



# PENOLA COONAWARRA ARTS FESTIVAL 2009

## LITERARY DELIGHTS

### Writers Forum

#### The Pathway to Success

Join acclaimed novelist Rachel Hennessy, award-winning poet Jude Aquilina and successful non-fiction writer Bruce Lindsay along with Michael Bollen, publisher from Wakefield Press in an informative and lively discussion on their pathways to success. Political satirist Bryan Dawe will preside over the panel.

**Date:** Saturday, 16 May  
**Time:** 9.30am – 11.30am  
**Location:** Memorial Marquee, Church St, Penola  
**Cost:** \$5 per person, bookings not required

### Literary Lunch

#### A Lunch with Peter Goldsworthy

Spend two hours with Peter Goldsworthy and hear him speak about his life and experiences.

**Date:** Saturday, 16 May  
**Time:** 12.00pm – 2.00pm  
**Location:** Heywards Royal Oak Hotel, Church St, Penola  
**Cost:** \$50 per person includes a light lunch with guest speaker, drinks at own cost, bookings required.

### Living Books and Living Treasures

Living Treasures from the Penola and Coonawarra community will donate themselves as living books. You can come, borrow your favourite Living Treasure for 15 minutes, and learn about their lives and experiences.

**Date:** Saturday, 16 May  
**Time:** 1.00pm – 3.00pm  
**Location:** Penola Community Library, Penola High School, Cameron Street, Penola  
**Cost:** Free  
**Bookings:** Penola Community Library, 08 8737 2838

### Writing Workshop

#### Inspiration Versus Dedication:

#### Re-writing Fiction Towards Publication

Why is it some writers seem to be constantly published while others constantly struggle? This workshop with Rachel Hennessy will teach you methods to examine your work closely, to help you to re-draft and improve your writing.

**Date:** Saturday, 16 May  
**Time:** 2.00pm – 5.00pm  
**Location:** Penola Primary School, Riddoch St, Penola  
**Cost:** \$30 per person, includes afternoon tea, bookings required.

BOOKINGS CAN BE MADE BY CONTACTING THE  
PENOLA COONAWARRA VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE  
08 8737 2855

### Writing Workshop

#### Poetry from Inspiration to Publication

This workshop is suitable for new and published poets. Participants will be given tips by Jude Aquilina on finding ideas, the various poetic techniques, editing and publishing. Short writing exercises will allow participants to take home a number of poems in progress.

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### Writing Workshop

#### Successful Self-Publishing

#### A Viable Option For All Writers

Bruce Lindsay will talk about marketing and publishing your own book. Use a good quality published book as your model. View - the attractiveness of its font, layout, binding, dust-wrapper. Observe - correct spelling, grammar and syntax. Read - it is written in a style which is easy rather than challenging for the reader.

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*Please note, publisher Michael Bollen from Wakefield Press will be visiting each workshop to answer questions in regards to publishing.*

### Writers Forum

#### Books we Love and Books we Loathe

#### What do people read?

Join Doug Balnaves as he chairs an animated discussion on what people really read. Panel members include Jude Aquilina and Bruce Lindsay, acclaimed author Peter Goldsworthy and local identity Angela Goode.

**Date:** Sunday, 17 May  
**Time:** 10.00am – 12.00pm  
**Location:** Memorial Marquee, Church St, Penola  
**Cost:** \$5 per person (children free), bookings not required

### Book Signing

Have you always wanted to get up close and personal with well-known authors? Here is your chance to meet Peter Goldsworthy, Jude Aquilina and Bruce Lindsay, ask questions and have books personally signed.

Book City will also have a range of novels available for purchase in the marquee.

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