

2018 Events

November 15 - Speak about "Short Story: Know eight ingredients for a tasty story." Collister Library 7:00 pm - Idaho Writers Guild

July 19 - Speak about "Short Story: Short Stories are more than tall tales." Collister Library 7:00 pm - Idaho Writers Guild

June 21 - Speak about "Your Memoir: How to avoid flirting with fiction." Collister Library 7:00 pm - Idaho Writers Guild

May 4-5 - Idaho Writers Guild Conference - sponsor reception

April 13 - 23 - Wayfinding Women retreat to Ireland - present journaling discussion.

April 4-8 - Erma Bombeck Writers Workshop, Dayton, Ohio

April 4-8 - Short story in new book - EBWW Humor Anthology - "Laugh Out Loud - 40 Women Humorists Celebrate Then and Now...Before We Forget"

March 21 - Speak at and introduce Ambrose Storytelling Endowment, University of Idaho, Moscow

February 16 - Speak at Alpine Playhouse in McCall for the McCall Arts & Humanities Council "Stage Flight" story night.

February 9 - Brown Books Publishing conference call with tentative approval to publish memoir

February 8 - University of Idaho Alumni Program - Boise

February 6 - Short story in new eBook, "Cup of Love"

February 2 - Literacy Lab Lunch

February 2 - Cycling Without Age Idaho Chapter meeting

January 31 - Complete front and back cover for memoir titled "Frozen Dinners - A Memoir of a Fractured Family"

2017 Events

December 31 - Winning students of the Writing Challenge read their works on the Main Stage at the Idaho Potato Drop festivities

December 1 - Deadline for Idaho Potato Drop Children's Writing Challenge Submissions

December 9 - Read two new children's books at Olive and Vyne Story Hour

Nov. 1-5 - Sag Harbor Creative Nonfiction Writers Conference - selected to attend

October 16 - Premiere Party for taxi bike for "Cycling Without Age" - Olive and Vyne - 4:00 pm

October 11 - Interviews with Channel 7 and Channel 6 on new taxi bike for "Cycling Without Age" Idaho Chapter

October 5 - Speak about "Angels in Fiction and Nonfiction" - Rediscovered Bookstore - Boise

Sept. 14 - Premiere new anthology, "Angel Bumps"

August 11-13 - Facilitate "Manuscripts and Mulligans" writing retreat at Spurwing Country Club

August 5 - Speak/Workshop for Stanley Community Library, Red Fish Lake Lodge

June 27 - July 10 - BookBub International Ad for eBook: *Gators & Taters: A Week of Bedtime Stories*

June 8-11 - Receive Writing Award, National Society of Newspaper Columnists Conference, Manchester, New Hampshire

June 7 - Live radio interview with Jeanie King, blogtalkradio.com/b-now

June 5 - Tape video interview with Celeste Stacey for Midlife Recharge Summit in August

May 22-28 - Napa Valley Wine Country, meet with agent

May 5-6 - Idaho Writers Guild Conference, Boise, Idaho

May 5 - Speak at "Life Sucks Laugh Hard" Comedy Show with Jen Mann and AK Turner

April 28 - Idaho Writers Guild

April 26 - Nonfiction Writers Mastermind - Boise

April 17 - Publish Children's Book *Gators & Taters - A Week of Bedtime Stories*

April 18 - Nonfiction Writers - Meridian

April 17 - 5-Star Review from ForeWord Reviews for *Midlife Happy Hour*

March 20 - *Midlife Happy Hour* named finalist for Book of the Year in Humor

March 11 - Speak, Delta Gamma Founder's Day Luncheon, Hillcrest Country Club

March 10 - Donate 45 copies of Magic Potato books to children's school

March 2 - Meet with international film star, writer, and producer Jane Marrow to discuss her plans to read chapters from *Drinking with Dead Women Writers.*

March 1 - Featured in *Eagle Magazine*

Feb. 27 - BookBub ad starts for *Midlife Happy Hour* on four platforms

February 21 - Idaho Writers Guild

February 14 - Idaho Writers Guild

February 8 - Book and wine basket donation for St. Alphonsus Haiti fundraiser

February 1 - Interview with Liza Long for feature in *Eagle Magazine*

January 24 - Mentor Emmett High School student for Senior Project

2016 Events

Nov. 22 – Live Interview, Blog Talk Radio with Pattie Porter, Texas

“How Blended Families Can Unite and not Fight During the Holidays”

30 minutes

Nov. 3-6 – “Write by the River” writing retreat for women

“How to Write, Tell, and Record Your Story”

Nov. 1 – Launch new website – www.MidlifeHappyHour

Nov. 1 – Finalize audiobook for *Gators & Taters – A Week of Bedtime Stories*

Nov. 1 – Finalize audiobook for *Midlife Happy Hour*

Oct. 13 – Premiere Party for *Midlife Happy Hour – Our Reward for Surviving Careers, Kids, and Chaos*

Telaya Winery, Garden City, 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Oct. 11 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting, 12:00 noon

Oct. 11 – University of Idaho Advisory Board Meeting

Idaho Public TV Building, 8:00 – 12:00 pm

Oct. 8 – Donate books and book premiere party registration at Make a Wish Charity Golf Tournament, Spurwing Country Club

Sept. 29 – Oct. 2 – Pacific Northwest Bookseller's Association, Tacoma, Washington

Present new book *Midlife Happy Hour* and Speak on Publishing Panel

Sept. 23 – First Tees Charity Gala, Spurwing Country Club

Sept. 16 – Speak, present two workshops, Boise Lean In Group of Professional Business Women

Sept. 13 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

Sept. 12-16 – Audio record *Midlife Happy Hour*

Aug. 9 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

July 6-10 – Speak, Type-A Parent Conference, Santa Fe, New Mexico

June 23-25 – Audio record *Gators & Taters – A Week of Bedtime Stories*

June 16 – Final edits of *Midlife Happy Hour* with graphic designer Sarah Tregay

June 14 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

June 11 – Speak on Humor – Workshop – Idaho Writers Guild – Riverside Hotel

June 8 – Speak on Humor – Realtors Group – Riverside Hotel

May 18 – Live web interview – Kim Acedo – Reinvention at Age 50

May 17 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

May 12 – Speak for Ken and Betty Rodgers Award Ceremony, Boise

May 6-7 – Idaho Writers Guild Conference – Plan Friday reception and Saturday dinner, introduce agents, evaluate story submissions

April 29 – May 1 – Organize, host, and facilitate Creative Kindling Retreat in Garden Valley with AK Turner and Christy Hovey

April 26 – David Sedaris, Boise

April 22 – Premiere Party for Feisty after 45 – The Best Blogs from Midlife Women – JUMP Patio, Boise

April 14-17 – Speak, BAM-Bloggers at Midlife Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada

April 9 – Idaho Writers Guild Workshop – Pick up, host, and introduce speaker Elizabeth Flynn

March 30-April 3 – Speak and present two workshops at the Erma Bombeck Writers' Workshop, Dayton, Ohio

March 16 – View University of Idaho Vandaleers at State Capitol, part of travel endowment

March 15 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

March 15 – KBOI Ad Workshop, Owyhee Ballroom, Boise, Idaho

March 8 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

Feb. 12 – Speak, Nampa Rotary Club

Feb. 9 – Idaho Writers Guild Board Meeting

Feb. 5-7 – Organize, host, and facilitate “Writing and Wellness Retreat for Women” with Emily Nielsen

Jan. 12 – Guest appearance on KBOI Idaho Living television talk show

