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2025 NATIONAL BLACK BOOK FESTIVAL

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Beverly Jenkins
Best-Selling
Historical Romance Author

Featured authors' books will be available for purchase on Friday and Saturday

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

General Admission is **FREE** to the public unless shown in **orange**

Thursday, Oct. 23

7:00 p.m.

Welcome Reception
(Ticket purchase required)

Fallbrook - Epic Center Entry #10

Friday, Oct. 24

Day One

9:30 a.m.	Get Acquainted Breakfast (Ticket purchase required)	Brook Sports Gym (Rear) Entry #7 and 8
11:00 a.m.	Author Exhibits Open – All Day	Brook Sports Gym Entry #7 and 8
Author Enhancement Seminars		
1:00 p.m.	Seminar: Write the Book That Builds Your Brand	Brook Sports Gym (Rear) Entry #7 and 8
3:00 p.m.	Seminar: Maximizing Your Social Media Influence	Brook Sports Gym (Rear) Entry #7 and 8
4:00 p.m.	Seminar: Why Do I Need an Agent?	Brook Sports Gym (Rear) Entry #7 and 8
5:00 p.m.	Publishers Panel: What Publishers Look for When Signing New Authors	Brook Sports Gym (Rear) Entry #7 and 8
7:00 p.m.	Day One of NBBF Ends	

Saturday, Oct. 25

Day Two

Entry #6, #7, #8

8:00 a.m.	Networking Breakfast (Ticket purchase required)	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
10:00 a.m.	Author Exhibits Open – All Day	
10:00 a.m.	Seminar: Bringing Out the Book In You	Room CY128
10:00 a.m.	Seminar: Finding Your Reading Audience on Amazon	Room CY114
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Children's Festival (FREE book for all children) Books/Games/Activities/Door Prizes	Epic Center (Entry #10)
12:00 Noon	Featured Authors – Rachel Howzell Hall and Brandon Massey	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
12:00 Noon	Seminar: The Leadership Detour: Turning Setbacks Into Success	Room CY128
1:00 p.m.	Featured Authors – Beverly Jenkins and Brenda Jackson	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
1:00 p.m.	Seminar: The Six-Figure Author Formula	Room CY114
2:00 p.m.	Featured Author – Eriq La Salle	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
2:00 p.m.	Seminar: The Power of Your Story	Room CY128
3:00 p.m.	Featured Author – April Ryan	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
3:00 p.m.	Seminar: Life Will Write Your Book: Two Women, One Mission	Room CY114
4:00 p.m.	Featured Author – Kiki Swinson	Brook Sports Gym (Rear)
6:00 p.m.	2025 NBBF Ends	

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