

Weaving Words: Stories of the World

A Creative Writing Program: Memoir—Writing Our Stories

Dates: March 2 & 3 and March 9 & 10, 2019

Location: Global Gathering Place
100 5th Avenue North

Time: 1-4 PM

Instructor: Danica Lorer

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**Please note that registration is limited to 15 participants*

**Registration deadline is February 22, 2019*

Program Description:

Weaving Words: Stories of the World is a creative writing program offered free of charge to Newcomers. The program is offered by the SWG in partnership with Global Gathering Place with support from The Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust and the City of Saskatoon, the Saskatchewan Arts Board and SaskCulture.

All levels are welcome, though basic English writing skills are necessary.

This program is not an English language course.

It is intended as a means to develop creative writing skills through practice.

Class size is limited to 15 participants.

Weaving Words gives people from other cultures the chance to work with a professional Canadian writer in a relaxed setting, to get some tips and hands-on experience telling their own stories in prose and to meet others who are interested in learning the craft of creative writing.

The *Weaving Words* workshop keeps the emphasis on respecting the unique voice of each writer – finding their stories and helping them to tell them. Participants will explore ways to write their stories in English, while still keeping their distinctive voice and building on their writing, story structure and editing skills.

The participants will also have the opportunity to share their work with friends and family at a Celebration and Reading that will be held at the completion of the program.

