

# SENIOR BOX OFFICE SPEAKER PRESENTATIONS

(Bring your family and friends. SBO membership not required.  
Light refreshments will be served.)

## **Mary Ann Jung ~ Julia Child: Queen of Cuisine**

**Thursday, July 31, 2025 1:00 PM at Senior Box Office**

Anyone who enjoys ethnic cooking or fine dining can thank the ebullient Julia Child for opening up America's kitchen and minds. Her popularization of French cooking through books and television began a food revolution whose effects are felt to this day. Award winning actress and Smithsonian Scholar Mary Ann Jung highlights Julia's early search to find her life's calling. She provides fascinating insights into Julia's struggles at Le Cordon Bleu, to develop and publish *Mastering the Art of French Cooking*, and finally to create the groundbreaking *French Chef* television show.

## **Tim Newby ~ The Original Louisville Slugger**

**Thursday, August 21, 2025 1:00 PM at Senior Box Office**

Pete Browning was a player whose skills with the bat made the difficult art of hitting a baseball appear easy. He won three batting titles, finished in the top three nine times, and was one of the pre-modern era's greatest hitters. He also led a life littered with eccentricities. Tim Newby, author of *The Original Louisville Slugger: The Life and Forgotten Times of Baseball Legend Pete Browning*, addresses the thin line between fact and fiction surrounding this larger-than-life figure. Not just for baseball fans, this is the story of a man who overcame many obstacles to get to the top of his profession.

## **Chris Sniezek ~ Mary Pickers-who?: Baltimore's Unheard of Seamstress**

**Thursday, September 11, 2025 1:00 PM at Senior Box Office**

"The star-spangled banner in triumph doth wave, O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave." wrote Francis Scott Key as he watched the bombardment of Fort McHenry in Baltimore's harbor by the British in 1814. The flag, which was crafted by Mary Pickersgill, inspired thousands of watchers and defenders alike and thrust Mary into the regional spotlight. Chris Sniezek, Executive Director of the Star-Spangled Banner Flag House, digs into Mary's story, exploring one of Baltimore's most influential individuals of the early 19<sup>th</sup> century, and highlights why Baltimore became Mary's home.

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