

SURFWRITERS NEWSLETTER
MARCH 2013

~~ Surfwriters Meeting ~~

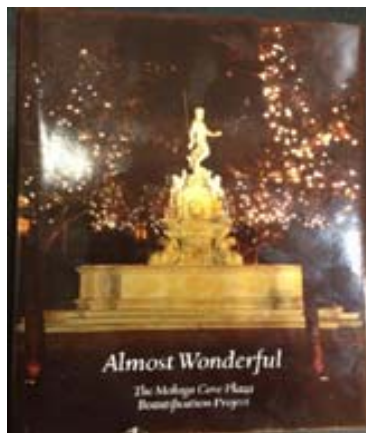
Our next meeting takes place
Friday, March 22 from 10:00a.m.-noon

~ 10:00a.m. ~ 11:00 a.m. ~

General Meeting for Members
Business Reports & Upcoming Projects

~ 11:00 a.m. ~ noon ~

Guest speaker Dick Luciani, photo editor for
Almost Wonderful, The Malaga Cove Plaza Beautification Project
by Ann Hugh



Join us on March 22nd

Malaga Cove Library Community Room
2400 Via Campesina
Palos Verdes Estates 90274

Meeting is open to the general public.

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~~ April is National Poetry Month! ~~

Redondo Poets

The Redondo Poets reading takes place Tuesdays at Coffee Cartel,
1820 S. Catalina Ave., Redondo Beach (310-316-6554).

The reading starts at 8:10 PM and is free. Open mic before and after the feature.

Your hosts, Larry Colker and Jim Doane

For more info: lcolker@gmail.com or 310-480-4047.

“NOTE: On dates where no feature is listed, there is still an open reading.

This schedule is continually updated, so please check back regularly.”

March 19 Jeffrey McDaniel On the Web (link)

March 26 * Charles Harper Webb On the Web (link)

* Rescheduled from March 12

April 16 Mandy Kahn Sampler (link)

April 23 ** John Gardiner On the Web (link)

** “Shakespeare's 449th birthday, so expect something special”

<http://home.roadrunner.com/~lunadabay/index.html>

Tribute to William Shakespeare

Scenes and Readings from Shakespeare's Plays and Sonnets

Produced and Directed by Maria Ruiz

Sunday, April 21, 2013, 2PM

Free Event! Complimentary Refreshments!

Joslyn Community Center

1601 No. Valley Drive

Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

Poetry and Music Live!

Original Poetry by Surfwriters & Period Music by La Mer Consort

Sunday, April 28, 2013, 2-4PM

Enjoy poetry, music and refreshments!

Free and open to the public

Peninsula Center Library Community Room

701 Silver Spur Road

Rolling Hills Estates 90274

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~ Independent Writers of Southern California (IWOSC) ~

Presents a Panel Discussion,

“Don't Get FOOLED! THE FUTURE OF PUBLISHING”

Monday, April 1, 7:30 pm

IWOSC's stellar March/early April panel includes top names from every aspect of the industry, from literary agents and booksellers to publicists and social-media coaches and self-publishing gurus (and we'll be following up on April 29th with our annual AGENTS PANEL!).

April 1st panelists include

- Top literary agent Toni Lopopolo.
- Cliff Carle, IWOSC's resident "Zen Master of Words."
- Monica Faulkner, editor and publishing consultant for more than 20 years.
- Shane Pangburn, Publicity and Community Relations Manager at Barnes & Noble on Santa Monica's Third Street Promenade.
- Ellen Reid, President & CEO of Ellen Reid's Book Shepherding™.

With Moderator Telly Davidson, author of the acclaimed media tie-in book "TV's Grooviest Variety Shows."

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– E-MAIL RESERVATIONS REQUIRED –

Reservations by email only: Email info@iwosc.org to make your reservation to this event. Please write "IWOSC Reservation" in the subject line. You will receive a confirming email from IWOSC, and your name will be on a list at check-in. For proof of your reservation, bring a printout of your email or show a Smartphone version of your "sent" email or confirmation. Please arrive by 7:15 pm to be seated. Doors open to everyone at 7:15 and people will be admitted as space permits. Reservations close at 5 pm Saturday, March 30. Walk-ins permitted, if there is space.

Information: (310) 773-8075. If you reserve and can't attend, please notify the office, info@iwosc.org.

Entry is FREE for all IWOSC members and only \$15 for non-members.

Veterans Memorial Building/Auditorium
4117 Overland Blvd. (at Culver) Culver City, CA
Free parking adjacent to the building; enter on Culver.

IWOSC, the Independent Writers of Southern California, is a *nonprofit* association, now celebrating its 30th anniversary, providing support, tools, and resources to help self-employed professional writers in Southern California since 1982. Visit www.IWOSC.org for more information.

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~~ Poetry, Prose, Art, Film ~~

Art lovers, take note! Just two more weeks to view...

Johannes Vermeer, *Woman in Blue Reading a Letter*
February 16–March 31, 2013

“This exquisite masterpiece by renowned Dutch artist Johannes Vermeer is making a special appearance at the Getty for six weeks only. The Getty is the only U.S. venue for this renowned work, and the last stop on a world tour to celebrate the opening of the Rijksmuseum in Amsterdam in April.”

THE GETTY CENTER

1200 Getty Center Drive

Los Angeles, CA 90049

(310) 440-7300

HOURS: Tues–Fri and Sun: 10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

Sat: 10 a.m.–9 p.m., Closed Mondays

Plus...Another Vermeer Treasure in California

“After seeing *Woman in Blue Reading a Letter* at the J. Paul Getty Museum, don't miss the opportunity to visit *Girl with a Pearl Earring* in San Francisco, on view at the de Young Museum through June 2, 2013, as part of the exhibition *Girl with a Pearl Earring: Dutch Treasures from the Mauritshuis and Rembrandts Century*.”

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Beyond Baroque Literary/Arts Center

A place dedicated to the possibilities of language

Check website for the many activities at Beyond Baroque.

681 Venice Blvd., Venice, CA 90291

Phone 1-310-822-3006 Fax 1-310-821-0256

<http://beyondbaroque.org/>

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~~ Writing Opportunities ~~

~ Recent Writings Project ~

President Marilyn Litvak reports that the Recent Writings Project quarter began on January 15 and authors already have submitted prose and poetry for the website.

View the current work at the Surfwriters website

<http://www.palosverdes.com/surfwriters/>

Authors may e-mail submissions to mltrvlarng@hotmail.com
prior to the next quarterly deadline --April 15, 2013.

~ Summer Workshops ~

The Community of Writers at Squaw Valley
is Accepting Applications for Summer 2013

The Community of Writers is pleased to announce 2013 Summer Writing Workshops in Poetry, Writers Workshops, and Screenwriting, and is now accepting applications and submissions.

"Make sure your application has arrived in our office by April 2, 2013."

For details: <http://www.squawvalleywriters.org/>

~ Ongoing Activities ~

Millie Ames Writing Workshop
(Free of Charge)

Tuesdays, 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Peninsula Center Library
Conference Room (Main Level)
701 Silver Spur Road

Rolling Hills Estates 90274

Purpose: To help writers get published

Facilitator: Jean Shriver

Frequency: Meets Weekly

(no meeting the last week of the year)

Genre: Fiction and Non-Fiction

(no drama or poetry)

