



Creative Wordshops
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**What's
on
Oct 2021
Storyshops &
mini-retreats
Writesops**

Wherever you are in the world... join a 'virtual' group or enjoy one-on-one mentoring...talk to me about choices

I create a space that is safe, supportive and encouraging

1. On the retreat radar

ZenPen: Writing Being and Meditation (detailed flyers on request)

We can make our minds so like still water that beings gather about us to see their own images, and so live for a moment with a clearer, perhaps even with a fiercer life because of our silence. (Yeats)

In these retreats, surrounded by and part of nature, we explore our connection to writing and meditation.

Zen (Chinese *chán* 'quietude') be present. live and write simply.

Pen (Latin *penna* 'feather') the art of writing and the implements



Buddhist Retreat Ixopo 23-26

Sept (bookings via BRC site)

The Rough Writing Road: Keeping a journal Sun 26 - Tue 28 Sep



1b. Khula Dharma (Haga Haga) 15-17 Oct

2. Zoom: Families and Ancestors: Writing Your Stories

Sun 10 Oct and 14 Nov 15.00 -17.45 SA time (R320 or R600 both)

We write and place our stories next to those of our family, immediate, extended and chosen. Family can include not only blood but our spiritual tradition, culture and the line of those who have influenced us. The workshops also touch on healing the family tree.

Folks respond positively to these zoom wordshops. They connect, enjoy the company and experience and in no time are writing away.

And ongoing monthly meetings...



3. Magic Carpet Writing Group R690 (6 sessions) Last Wed of every month
Next **actual** and **zoom** 29 Sept @ 18.31ish

Need to be part of a fun-loving supportive thinking/being group of aspirant writers?

Writing exercises, conversation, energy, soup and wine. Beginners are welcome... make writing friends

July- Dec **Running Round Writer's Block: The 7 habits of highly happy writers**

4. Pringle Bay Poetry Moments

*I want to write poems that are natural, luminous, deep, spare. I dream of
an art so transparent that you can look through and see the world.*

(Stanely Kunitz)

Monthly bring and share your own or poems you poems you live and love ...
a freebie..... 18.30. Pringle Bay venue. next session Tues Oct 12

5. Temenos McGregor

Writing your poem: Preparation for Youth entry Festival Competition

22-24 Oct a freebie for local youth poets

Booking through Jane @ Temenos www.temenos.org.za 023 625 1871