



For over 25 years, WWf(a)C has provided a safe, non-competitive environment for individuals to develop their writing skills, cultivate their creativity, and strengthen their voices. Our writers, whether first-timers or the more experienced, find community, connection, and meaningful conversation within our circles. We encourage writing as a process of self-discovery and self-expression—a celebration of the individual voice. Our classes provide a unique

setting in which honoring each other's words and learning to give and receive constructive feedback enrich participants' lives.

FREE Core Class Samplers

FREE Samplers are designed to introduce new participants to the practices used in WWf(a)C Core Classes before committing to the course:

Wednesday (All Gender), May 15, 7-8:30pm – Laurie Lambert
Thursday, May 16, 11am-12:30pm – Elizabeth Mannion & Phebe Beiser

Tuesday, May 21, 11am-12:30pm – Sally Schneider

Tuesday, May 21, 6:30-8pm – Sally Schneider

Core Classes

In our **core classes**, facilitators offer writing prompts and resources, and encourage participants to choose and develop their own subject matter. Classes allow for personal writing time, sharing in large and small groups, guidance in giving and receiving useful, positive feedback, and opportunities to read aloud to an audience.

Summer Term – 8-Week Classes - \$249

Tuesdays, Jun 4-Jul 23, 10am-12:30pm – Sally Schneider

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(Note new time for this offering)

Thursdays, Jun 6-Aug 1, 10am-12:30pm – Elizabeth Mannion

(Note: No class on July 4th)

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Wednesdays, Jun 5-Jul 24, 7-9:30pm – Laurie Lambert

Summer Camps – Strengthen Your Authentic Voice this summer! Tuition for Summer Camps is \$275 (full-day) and \$155 (half-day and YA 18+). Our camps are open to young women, girls, and trans and gender nonconforming (TGNC) youth.

Grades 4-6 – Half-Day, June 17-21, 9am-1pm

Theme: Inside Me Dwell One Million Stars

Facilitator: Janie Baer

Grades 4-6 – Full-Day, July 29-August 2, 9am-4pm

Theme: Growing Our Spirit, Growing Our Communities

Facilitator: Jaye Elizabeth Johnson

Grades 7-9, July 8-12, 9am-4pm (Option 1)

Theme: When the Walls Come Down

Facilitators: Lisa Rocklin and Lisa Heckaman

Grades 7-9, July 22-26, 9am-4pm (Option 2)

Theme: “A Map to the Next World”

Facilitator: Liv Linn

Grades 10-12, July 15-19, 9am-4pm

Theme: Looking Back, Moving Forward

Facilitators: Liv Linn and Jaye Elizabeth Johnson

New! Young Adults 18+, June 12-14, 9am-4pm

Theme: Living the In-Between

Facilitator: Lisa Rocklin

Craft of Writing Classes

The Craft of Writing classes provides participants the opportunity to further hone their writing voice through instructions and exercises on craft designed to strengthen the power of story within their work. Whether writing memoir, creative non-fiction, or fiction, participants will benefit from these focused classes. Poets also find our craft of writing classes instrumental in shaping their work.

Writer's Studio - \$20 per class

Facilitators: Tina Neyer and Annette Januzzi Wick

May 17, 9:30am-12:30pm

Needing time to work on certain aspects of a writing project? Looking for one-on-one coaching and the opportunity to test your writing out loud? Designed for writers who have participated in our “Craft of Writing” series, those who have a work of prose, memoir, or personal essay in progress, or those who would like to get started with one. Open to: All Genders 18+

Specialty Classes

Our **specialty classes** offer theme-based opportunities for writers and those wishing to explore other forms of creativity in addition to writing. Specialty Classes incorporate WWf(a)C circle practices into each session. Some adult classes are co-ed.

Social Media for Writers - \$35

Facilitator: Annette Januzzi Wick with Guest Artist

Bonnie Jean Feldkamp, May 11, 1:30-4pm

Do I need social media as a writer? How should I present myself as a writer on social media? Are there tips and tricks to develop a larger following for my work? Bonnie Jean Feldkamp, will answer those questions and more, as she discusses various social media platforms and strategies, and how a writer can harness the power of the platform to generate a wider audience for their words. The workshop will address Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and blogging (content and sharing only). Participants will also come away with knowledge of how to begin building their online presence into a brand. Open to: All Genders 18+

SoulCollage® Saturday Workshop

- Diving Deep - \$55

Facilitator: Lisa Rocklin with Guest Artist Fabricia Duell

May 18, 12-5pm

Experience a creative process that serves as a pathway to unlock your own inner wisdom and self-care. Incorporating WWf(a)C circle traditions, this workshop will introduce participants to the SoulCollage® creative process and practice. We will consider the theme of "Diving Deep," whether that be literal or metaphorical. Learn how to work with images and your own intuition to create collages of deep personal reflection and write about the experience. All materials included. No previous experience required. Additional introduction will be provided to first-time participants.

Open to: Women 16+.

Community Programs and Events

Offered by WWf(a)C, partner organizations, and friends of WWf(a)C.

Save The Date – July 30th

An Evening of Female Comics & MORE!

Our annual evening of fun and laughter continues this year at Go Bananas Comedy Club in Montgomery. Details and tickets available soon.

Save The Date - October 5th – Mark your calendars!

Wine, Art & Words

Women Writing for (a) Change's annual fundraiser is in the works. Want to help out? Give us a call at 513-272-1171.

Write Around the Corner – Original Series

Designed several years ago, this series is an opportunity to visit various sites and exhibits around the Greater Cincinnati area, as an inspiration for fresh writing.

Stay tuned for upcoming offerings!

Write Around the Corner – Exploring Cross Cultural Expressions Series

Each program in this special series of Write Around the Corner combines reflective writing with a viewing experience that highlights various cultural traditions. From October 2018 to October 2019, ten collaborative programs will be held, generally at the locations of partner organizations. Each program will focus on an exhibit, performance, play, collection, film, or other cultural representation.

Supported by the generosity of community contributions to the ArtsWave Campaign.



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Girl Scout Badge Program

WWf(a)C offers programs for Girl Scout troops or individuals year round. Badge Programs for troops typically run 2 hours and cost \$100 for groups up to 20 girls. Individual programs focus on particular badges or themes and typically cost \$15 per girl. WWf(a)C can also tailor a program to suit the interests or needs of a troop. Contact WWf(a)C for information or to schedule a program: 513-272-1171 info@womenwriting.org / www.womenwriting.org.

Classes for Young Women

YW programs are open to young women, girls, and trans and gender nonconforming (TGNC) youth in grades 4-12. Classes and camps use the art of writing and other arts to enhance self-esteem and build skills in creative self-expression. Programs are designed to help strengthen participants' authentic voices, develop their ability to speak out through writing and direct interaction, and deepen their belief in their own creative intelligence.

Teen Spring Class is currently in session. Stay tuned for future offerings and check out our Summer Camps!

Our mission is to nurture and celebrate the individual voice by facilitating supportive writing circles and by encouraging people to craft more conscious lives through the art of writing and the practices of community. For more information about our programs or our organization, visit womenwriting.org or call 513-272-1171.

Check out our website: womenwriting.org and follow us on Facebook: facebook.com/WWFAC for information about our programs, writing prompts, inspiration, discussions, and much more!