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a write around portland community writing workshop

Join us for a weekly hands-on workshop devoted to generative writing and the transformative power of writing in community.

Based on the acclaimed Write Around Portland model, this dynamic workshop incorporates many of our favorite writing exercises designed to inspire the writing life, which include freewriting; work with writing elements; strength-building feedback and early-draft revision. The workshop will cap off with a community reading.



Ten Tuesdays, February 24 - April 28, 6:30 - 8:30pm

Facilitator: Kevin Fann

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Ten Wednesdays, March 4th - May 6th, 6:30 - 8:30pm

Facilitator: Dawn Thompson

Powell's City of Books, 1005 W. Burnside

\$285 (Payment plan available. Includes free parking, snacks and access to the "bowels of Powell's.")

Wednesday *Prompt* Facilitator Dawn Thompson is a Program Coordinator for Write Around Portland, and she facilitates workshops and retreats for Portland Women Writers. The author of a collection of short stories, *Light Looking at Itself* and a chapbook of poetry, *The Eternal Waltz of Seasons*, Dawn has been published in *Goliard's Literary Journal*, *X is for Xylophone* and *VoiceCatcher*. She also has written a narrative photography exhibit about women mystics, *Divine Eros*, which recently showed in Vancouver, BC.

Tuesday *Prompt* Facilitator Kevin Fann has written a little bit of everything. His commercial scripts and adverts have appeared on television, the Web, and in print. He has worked as a technical writer for diverse clients and his literary fiction has appeared in *The Vanderbilt Review* and *The 2007 Wordstock Ten*. Kevin has facilitated writing workshops with Write Around Portland for three years. He says clever things like, "I would rather learn from one bird how to sing than teach 10,000 stars how not to dance."

All proceeds from *Prompt* go directly toward funding Write Around Portland workshops and programs for people affected by HIV/AIDS, veterans living with PTSD, people with mental illness, seniors living on a low income, teen parents and many others.

Pre-registration is required. For more information about *Prompt* and to register, go to www.writearound.org or call 503.796.9224.