The Milwaukie Poetry Series

This exciting series of readings by established local poets takes place on the second Wednesday of each month September through June at 7 p.m. in the Pond House adjacent to the Milwaukie Ledding Library, 2215 SE Harrison, Milwaukie, OR, 97222.

It is our mission to make poetry more accessible to all members of the community. We all have our own unique voices and discover them by sharing with family, friends, in small groups or in settings like the Milwaukie Poetry Series at the Ledding Library Pond House. Reading poetry and bringing people together to hear the spoken word supports and develops community. In addition to the readings, there are also workshops, open mike readings, youth events, and a summer poetry picnic. Poetry is the life of a community; it helps us write our story, which is at the heart of this wonderful enterprise. Browse through our video archive to hear some of the best poets in the Pacific Northwest reading from their works. Below you will find links to poet bios, videos of the readings, and their poems.

For information or questions about the readings or to join the group list, please contact the Series Coordinator Tom Hogan at (503) 819-8367 or tomhogan2@comcast.net or Reference Librarian Sarah Lander at landers@ci.milwaukie.or.us.

We want to thank the City of Milwaukie for its support and all the volunteers that make it a possibility.

Season 6 (underway)				
September 12th, 2013	Ingrid Wendt	Video	Bio	Poem
October 10th, 2013	John Daniel	Video	Bio	Poem
November 14th, 2013 - at the Black Box	Ursula Le Guin	Video	Bio	Poem
December 12th, 2013	Karen Holmberg	Video	Bio	Poem
January 9th, 2013	Matthew Dickman	Video	Bio	Poem
February 13th, 2013	Herman Asarnow	Video	Bio	Poem

Season 6 (underway)				
March 13th, 2013	Cecelia Hagen	Video	Bio	Poem
April 10th, 2013	Steve Dieffenbacher	Video	Bio	Poem
May 8th, 2013	Mark Thalman	Video	Bio	Poem
June 12th, 2013	Andrea Hollander Budy	Video	Bio	Poem

Supporting Documents

Sixth Season Flyer
April 27th Writing Workshop Registration Form

Web Links

Poetry Picnic 2011Season 5Season 4Season 3Season 2Season 1

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