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The Writers Grotto

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TAILGATE EVENTS

New for this year! Some of our friends are hosting their own pre-Crawl festivities! Join them before you come join us! Full details at www.litcrawl.org.

3:00pm–4:00pm

1 The Page Street* Tailgate Presents: Want to Read at the Crawl?

Page Street
297 Page St. ♿

Always wanted to read at Lit Crawl? We'll open our doors to 40 writers, then set them loose to write a no-more-than-2-minute piece on our theme. Twenty writers will be randomly chosen to read in our Lit Crawl event THAT NIGHT. FREE

3:30pm–4:30pm

3 The Writers Grotto* Presents: The Art of Freelancing Workshop

Sports Basement, Community Room
1590 Bryant St. ♿

Learn what you need to get started on your business, the tools you need to succeed, and how to turn your art into a career. Taught by Jenny Bitner and Doug Henderson. \$30

4 Zip Lines: A Flash Poetry Open Mic

Szygy
395 S. Van Ness Ave. ♿

Write a poem—in a flash! Enjoy live music as you generate new poems with the help of prompts. Then, step up to the mic to share your creations! FREE

*Page Street and The Writers Grotto are premium Tailgate Sponsors of the 2024 Lit Crawl

PHASE 1 5:00–6:00pm

2 Bay Area Reporter Presents: What We Wrote During the Blip

Martuni's
4 Valencia St. ♿ 21+

5 Passionate Thinking in Diaspora With Writers from Ukraine, Russia, and Moldova

Manny's
3092 16th St. ♿ ♯

6 Ode to Sad Girl Poetry

Sour Cherry Comics
3187 16th St. ♿

7 Mixtopia Presents: Beyond Dystopia or That Which Does Not Kill Us Makes Us Stranger

Gestalt Craft Beer Bar
3159 16th St. ♿ ♯ 21+

8 The Brown Handler Residents Present: Dispatches From the Stacks

Blondie's Bar
540 Valencia St. ♿ 21+

9 Page Street Co-working Presents Without a Net: 20 Super-short, Uncensored, Unrehearsed Pieces, Freshly Written in the Last Hour

The Drawing Room Valencia Annex
599 Valencia St. ♿
Sponsored by Page Street

10 Perverts Put Out: Read Smart Sex at Good Vibes

Good Vibrations Valencia
603 Valencia St. ♿ 18+

11 Babylon Salon Presents: Come and Get It!

The Sycamore
2140 Mission St. ♿ ♯

12 The Algorithm That Moves: Uncanny Possibilities for AI Poetry

Noisebridge
272 Capp St. ♿

13 The Afrosurreal Writers Workshop of Oakland Presents: Reexamining Our Past, Exploring Our Present, Dreaming Our Future

Bissap Baobab SF
2243 Mission St. ♿ ♯

14 Cult-Like

Bernal Cutlery
766 Valencia St. ♿

15 California College of the Arts MFA Program Presents: Tell It to Me Straight

The Chapel, parking lot
777 Valencia St. ♿ ♯

16 826 Quarterly Release Party

826 Valencia Pirate Supply Store
826 Valencia St. ♿

17 Words to Save the World: Celebrating Thirty Years of The Writers Grotto

Teeth Bar SF
2323 Mission St. ♿ ♯

19 The Fabulist Presents: Cosmic Debris—An Evening of Passionate Conviction and Informed

Shotwell's Saloon
3349 20th St. ♿ 21+

20 Objet Petit a: writers explore unattainable object of desire through poetry and prose

San Francisco Public Library Bookmobile
Valencia St. between 21st and 23rd Sts. ♿

22 My Dream Job in the Book World

Ritual Coffee Roasters
1026 Valencia St. ♿ ♯

24 USF's Invisible City Presents: Constellations of the Seemingly Mundane

Latin American Club
3286 22nd St. ♿ 21+

25 Red Light Lit

Make-Out Room
3225 22nd St. ♿ 21+

26 Left Margin LIT Bootcampers: Writing Is a Team Sport!

The Drawing Room Mission Annex
2675 Mission St. ♿

27 Veins & Tributaries: A Reading With Diasporic Burmese American Writers

Red Poppy Art House
2698 Folsom St. ♿

28 Bauchhaar Presents: Confluence of Place

Adobe Books & Arts Cooperative
3130 24th St. ♿

29 La Raíz Magazine Empowerment Poetry

Medicine for Nightmares
3036 24th St. ♿

30 Warp and Weft

Et al. etc.
2831a Mission St. ♿

QUICK BITES

Here are some of our recommendations for "quick eats" along the Lit Crawl route as you are on the move!

- 5 Manny's
3092 16th St. ♿ ♯
- 7 Gestalt
3159 16th St. ♿ ♯ 21+
- 11 The Sycamore
2140 Mission St. ♿ ♯
- A Curry Up Now
659 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- B Matko
736 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- 13 Bissap Baobab
2243 Mission St. ♿ ♯
- 15 The Chapel
777 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- C Yasmin
799 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- 17 Teeth Bar SF
2323 Mission St. ♿ ♯
- D MIXT Salad
901 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- E Señor Sisig
990 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- F El Rey Taquiza Artesanal
2491 Mission St. ♿ ♯
- 22 Ritual Coffee Roasters
1026 Valencia St. ♿ ♯
- G Papalote
3409 24th St. ♿ ♯
- H Frisco Flavor
3331 24th St. ♿ ♯
- I Gyros and Tzatziki
3111 24th St. ♿ ♯
- J The Pizza Shop
3104 24th St. ♿ ♯

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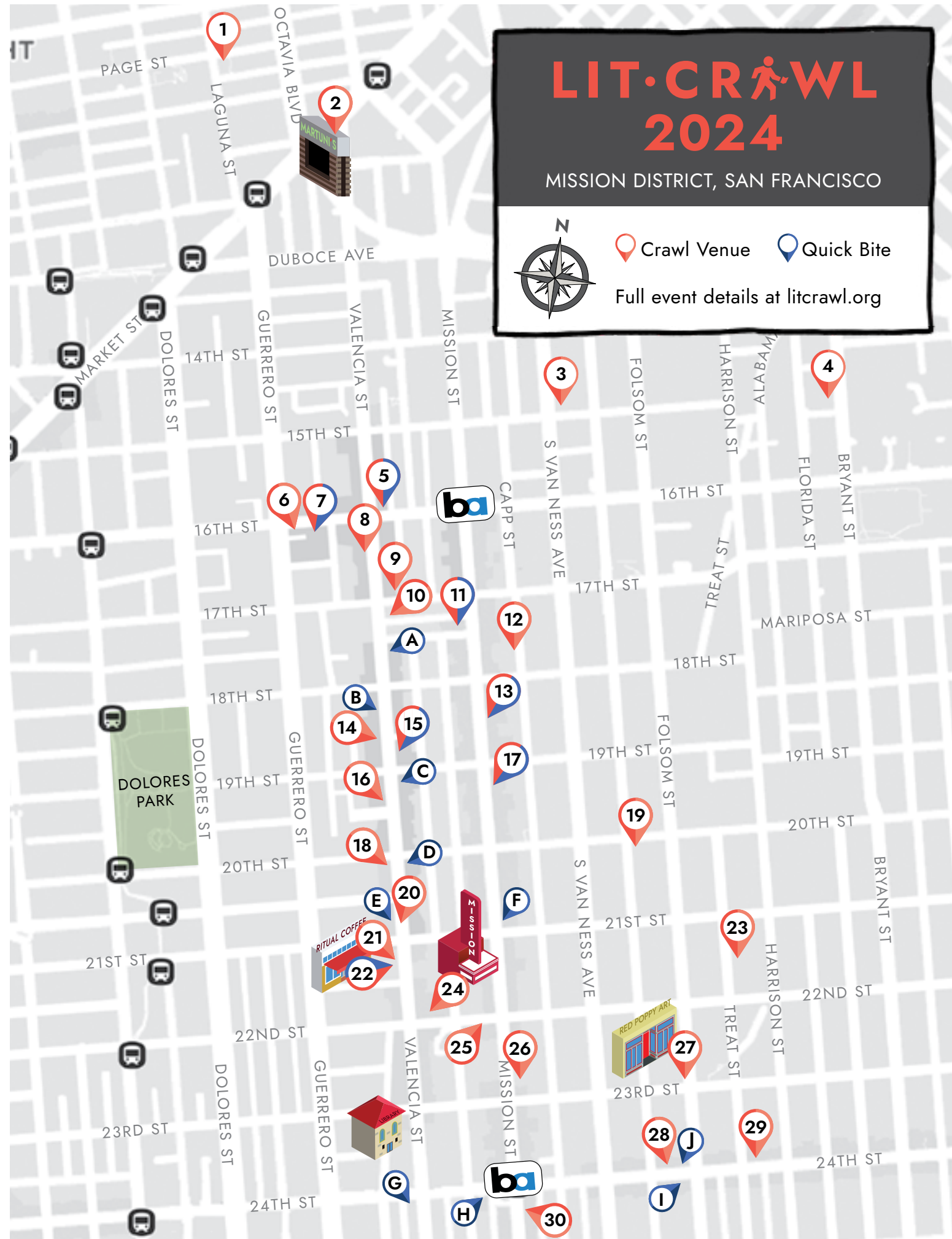
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PHASE 2 6:30–7:30pm

- 5 **Manic D 40th Anniversary**
Manny's
3092 16th St. ♿
- 6 **Witches Who Write**
Sour Cherry Comics
3187 16th St. ♿
- 7 **The End of the World as We Know It**
Gestalt Craft Beer Bar
3159 16th St. ♿ 21+
- 8 **If I Had Known: The Light and Shadow of Queer Parenting**
Blondie's Bar
540 Valencia St. ♿ 21+
- 9 **Are You There God? It's Me, Donald. A literary relay race by The Castro Writers' Cooperative**
The Drawing Room Valencia Annex
599 Valencia St. ♿
Sponsored by Page Street
- 12 **Every Tuesday for 78+ Years: San Francisco Writers Workshop**
Noisebridge
272 Capp St. ♿
- 15 **Decentered Arts Presents: Between Hills—A Walk Through San Francisco**
The Chapel, parking lot
777 Valencia St. ♿
- 16 **Center for the Art of Translation Presents: So You Think You Can Translate?**
826 Valencia Pirate Supply Store
826 Valencia St. ♿
- 17 **ZYZZYVA Fall All-Stars**
Teeth Bar SF
2323 Mission St. ♿
- 18 **The Crawling Parliamentarians**
Dog Eared Books
900 Valencia St. ♿
- 19 **Tuesday Night Social Annual Experiment: Eight Writers Walk Into a Story**
Shotwell's Saloon
3349 20th St. ♿ 21+
- 20 **Black Lawrence Press Presents: Myth, Magic, and World-Building**
San Francisco Public Library Bookmobile
Valencia St. between 21st and 23rd Sts. ♿
- 24 **Party Like It's 1999 (in 2024): Bingo Bash Celebrating 25 Years of The Writing Salon**
Latin American Club
3286 22nd St. ♿ 21+
- 25 **Happy Endings**
Make-Out Room
3225 22nd St. ♿ 21+
- 26 **Why We Love YA**
The Drawing Room Mission Annex
2675 Mission St. ♿
- 27 **What's the Buzz: The Hive Poetry Collective Chats Up the Audience**
Red Poppy Art House
2698 Folsom St. ♿
- 28 **The Upward Spiral: Writers Speak to San Francisco's Resilient Urban Culture**
Adobe Books & Arts Cooperative
3130 24th St. ♿
- 29 **South West Asia North Africa (SWANA) Writers Present: Reclaiming Our Space**
Medicine for Nightmares
3036 24th St. ♿
- 30 **Write from the Gut: A Night With SF Creative Writing Institute**
Et al. etc.
2831a Mission St. ♿



PHASE 3 8:00–9:00pm

- 5 **Stanford Continuing Studies Presents: In a Tight Spot**
Manny's
3092 16th St. ♿
- 7 **Life Lines: BIPOCs Staying Sane in a Crazy World**
Gestalt Craft Beer Bar
3159 16th St. ♿ 21+
- 9 **SF Leonard Cohen Festival Preview With Conspiracy of Beards**
The Drawing Room Valencia Annex
599 Valencia St. ♿
Sponsored by Page Street
- 12 **Casting the Memory Net Wide: Stories at the Heart of Who We Are**
Noisebridge
272 Capp St. ♿
- 15 **The O.G.'s of Litquake**
The Chapel, parking lot
777 Valencia St. ♿
- 18 **Somos Xicanas: The Enduring and New Mujer**
Dog Eared Books
900 Valencia St. ♿
- 21 **Giant Robot: Thirty Years of Defining Asian-American Pop Culture**
Silver Sprocket
1018 Valencia St. ♿
- 23 **Bow & Arrow Circus Presents: The Witching Hour—A Night of Haunting and Hilarious Ghost Stories**
San Francisco Mime Troupe
855 Treat St. ♿
- 24 **Kick-Ass Women Protagonists**
Latin American Club
3286 22nd St. ♿ 21+
- 25 **KQED Presents: ¿Donde Esta Mi Gente? With Baruch Porras Hernandez**
Make-Out Room
3225 22nd St. ♿ 21+
- 26 **Redefining Masculinity: Reclaiming the Power of Vulnerable Storytelling**
The Drawing Room Mission Annex
2675 Mission St. ♿
- 27 **S'mores & Stories: Tales From the Edges of California**
Red Poppy Art House
2698 Folsom St. ♿
- 28 **Vietnamese Narratives: Breaking Silence and Censorship**
Adobe Books & Arts Cooperative
3130 24th St. ♿
- 29 **¡Speaking Axolotl! El Lit Crawl Edition!**
Medicine for Nightmares
3036 24th St. ♿
- 30 **The Ana Presents: Lined With Gold: The Legacy of Faith Ringgold**
Et al. etc.
2831a Mission St. ♿

AFTER PARTY 9:00pm

15 **"The Last Stanza Lounge" concept and execution by Decentered Arts**
The Chapel, parking lot
777 Valencia St.
Come dance away the words!

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