

Winter Writer's Retreat

Three Workshops, Two Salons!

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Write Here, Write Now

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Ivan E. Coyote

Feb. 9-12 4 days

Feb. 9th from 2 -6 PM, 10,11, 12 from 1 -5 PM

Fee: \$300

Have you always dreamed of writing your memoirs but were never sure of where to start? Join award winning author and renowned storyteller Ivan Coyote for four days of writing and discussions. Take away a new inspiration for the creative life, and tips and tricks for continuing to write after the workshop is over.

Ivan Coyote is the author of five collections of short stories, a novel, two CD's and four short films. An audience favourite at performance and writer's festivals, Ivan has "a distinctive and persuasive voice, a flawless sense of pacing, and an impeccable sense of story" (Quill's Magazine).

Craft & Craftiness: Poetic Form & the Trickster Imagination



Matt Rader

Feb. 13 & 14 2 days from 1-5 PM each day

Fee: \$150

Join poet and teacher Matt Rader in a collaborative, participant driven writing workshop and discover for yourself how a poet can leverage the forms and traditions of poetic craft to access the trickster imagination at the heart of all art.

Matt Rader is the author of 2 critically acclaimed books of poetry and has been nominated for numerous awards. A Graduate Teaching Fellow at the University of Oregon where he taught creative writing and argumentative reasoning, Rader currently teaches writing and literature at Kwantlen Polytechnic University.

Editing: From Page to Book, Shaping a Manuscript



Heidi Greco

Feb. 17- 20 4 days from 10 AM – noon and

1 – 3 PM each day • Fee: \$300

This four-day workshop will provide writers with tools for making useful revisions. Starting with the page, discussion will move to the broader vision of formulating a structured manuscript. The pros and cons of self-publishing will also be addressed.

Editor and author, Heidi Greco brings more than two decades' experience working with manuscripts in many genres. Her book reviews, essays, poetry and fiction can be found online, in magazines and newspapers.

SALONS

Ivan Coyote & Matt Rader on Friday, Feb. 12th, Back Hall, 7:30 PM

Heidi Greco & Friends on Saturday, Feb 20, Arts Centre, 7:30 PM

Full workshop descriptions & registration visit:

www.artsdenman.com

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