

The Writers Corner

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Write-In

Winter Garden Branch

Thursday, November 3, 6:30 p.m.–8:45 p.m.

Melrose Center, Creative Workspace

Sunday, November 13, 1:30–3:30 p.m.

Orlando Public Library, Palm Room

Saturday, November 19, 1:30–3:30 p.m.

Join us for quiet writing time at your library. Bring a laptop or notebook and write alongside other local writers. National Novel Writing Month, or NaNoWriMo, is an event that encourages authors to write 50,000 words in November. Learn more at nanowrimo.org. All writers are welcome; you do not have to participate in NaNoWriMo to attend.

Creating Characters with Skin

Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room

Saturday, November 5, 2 p.m.

Do you long to create gritty, funny or tragic people that your readers will recognize? Do you want their dialogue to sound like real spoken words? Explore what you can transfer from the practice of the stage to the practice of the page with award-winning author, actress and playwright Stacy Barton. With her contagious passion and encouraging playfulness, she will show you how to look at the theater for guidance when creating characters and dialogue.

Writers Group

Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room

Sunday, November 13, 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.

Meet the Author: Ashley Inguanta

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room

Saturday, November 19, 4 p.m.

Local author Ashley Inguanta will read from her newest collection of linked poetry, “Bomb”, which explores the extraordinary bond between two lovers. When the world these two humans have made explodes, they learn something excruciating and necessary and exquisite. Inguanta is the Art Director of SmokeLong Quarterly and a Contributing Editor at The Writing Disorder. Her work has been nominated for The Pushcart Prize and has received an Honorable Mention in Glimmer Train for the Very Short Fiction Award. Ages 18 and up.

Writer's Workshop with Brendan Kiely

Herndon Branch

Wednesday, November 16, 7 p.m.

Brendan Kiely, co-author of *All American Boys* and author of *The Last True Love Story* and *The Gospel of Winter*, conducts a writer's workshop. Registration required. Sponsored in part by the State of Florida, Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs and the Florida Council on Arts and Culture.