

The Sandpoint Chapter of Idaho Writer's League presents:

Write the World on Fire

Idaho Writer's League 2007 Conference

September 27-29, 2007

Best Western Coeur d' Alene Inn
West 414 Appleway Coeur d' Alene, Idaho

This is one conference you won't want to miss! A proven publisher from **Ink and Paper Group, Inc.** will be there, actively seeking manuscripts—like a scout at a college game—searching for the player that shines. **David Cowsert** took pitches at last year's conference and will be at this conference with several published books that evolved from last year's pitches. **Sammie and Dee Justesen**, agents for **Northern Lights Literary Services** will take pitches and accept synopses and first chapters *at the conference*. **Books in Motion** owners **Kim and Carl Stearn**, will enlighten writers on how they can get their books on tape and how the audio industry works.

Kelly Milner Halls, an award-winning writer of children's books and magazine articles will speak on writing non-fiction for kids and how to create a marketing buzz in any genre. **Boots Reynolds** is a humor columnist and writes books, (he has two out this year), and #1 artist for Leanin' Tree cards. He's here to tell you if he can get published so can you. **Nikki Arana**, an award-winning novelist and excellent teacher of the writing craft speaks on the Seven Secrets of Story Structure. You won't want to miss this. **Angie Abderhalden** was picked up by Ink and Paper Group, Inc. at our last conference and will speak on how to write mysteries and will also be active with David Cowsert's talk on the process of going from pitch to published in one year. **Carrie Stuart Parks** follows up with a "won't want to miss," workshop on deception. She teaches the FBI and police how to discover deception and forensic art. After hearing this you will be able to write your deceptive characters more effectively.

Mona Vanek, long time published writer of non-fiction, with books and articles to her credit will show you how to write for the internet. She has an online writing course as well. **Beverly Lauderdale**, a travel writer and novelist will give us a heads up on the art of travel writing. **Cathy Neet** is a teacher and long-time writer who will give a workshop on how to organize your writing space so you can stay sane while writing. **Sherri George** speaks on historical writing and how to use astrology to build realistic characters.

Jonathan Johnson is a widely published poet and Faculty Director of the Inland Northwest Center for Writers and the MFA program at Eastern Washington University. The title of his talk is On Inspiration and Composition. We should all come away with some new ideas about how to get poems written.

Bonnie Hamre is a multi-published novelist and presents excellent workshops. She will give a class on the craft of writing. **Wendy Carroll** worked in the movie industry for Disney for 13 years and will speak on writing screenplays. **Nils Rosdahl** teaches journalism at North Idaho College and has a business column in the *Spokesman-Review*. He'll give tips on how to interview and new style tips.

If you go to one conference this year, let it be this one. Fiction, non-fiction, travel writing, screenplays, how-to, writing for children, mysteries, internet writing, organization and more—it's all here. Will you be?



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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____ (for confirmation only)

* I require vegetarian meals: yes _____ no _____

Register before August 15 to get these early bird prices. Check appropriate boxes.

	Members:	Non-Members:
Full Conference	\$110.00 ____	\$120.00 ____
Friday only:	\$ 75.00 ____	\$ 85.00 ____ (includes lunch)
Saturday only:	\$ 85.00 ____	\$ 95.00 ____ (includes lunch & banquet)
Extra Banquet tickets:	\$ 25.00 ____	\$ 25.00 ____ Number needed: ____
Late Registration fee:	\$ 10.00 ____	\$ 10.00 ____ (on or after August 15)
Total amount included:	_____	

To learn more about our speakers, go to www.idahowritersleague.com/Conference.html.

Questions? Contact Sandy Smith at sandy@netw.com or call 208-263-7207. Or you can contact Sherry Ramsey at Lramsey@supersat2.net or call 208-290-8749.

Come to Coeur d'Alene this fall. Let's Write the World on Fire!

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