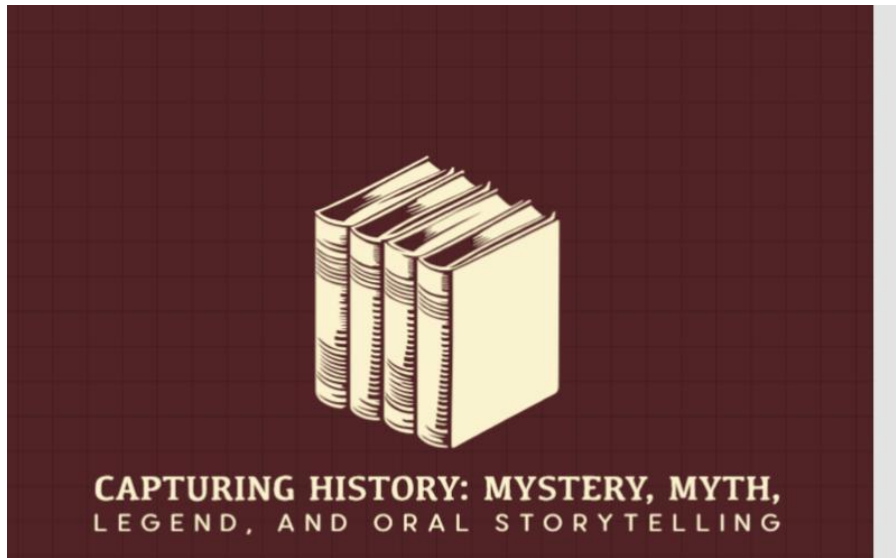


Capturing History: Mystery, Myth, Legend, and Oral Storytelling (FREE EVENT)



When: Sat., September 26, 2026 from 9:30-3:00

What: Free event for readers and writers of history

Free lunch (for people who preregister only)

Where: Avon Lake Public Library

Event Details

This engaging free conference is designed for both readers and writers of history and includes a free history-based light lunch for people who preregister.

9:30: Sign-in For Attendees and Coffee

9:45: Introduction by Library/Kelly Boyer Sagert

10-10:45: [Kelly Boyer Sagert](#) will explore the role of legend, lore, myth, and ghost stories in nonfiction and how to use them responsibly to be creative within the confines of a true story.

Break/Book Sale

11-11:45: [Bette Lou Higgins](#) will share spine-tingling original ghost stories, along with historical background information and will also share tips on how to create these stories.

Break/Book Sale

12-12:45: [Christina Meier](#) / CM BEEZ Tea & Honey Haven will share historical insights into tea, honey, and the Revolutionary War, also serving Liberty tea as we enjoy a light lunch.

Break/Sale

1-1:45: Follow along as [Don Hilton](#) demonstrates how a once-notorious Lorain County killing is transformed from a forgotten crime into the plot of a murder mystery set in more modern times.

Break/Book Sale

2-2:45: Dan Zaleski will share intriguing tales shared on the podcast he hosts, [Ohio Mysteries](#), and what it's like to host this type of podcast.

2:45-3:00

Book Sale/talk to presenters

Register for this event here: <https://alpl.librarymarket.com/index.php/event/history-writing-day-61843>

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