## **Friday**

## October 20, 2023

3:00 - 6:00 p.m. Registration

6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Meet and Greet Reception

7:00 p.m. Welcome & Introductions

**Keynote Address:** Allison Whitmer,

**Montana Film Commissioner** 

8:00 p.m. Author Readings

Facilitator: Christa Chiriaco

**Saturday** 

October 21, 2023

8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Registration and Check-In

9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Welcome

9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Workshop 1: *High, Wide & Handsome* 

Presenter: Allison Whitmer

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Workshop 2: How to Write a Play in 5 Minutes

Presenter: Jay Kettering

**12:15 - 1:30 p.m**. Lunch Break on your own.

1:45 - 3:00 p.m. Workshop 3: *Novel Writing 101* 

Presenter: Angela Breidenbach

3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Workshop 4: *Screenwriting Jump Start* 

Presenter: Barbara Schiffman

**4:30 - 6:00 p.m.** Dinner Break on your own.

6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Presenters Panel:

Panelists explore careers as successful writers in

Montana.

Facilitator: Mindy Peltier

Panelists: Allison Whitmer, Angela Breidenbach,

Jay Kettering, & Barbara Schiffman

7:15 p.m. Author Readings

Facilitator: Christa Chiriaco

8:15 p.m. Closing