# Exploring Story through Art, Theater, and Writing

with Christi Craig: Writer, Teacher, Editor



A writing course designed to expose participants to the importance of sharing your stories by exploring three different mediums of creativity: art, theater, and finally—putting pen to paper.

## REGISTRATION

## **\$95** for the entire course, which includes:

- 3 hours of writing workshops on creativity & story, with lessons on the personal essay and a take-home assignment.
- a reduced-fee ticket to the Saturday evening showing of Sabley Sabin's three-act play, "everyone's stories are true," at Inspiration Studios.

From the synopsis for everyone's stories are true: "the human experience is one of attempted connection – sometimes it works, and the words - the stories that we share – bring us together, bridging the gap between us. sometimes they fall short, landing between us as barricades. either way, shared or isolated, our stories – everyone's stories – are true."

• an opportunity to view Deb Marett's art exhibit, "FAMOUS" in the gallery space at Inspiration Studios.

FAMOUS is a collection or portraits that encourages viewers "to redefine their ideas of fame and re-examine who they honor by giving them their time and attention."

• an informal reading of participant's written work and discussion on the process.

Participants will leave the course with a wider perspective on the way creative expression enhances our stories, with the beginning of a personal essay in hand, and with resources for finetuning an early draft of an essay into one that's publication-ready.

## DATES (Please plan to attend all three)

Saturday, Aug 19, 2017 5:30-6:30pm. Workshop ; 7:30pm play, "everyone's stories are true" Sunday, Aug 20, 2017 3-5pm. Workshop (bring pen and paper!) Saturday, Aug 26, 2017 10am-12pm. Informal reading & discussion

## LOCATION

Inspiration Studios, 1500 S. 73<sup>rd</sup> Street, West Allis, WI

Register ONLINE at christicraig.com (via PayPal) or mail payment and registration form (attached) to: Christi Craig, P.O. Box 44043, West Allis, WI 53214.

Deadline to register: August 13<sup>th</sup> (seats are limited). For more information, contact Christi <u>christi@christicraig.com</u> or 414.687.3750.

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