Saturday Aug 12	Masterman Reading with Champions with Clemento Suarez (Renowned Ghanaian Comedian) & Naa Dedei Botchwey (Ghana Most Beautiful 2020	Kiddie Esports (Literacy Games – Read to Play) Literacy Centre 10am – 6:00pm	Book Signing Session with Yvonne Nelson 10:00 am—12:00 noon Book of focus: “I am not Yvonne Nelson”	Celebrity-author & readers connect session with Asamoah Gyan (Conversation about book and book signing) 4:00 pm Committee Hall 1	Book Launch by Sub- Saharan Publishers Meeting Room 2 2:00pm – 4:00pm

	Queen) 10:00 – 11:30am Meeting Room 2		Organisers: GIBF & Ghana Association of Writers		
	Free Participation		Free Participation		Free Participation
Sunday Aug 13	Book Exhibition – Special Discount Sales (9am – 6:00pm)		Celebrity-author & readers connect session with Adjetey Anang 'Pusher' (Conversation about book and book signing) 4:00 pm Organisers: Ghana International Book Fair & Ghana Association of Writers		

Book Exhibition – daily (9:00-6:00pm)

Note: All the above events are free except Workshop on Practical Steps for Writing and Publishing a Book which is GH₵100 per registration.



Committee Hall 1 – Events



Literacy Centre – Events



Meeting Room 2 - Events



Committee Hall 2 – Events



Frontage – Events



Book Signing Centre