

Morning Schedule

8:30 AM

Books will be available for purchase in the Rush Auditorium lobby.

9:00 AM

Keynote Speaker:

Lee Bennett Hopkins, Poet

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Henry Cole, Author/Illustrator

10:15 AM

Break

10:30 AM

Panel discussion:

Lee Bennett Hopkins

Henry Cole

Tamar Brazis

Sylvia Andrews

Moderator: Dan England

12:00 Book signing with authors and meet the editor!

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Professor Elaine Schaeffer
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Writing for Children: Inspiration to Publication

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*"An individual poet can make a
difference in both children's literature
and in a child's life. It did for me!"*

—Lee Bennett Hopkins