



Join Us for a Very Special Show Commemorating

## BANNED BOOKS WEEK

### “TALES FROM THE COMIC BOOK CRACK DOWN”

focuses on the April 21, 1954, U.S. Senate hearings into the bad influence of comic books. It was after these hearings that many comics were censored and banned.

**Captured Aural Phantasy Theater** will perform excerpts of the actual transcripts from the hearings, a few of the stories that were mentioned by the Senators and some historical material that puts the hearings in the context of the times. Includes live music and short comedic bits much like a variety show.

Educational materials created by the Comic Book Legal Defense Fund will be available. This show is presented in conjunction with events around the country for Banned Books Week that, this year, focuses on the censorship of comic books.

**Free – Tickets & Reservations required:**  
<http://bannedcomicsshowlapl.bpt.me/>

**Tuesday, September 23  
7 p.m.**

Central Library • Taper Auditorium  
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Los Angeles 90071  
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