New Jersey Poetry Calendar

April 2013 National Poetry Month

Monday, April 1
GEORGE CASTELLITTO
ANTHONY DEMAREST
MARGARET GARDINEER
JULIE O'CONNELL
BOB QUATRONE
DANIEL SAXON
DAVID SWARTZ
SHERIDA YODER

and Students

Felician College Student-Faculty
Poetry Reading
Obal Lecture Hall, 2nd fl.,
260 South Main St., Lodi
1 PM Free
Contact: Sherida Yoder
201-559-6110
voders@felician.edu

Tuesday, April 2 ADELE KENNY DONNA BAIER-STEIN MICHAEL T. YOUNG

Somerset Poetry Group

Bridgewater Library
1 Vogt Drive
Bridgewater
7 PM Free

Contact library: 908-526-4016 or Bob Rosenbloom: 732-371-3817

bloom306@yahoo.com

Bud Berkich

Open Reading

amnestyblackcat@aol.com

Tuesday, April 2
Favorite Poems/Favorite Poets
The Writers' Roundtable
Unitarian Fellowship Hall

1 West Nelson St., Newton7 PM Free

Contact: Elaine K

Contact: Elaine Koplow

908-362-6025

ekoplow@embarqmail.com

Wednesday, April 3
DAVID CREWS

The Williams Readings

Williams Center for the Arts

One Williams Plaza

Rutherford

7 PM Free Open Reading

Contact: Claudia Serea, Zorida Mohammed,

Don Zirilli

injarthouse@yahoo.com

Thursday, April 4 SONDRA GASH GAIL FISHMAN GERWIN

Montclair Public Library

(Auditorium)

50 South Fullerton Ave.,

Montclair

7 PM Free Open Reading

Contact: Laura Boss or Maria Mazziotti Gillan Library: 973-744-0500

Thursday, April 4 C. K. WILLIAMS

Visiting Writers Series

Monmouth University
Wilson Hall Auditorium

400 Cedar Ave, West Long Branch

4:30 PM Free

Contact: 732-263-5635 or 732-263-5114

www.monmouth.edu/arts events

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Thursday, April 4 ROBERT HAMBLIN

Caldwell College

The Westervelt Lecture Hall

Werner Hall

120 Bloomfield Ave., Caldwell

12 PM Free

Contact: aself@caldwell.edu

or Alison Self 973-618-3607

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Thursday, April 4
SHARLENE BROWN
MARGIE "MIA X" JOHNSON
JOEL ORTIZ
CAROLE STONE

East Orange Public Library
21 S. Arlington Ave., East Orange
5:30 PM Free

Contact: Elijah M. Brown Library: 973-266-5600

Friday, April 5 MARCIA IVANS

Poetry on Main

Open Reading

Bobby's News & Gifts 521 Main St., Boonton 6 PM Free 973-794-4470

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Saturday, April 6
2012 Paterson Poetry Prize
Winner and Finalists
The Distinguished Poets Series
of the Poetry Center at
Passaic County Community College
First Prize
DORIANNE LAUX

The Book of Men

(W. W. Norton & Compan

(W. W. Norton & Company)

Finalists

WANDA COLEMAN

The World Falls Away (University of Pittsburgh Press)

MARTÍN ESPADA

The Trouble Ball

(W. W. Norton & Company)

RACHEL RICHARDSON

Copperhead

(Carnegie Mellon University Press)

JASON SCHOSSLER

Mud Cakes

(Bona Fide Books)

JOE WILKINS

Killing the Murnion Dogs (Black Lawrence Press)

Hamilton Club Building 32 Church St., Paterson

1 PM Free

Contact: Maria Mazziotti Gillan

973-684-6555

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Sunday, April 7 U.S. 1 Poets' Cooperative Publication Launch

for U.S.1 Worksheets
40th Anniversary Issue

Princeton Public Library

65 Witherspoon St., Princeton

2 PM Free
No Open Reading
Contact: Nancy Scott
nscott29@aol.com
Library: 609-924-9529

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Monday, April 8

MARIA MAZZIOTTI GILLAN

Poetry in the Park Series

Historic Hopkins House in

Cooper River Park

250 S. Park Drive

Haddon Township

7:30 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: Brother Daoud Bey

856-227-7200 x 4063

Arts4TeensFestival@yahoo.com

Wednesday, April 10 LAURA FREEDGOOD

SAMUEL HENRY

JAMAL"JSKILLZ" HINNANT

CHRISTOPHER PARKER

Adult School of Montclair Poetry Fest

Montclair Public Library

50 S. Fullerton Ave., Montclair

5:30 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: Jeanie Silberman

973-746-6636

jeani@adultschool.org or

Library: 973-744-0500

Thursday, April 11 SANDRA R. DUGUID

Caldwell College Poetry

Service-Learning Project

Caldwell Public Library

268 Bloomfield Ave., Caldwell

6:30 PM Free

Contact: Mary Ann Miller

973-618-3454

mmiller@caldwell.edu

Library: 973-226-2837

Saturday, April 13 LAURA MCCULLOUGH MICHAEL BROEK

River Read Series
Red Bank Public Library
84 W. Front St., Red Bank

2:30 PM Free

Open Reading
Library: 732-842-0690
Contact: Linda Jade
Lindacj2@verizon.net
Gragg G. Brown

Gregg G. Brown gregglory@aol.com

Sunday, April 14
Spring Awakening
Poetry Slam

(Hosted by Mahogany Browne) The West Windsor Arts Center

952 Alexander Rd. Princeton Junction

3 PM \$6 (free for workshop

attendees & competing poets)

Contact: Arin Black

609-716-1931 www.westwindsorartscenter.org

Tuesday, April 16 VIEVEE FRANCIS

Kuran Arts Center

Watson Rd. (GPS Use 75 N. Martine Ave.)

Fanwood

8 PM Free

Contact: Adele Kenny

908-889-7223

carriagehousepoetryseries.blogspot.com

Saturday, April 20 DEBORAH GERRISH ANN DE VENEZIA

Visiting Poets

New Providence Memorial Library

377 Elkwood Ave. New Providence 2 PM Free Open Reading

Contact: Library 908-665-0311

Deborah Gerrish: 908-692-4756

shakabeee@aol.com

Saturday, April 20 MARCIA S. IVANS PINA PIPINO

Mendham Books

84 East Main St., (Rt. 24)

Mendham Village Shopping Center

Mendham

2 PM Free

Open reading

Contact: Tori Williams 973-543-4949

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Sunday, April 21

The Writers Circle & Tiferet present:

Poets of Tiferet
RENÉE ASHLEY
DONNA BAIER STEIN
ADELE KENNY

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426 Springfield Ave., Summit

2 PM Free Open Reading

Contact: Donna Baier-Stein dbswriter@gmail.com

Sunday, April 21 GAIL FISHMAN GERWIN

The Morristown & Morris Township Library

1 Miller Rd., Morristown

2 PM Free

Contact: Chad Leinaweaver chad.leinaweaver@mainlib.org

Library: 973-538-6161

http://www.jfpl.org/polEvents.cfm

Tuesday, April 23 TRACY K. SMITH

Georgian Court University (Little Theatre)

900 Lakewood Ave., Lakewood

7 PM Free

Contact: Russell McDonald

732-987-2397

rmcdonald@georgian.edu

Wednesday, April 24

VALERIE ANGELINA

DAVID BROWN

MARIAN CALABRO

CAIN NKOSI

Newark Public Library

5 Washington St., Newark

5 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: Library

973-733-7784

Thursday, April 25

SARAH KAY

PHIL KAYE

Project V.O.I.C.E. Performance

Montclair High School

100 Chestnut St, Montclair

7:30 PM \$20

Contact: Adult School Montclair

973-746-6636

Saturday, April 27

EMBRACING ELLA!

ELLA FITZGERALD.

Birthday Celebration in Poetry

and Song

TARA BETTS

MARIA MAZZIOTTI GILLAN

JIM GWYN

JOE WEIL

and others

Bring a poem to read for general audiences

related to Ella Fitzgerald

Ridgewood Christian Reformed Church

271 Lincoln Ave., Ridgewood

1 PM Free

Open Reading

Contact: Emily Rose

ERGO.therefore@gmail.com

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Saturday, April 27 DEAN KOSTOS GERRY LAFEMINA

Caldwell College Poetry
Service-Learning Project &

St. Thomas the Apostle Book Group

St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Center

60 Byrd Ave., Bloomfield

1 PM Free

Contact: Mary Ann Miller

973-618-3454

mmiller@caldwell.edu

Sunday, April 28 LAURA BOSS

MARIA MAZZIOTTI GILLAN

CavanKerry

Poetry in the Country

4 Mountain Rd., Tewksbury

2 PM Free

Contact: Sondra Gash

908-832-5801

sondraregine1@comcast.net

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