

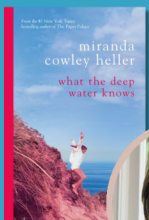
# Welcome to Zibby's Palm Beach Retreat *for Book Lovers!*



I'm so excited to welcome you to our retreat and/or luncheon! I can't wait to spend time with you all and celebrate books. Here's to a weekend of exciting live podcast interviews, inspiring conversations, bookish friends, delicious meals, great hotels, lots of laughter, beautiful weather (👉), bookstore crawls, and more!

Weekend Escape: Jan 30 - Feb 1, 2026

Totally Booked: Live Luncheon Only: Jan 31, 2026 • 9 am - 2:30 pm



Special guest:  
Sophia Stallone,  
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Jan 30 - Feb 1, 2026: Itinerary



## Friday, January 30th

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| 4 pm     | Check-in at Palm House Hotel                           |
| 4 - 6 pm | Specialty Cocktails & Conversation                     |
| 6 pm     | Intimate Dinner Party at Palm House Hotel with Authors |

## Saturday, January 31st

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| 7 - 9 am       | Light Breakfast  |
| 9 am - 2:30 pm | Totally Booked: Live Luncheon! Author Panels, Live Podcasts, Book Fair, Author Signings, Seated Lunch, and Swag! (Note: Only this portion of the weekend is open to non-retreaters.) |
| 2 - 3 pm       | Downtime. Read. Rest. Recharge.  |
| 3 - 5 pm       | Bookstore Crawl: Palm Beach Bookstore & Classic Bookstore  |
| 5 - 6 pm       | Writing Workshop or Worth Avenue   |
| 6:30 pm        | Private dinner at Bice Restaurant with Authors   |

## Sunday, February 1st

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| 8 - 9:30 am   | Group Walk or Workout                             |
| 10 am - 12 pm | Bountiful Brunch with Authors at The Colony Hotel |

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# Totally Booked: Live Luncheon

9 am - 2:30 pm

Saturday, January 31st

Palm House Hotel

Palm Beach, FL



Join Totally Booked podcast host and bestselling author Zibby Owens for a day of author talks, live podcasts, a lovely luncheon, author signings, giveaways, and more!



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9 am

Check in & Coffee

9:30 am

Zibby's Welcome Remarks

9:45 am

Panel #1

10:30 am

Break & Book Shopping

10:45 am

Panel #2

11:30 am

Panel #3

12:15 pm

Book Shopping and Author Signings

12:45 pm

Sumptuous, Seated Luncheon with Authors

2:30 pm

Goodbye!

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# Meet the authors!

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## MIRANDA COWLEY HELLER

Miranda Cowley Heller was raised in New York City and Cape Cod. Her debut novel *The Paper Palace* was a number one *New York Times* bestseller in the US, a *Sunday Times* bestseller in the UK, and a Reese's Book Club Pick. *What the Deep Water Knows* is her debut poetry collection. Miranda has worked as senior vice president and head of drama series at HBO, developing and overseeing such shows as *The Sopranos*, *Six Feet Under*, *The Wire*, *Deadwood*, and *Big Love*, among others.



## MARIE BENEDICT

Marie Benedict is a lawyer with more than ten years' experience as a litigator at two of the country's premier law firms. She is the *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of *The Mitford Affair*, *Her Hidden Genius*, *The Mystery of Mrs. Christie*, *The Only Woman in the Room*, and more. With Victoria Christopher Murray, she co-wrote the *Good Morning America* Book Club pick *The Personal Librarian* and the Target Book of the Year *The First Ladies*. Her books have been translated into thirty languages, and selected for the Barnes & Noble Book Club, Target Book Club, Costco Book Club, Indie Next List, and LibraryReads List.



## JENNA BLUM

Jenna Blum is the *New York Times* and internationally bestselling author of novels *Those Who Save Us*, *The Stormchasers*, and *The Lost Family*, and the memoir *Woodrow on the Bench*, about her senior black Lab. Jenna is one of Oprah's Top Thirty Women Writers, with her work published in over 20 countries, and cofounder/CEO of literary social media marketing company A Mighty Blaze. Jenna is based in Boston, where she has taught at Grub Street Writers for over 20 years; she earned her M.A. in Creative Writing from Boston University and was the fiction editor for AGNI Literary Magazine.



## AUDREY INGRAM

Audrey Ingram is the author of *The River Runs South*, *The Group Trip*, and *The Summer We Ran*. She is a graduate of Middlebury College and Georgetown University Law Center, and she practiced law in Washington, D.C., for fifteen years. When not writing, she can be found digging in her garden or hiking the Blue Ridge mountains. An Alabama native, Audrey currently lives in Virginia with her husband and three children.

# Meet the authors!



## BELLE BURDEN

Belle Burden is the author of *Strangers: A Memoir of Marriage*. She is a lawyer based in New York City. Her work has appeared in *The New York Times*.



## JULIE DOAR

Julie Doar grew up in the Hudson Valley with her family, where she enjoyed exploring the rolling countryside. After graduating from Rice University, she worked as a Starbucks barista by day and a ghostwriter by night. She currently teaches middle-school English at a charter school in Brooklyn. *The Gallagher Place* is her first novel.



## ZIBBY OWENS

Zibby Owens is the founder of Zibby Media which includes the award-winning daily podcast *Totally Booked with Zibby*, Zibby Publishing in New York, Zibby's Bookshop in Santa Monica CA, and the On Being Jewish Now platform. She is the author of six books including the *USA Today* bestsellers *Blank: A Novel* and *On Being Jewish Now: Reflections from Authors and Advocates*, as well as *Bookends: A Memoir of Love, Loss, and Literature*, children's book *Princess Charming*, and two anthologies.