


Fact Sheet:

2021 UToledo 24th Annual Free Banned Books Week Vigil



BANNED BOOKS WEEK
Welcomes
Honorary Chair
JASON REYNOLDS
New York Times bestselling author of
Stamped (with Ibram X. Kendi) and
All American Boys (with Brendan Kiely)
September 26 - October 2, 2021
bannedbooksweek.org
Censorship Divides Us

**Celebrate the Right to Read
and Think Freely!**

Thursday (September 30)

Free Books via Gift Cards!

Door Prizes!

Extra Credit for Classes!

2021 Dr. Linda Smith Lecture: Barbara Mann, Jesup Scott Honors College, “The Sacred Twinship, Not the Satanism Missionaries Imagined?”

Campus friends: Barry’s Bagels, UToledo Starbucks, Ann Lumbrezer, Utoledo General Libraries, Lambda Pi Eta (Communication Honor Society), Phoenicia Cuisine, UToledo Barnes & Noble Bookstore, UToledo departments: Art, Athletic, Communication, English, Theatre and Film, and World Languages and Cultures; UToledo administrative units: Center for Experiential Learning and Career Development, Center for Success Coaching, LGBTQA Advisory Board, Office of Excellence and Multicultural Student Success, Federal Credit Union, Greek Life (Office of Student Involvement), Jesup Scott Honors College, Marketing and Communications, Office of the Dean of Students, Student Government, CAP, Counseling Center, UT PRSSA (Public Relations Student Society of America), and WXUT Radio Station; special thanks to UToledo Office of the Provost (Karen Bjorkman, Ph.D., Interim Provost), School of Visual and Performing Arts, UT College of Arts and Letters, UT School of Visual and Performing Arts, and Marcia King-Blandford, Associate Dean of University College.

Join Us from Home, School, or the Quad!
Virtually: Zoom, Facebook, and YouTube



TOP 10 MOST CHALLENGED BOOKS OF 2020
American Library Association
ala.org/bbooks



<https://www.mensaforkids.org/achieve/excellence-in-reading>



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FREELY
Banned Books Coalition



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