New Books

Magazines and other publication opportunities: Blue Hole | The Enigmatist | Poetry Corner – SA Express-News | University Literary Magazines | VIA | Poetry on the Move | Voices de la Luna | Young Pegasus

2016-2017

This book list highlights local writers and their published works in 2016 and 2017. To have your poetry book listed in future National Poetry Month calendars, contact Jim LaVille-Havelin at lavhav@gmail.com.

Bonani, Roberto, Awakened By Surprise (Lamar University Literary Press)
Brown, Nathan, (Wimberly) Don’t Try (Mecalita Press, LLC)
Cortez, Sarah, Against Sky’s Warm Belly (Texas Review Press)
Darnell, Charles, Water, Tongues, Earth, And Blood - Poems O Acadiana (Finishing Line Press)
Davis, Glover, My Cup Of Darkness (Lamar University Literary Press)
Dennis, James, Correspondence In D Minor (Stephen F. Austin State University Press)
Guirad, Laura Quinn, Between Two Gardens (Alamo Bay Press)
Hartman, Michelle, The Lost Journal Of My Second Trip To Purgatory (Old Severnty Creek Press)
Jennings, Michael, Crossings: A Record Of Travel (Lamar University Literary Press)
LaVille-Havelin, Jim, West (Wings Press) (Sept 2017)
Lyons, Bonnie, So Far (Finishing Line Press)
Lyons, Bonnie and Deb Field, We’re Wonderful Old Women – Interviews photographs by Linda Harris (Outskirts Press)
Milligan, Bryce, Toke To The Highway: Arabesques For Travelers (West End Press)
Oliva, Sharon, Old Ballerina Club (Dos Madres Press)
Phelps, D. Ella, Tongues Of Heaven
Renaud Gonzalez, Barbara Las Nalgas De J-Lo (Artlan Libre Press)
Thomas, Larry D., El Padre (Nodding Onion)
Thomas, Larry D., Placido (Nodding Onion)
Schiesser, Shuhb, Sacred River (Sociolights Press)
Van de Kamp, Alexandra, Kiss Hierarchly (Rain Mountain Press)

Local Presses: Artlan Libre | Dos Gatos | Trinity University Press | Wings Press

About * National Poetry Month * Calendar

The Academy of American Poets recognizes April as National Poetry Month (NPM) in order to increase public awareness about the importance of poetry and its essential place in American culture.

As a part of this initiative, in 2009 the City of San Antonio published its own local NPM calendar in an effort to provide the public with information about poetry readings, workshops, spoken word and slam competitions, panel discussions, and many more poetry related and literacy engaging activities. A commitment to support the literary arts and a validation of San Antonio’s rich literary culture, each year the calendar highlights events that take place across the city and in surrounding areas.

PARTNERS

San Antonio Central Library, Auditorium
Unlicensed and Licensed Professional Educators and Teachers

The workshop is FREE for all educators, and is LIMITED to the first 100 applicants.

Participants earn five Continuing Professional Education (CPE) hours for completion of the workshop.

More information and registration can be found at getcreativein-sanantonio.com.
Saturday, April 1
7 pm | 2016 Mentorship Celebration & Wine Reception
Gemini Ink: 1111 Nueva St.
The Gemini Ink Mentorship Program partners nationally-recognized poets with local poets who want to develop a manuscript for publication. The program offers flexibility to create a work environment specifically tailored to the mentee's creative needs. The celebration reading features mentor Amanda Ward and Connie Visone and the 2016 mentees, Rod Carrillo, Porchonda Orrin, and Jinal Pajand.
Call (210) 734-9673

Saturday, April 8
11 am | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
St. Mary’s Lawn House
1105 S. St. Mary’s St.
7 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

Sunday, April 9
11 am | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
St. Mary’s Lawn House
1105 S. St. Mary’s St.
7 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

Monday, April 10
7-10 pm | Open Mic Poetry Barrio Barista: 3755 Culver
San Antonio, Texas 78229

Tuesday, April 11
6 pm | Gemini Ink at Viva Tacoland
6333 Broadway Street
San Antonio, TX 78212

Wednesday, April 12
6 pm | Poetry at CIELO Gardens
CIELO Garden: 7505 Agnes St.

Thursday, April 13
3:30 pm | 20th Century Mexican Art Poetry Tolimín on Oak: 4344 Harry Wurzbach Rd. (For ages 18+)
Come and be read for your cursive to become your friends (or see your old ones). Weekly activities and fun activities. Please visit our website or call (210) 826-6825.

Friday, April 14 & Saturday, April 15
No If Elbers
10 am | Elbers Presents, “Resistance Through Poetry”
www.barriobarista.coop and call (210) 333-6009

Friday, April 14
6 pm | Summer Strand Festival
Begins at 6pm
Come join the Barrio Barista family for our annual poetry event with open mic poetry for all. Refreshments will be provided for a donation. Please call (210) 333-6009.

Friday, April 15
7 pm | Voices of the Luna
La Vaca Vaporera: 3526 Guadalupe St.
San Antonio, TX 78201

Saturday, April 15
7 pm | 2016 Mentorship Celebration & Wine Reception
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Saturday, April 22
4 pm | 2016 Mentorship Celebration & Wine Reception
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Sunday, April 23
2 pm | National Poetry Month - Open Mic Readings
Memorial Branch Library: 3921 Culebra Rd.
The San Antonio Public Library invites you to celebrate their open mic poetry event. For the public, unless indicated in the event description.
Call (210) 207-9400

11 am | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
St. Mary’s Lawn House
1105 S. St. Mary’s St.
7 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

Tuesday, April 25
7 pm | Open Mic Poetry Barrio Barista: 3755 Culver
San Antonio, Texas 78229

Wednesday, April 26
6 pm | Open Mic Poetry Barrio Barista: 3755 Culver
San Antonio, Texas 78229

Friday, April 28
7 pm | National Book Launch: “The Last American Venus”
O.L.U. WordFriend: 927 E. Crockett St.
San Antonio, Texas 78204

Saturday, April 30
2 pm | Voices of Cieelo Gardens Poetry Reading
CIELO Garden: 7505 Agnes St.
San Antonio, Texas 78212

8 pm | Open Mic Poetry at El Barrio: 3735 Bandera
San Antonio, Texas 78216

2 pm | Open Mic Poetry at the Barrio Barista
San Antonio, Texas 78229

3 pm | Writing Poetry with Hugs
Central Book House: 601 Soledad
San Antonio, Texas 78204

4 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
Gemini Ink: 1111 Nueva St.
San Antonio, Texas 78204

5 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

6 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

6:10 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

6:30 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

6:45 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
San Antonio Museum of Art: 200 W Jones Ave
San Antonio, Texas 78205

7 pm | Celebration Circle: Voices and Vibes
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If you are interested in including your book in the calendar, please contact us at info@nwpmsa.org. For an online version of this calendar visit www.nwpmsa.org.

All events listed are free and available to the public, unless indicated in the event description.