

## **The Writers' Corner**

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### **Self-Publishing Your Poetry**

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room                      Sunday, August 7, 4 p.m.

If you're considering self-publishing your poetry, join us for a discussion with Peter Gordon, author of *Let's Play Two*. He will compare the process of publishing his own work to working with a self-publishing company, as well as working with small presses.

### **Writers Group**

Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room                      Sunday, August 14, 4 p.m.

Join your fellow writers for critique, discussion, and camaraderie. Writers of all genres and experience are welcome. Please attend one meeting before submitting a piece for critique.

### **Writing Workshop: Revision**

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room                      Wednesday, August 17, 6:30 p.m.

You've finished your story--now what? If editing seems daunting, join young adult author Lauren Gibaldi as she guides you through the editing and revision process. Gibaldi is the author of *The Night We Said Yes* and *Autofocus*, both with HarperCollins, HarperTeen.

### **Writing Workshop: Fiction 101**

Eatonville Branch    Saturday, August 20, 3 p.m.

Do you want to write fiction and aren't sure where to start? Writer's Atelier Founder, Racquel Henry, will teach you the basics. We will discuss characterization, plot, setting and story beginnings. Learn how these essential building blocks work in a story. A Q&A will follow the workshop.

### **Pitch Your Book**

Herndon Branch    Monday, August 29, 7 p.m.

Whether you're trying to sell your book to readers, agents, or publishers, a perfect pitch is a necessity. Author Sarah Nicolas will teach you how to craft both an attention-grabbing elevator pitch and a compelling written book blurb.