

New Jersey Poetry Calendar

April 2017

National Poetry Month

Saturday, April 1

2016 Paterson Poetry Prize

Winner and Finalists

The Distinguished Poets Series

of the Poetry Center at

Passaic County Community College

(Poetry writing workshop

with Mark Doty & Richard Michelson

at 10 AM. Fee \$20. Pre-registration required)

Winner:

MARK DOTY

Deep Lane

(W. W. Norton & Company, New York, NY)

Finalists:

PATRICIA SPEARS JONES

A Lucent Fire: New & Selected Poems

(White Pine Press, Buffalo, NY)

ADELE KENNY

A Lightness, A Thirst, or Nothing At All

(Welcome Rain Publishers, New York, NY)

RICHARD MICHELSON

More Money Than God

(Uni. of Pittsburgh Press, Pittsburgh, PA)

VIVIAN SHIPLEY

Perennial

(Negative Capability Press, Mobile, AL)

Hamilton Club Building

32 Church St., Paterson

1 PM Free

Contact: Maria Mazziotti Gillan

973-684-6555

<http://www.poetrycenterpccc.com>



Tuesday, April 4

BARBARA KRASNER

JAMES B. NICOLA

ALFRED ENCARNACION

Somerset Poetry Group

Bridgewater Public Library

Meeting Room C

1 Vogt Drive, Bridgewater

7 PM Free

Open Reading

Library: 908-526-4016

Contact: Bob Rosenbloom

732-371-3817

bloom306@yahoo.com



Tuesday, April 4

MAXINE SUSMAN

The Writers' Roundtable

Unitarian Fellowship

1 West Nelson Street, Newton

7 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: Elaine Koplow

908-362-6025

ekoplow@embarqmail.com

Tuesday, April 4

COLM TOIBON

Visiting Writers

Monmouth University, Wilson Auditorium

400 Cedar Avenue, West Long Branch

4:30 PM Free

Contact: Eileen Chapman

pollaktheatre@gmail.com

Wednesday, April 5

Big Read-Read In

LAURA BOSS plus Open Reading

(2 Minutes each poet)

Montclair Public Library

(Auditorium)

50 South Fullerton Avenue

Montclair

5 PM Free

Contact Library: 973-744- 0500

For details contact: Chelsea Dodd

chelsea.dodd@montclair.bccls.org



Wednesday, April 5

ANDREI CODRESCU

The Williams Center Reading Series

Williams Center for the Arts

One Williams Plaza, Rutherford

7 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: John Barrale

john.barrale@gmail.com

www.redwheelbarrowpoets.org

Thursday, April 6

MARILYN NELSON

Presence: A New Poetry Journal

Caldwell University Alumni Theater

120 Bloomfield Avenue, Caldwell

6 PM Free

Contact: Mary Ann B. Miller

973-618-3454

mmiller@caldwell.edu

Wednesday, April 12

TOM OBRZUT

PoetsWednesdays

The Barron Arts Center

582 Rahway Avenue

Woodbridge

8 PM Free (or donation)

Open Reading

Contact: Barron Arts Center

732-634-0413



Thursday, April 13

JOEL ALLEGRETTI

RAPHAEL BADAGLIACCA

LAURA BOSS

MARIA MAZZIOTTI GILLAN

JOSH HUMPHREY

TOM PLANTE

JOHN J. TRAUSE

Meta-Land Anthology Reading

Montclair Monthly Poetry Series

Montclair Public Library

(Auditorium)

50 South Fullerton Avenue, Montclair

7 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact Library: 973-744- 0500



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Thursday, April 13

THERÉSE HALSCHEID

DENISE LA NEVE

DIANE LOCKWARD

PAUL NASH

MIKE NORTHEN

New Jersey Publishers

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Lawrence Library

2751 US Highway 1

Lawrence Township

7 PM Free

(Registration suggested)

Contact: 609-989-6920 or

lawprogs@mcl.org

Saturday, April 15

LAURA MCCULLOUGH

Poetry and Music at the ANT

ANT Bookstore and Café

345 Clifton Avenue

Clifton

7 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: James Gwyn

973-777-2704

ERGO.therefore@gmail.com

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Monday, April 17
WANDA S. PRAISNER
US 1 Poets Cooperative
Princeton Public Library
65 Witherspoon Street, Princeton
7:30 PM Free
Contact: 609-924-9529

Tuesday, April 18
WANDA S. PRAISNER
Journal of New Jersey Poets
County College of Morris
Student Center
214 Center Grove Road, Randolph
7 PM Free
journalofnjpoets@ccm.edu

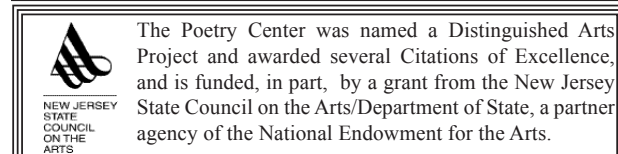
Tuesday, April 18
JOHN AMEN
HANK KALET
Carriage House Poetry Series
Kuran Arts Center
Watson Road (GPS Use 75 N. Martine Ave.)
Fanwood
8PM Free
Contact: Adele Kenny
908-889-7223
carriagehousepoetryseries.blogspot.com

Thursday, April 20
MARYANN L. MILLER
Caldwell University Poetry Service-Learning Project
Caldwell Public Library
268 Bloomfield Avenue, Caldwell
6:30 PM Free
Contact: Mary Ann B. Miller
973-618-3454 or mmiller@caldwell.edu
Library: 973-226-2837

Thursday, April 20
DAVID CREWS
DARLA HIMELES
JEAN LEBLANC
GEORGE LIGHTCAP
PRISCILLA ORR
Betty June Silconas Poetry Reading
Sussex County Community College
PAC, Atrium
One College Hill Road, Newton
6 PM
Contact: SCCC
poetrycenter@sussex.edu



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Saturday, April 22
CAT DOTY
ADELE KENNY
NANCY LUBARSKY
JOHN MCDERMOTT
PRISCILLA ORR
TOM PLANTE
BOB ROSENBLOOM
DONNA BAIER STEIN
Tiferet Journal
Bernardsville Public Library
1 Anderson Hill Road, Bernardsville
2 PM Free
Open Reading
Library: 908-766-0118

Saturday, April 22
CHRIS BURSK
THERÉSE HALSCHEID
A Reading in Celebration of Poetry Month at the Whitman-Stafford House
Stratford Public Library
315 Maple Avenue, Laurel Springs
2 PM Free (RSVP requested)
Contact: Alfred Encarnacion
856-783-0602

Sunday, April 23
DAWN GUNTHER BERNSTEIN
DAVID STANFORD BURR
ROBIN ROSEN CHANG
JUDITH A. CHRISTIAN
JOE CUTHBERT
JONATHAN F. ERWAY
DEBORAH GERRISH
MARJORIE DEITER KEYISHIAN
PHIL KIRSCH
MARCIA LeBEAU
HEATHER NEWMAN
PATRICIA McKERNON RUNKLE
SEEMA TEPPER
PEGGY VASSALLO
South Mountain Poets Thirtieth Anniversary Reading
The Woodland (in The Parlor)
60 Woodland Road, Maplewood
2 PM Free
Open Reading
Contact: The Woodland
973-843-7157
Info@TheWoodlandNJ.com
Contact: David Stanford Burr
SouthMountainPoets@gmail.com

Tuesday, April 25
MARIA MAZZIOTTI GILLAN
Friends of the Library Poetry Night Series
Highland Park Public Library
31 North Fifth Avenue
Highland Park
7 PM Free
Open Reading
Contact: Valeri Drach Weidmann
732-572-2750
valeri84@hpplnj.org



Saturday, April 29
SONDRA GASH
DEBORAH GERRISH
DEBORAH LA VEGLIA
DIANE LOCKWARD
BOB ROSENBLOOM
CHRISTINE REDMAN-WALDEYER
Visiting Poets Series
New Providence Memorial Library
377 Elkwood Avenue, New Providence
2PM Free
Open Reading
Contact: Deborah Gerrish
908-692-4756

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Tuesdays 5:30 PM

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