MIDLANDS LITERARY FESTIVAL

31 August & 1 September 2019
Fern Hill Hotel Howick

DRAFT Programme (7 Aug)

Subject to the whim of the authors and organisers!

Friday morning Howick Prep: Michelle Sciacca, Lori-Ann Preston, John Roff, Kim Broughton

Friday 2.30-4.30 pm Howick Library: a writers session for 30 YABI learners – Elana Bregin, Fiona Snyckers, Zanele Njapha, Luke Molver, Sonja Kruse

MAIN FESTIVAL Saturday 31 Aug

8.00-8.30	Registration	
8.30 – 9.00	Fiona Snyckers	*Lacuna*
9.00 – 9.30	Julia Martin	*The Blackridge House*
9.30 – 10.00	Fred Khumalo	*Talk of the Town*
10.00 – 10.30	Zanele Njapha	*An Eye for Love*
10.30 – 11.00	YABI (Cuba Ikaneng & learners)	YABI book launch
11.00 – 11.30	Tea	
11.30 – 12.00	Ekow Duker	*Yellowbone*
12.00 – 12.30	Siya Khumalo	*You Have to be Gay to Know God*
12.30 – 1.00	Steve Wimberley	*Dr Grumble*
1.00 – 2.00	Lunch	
2.00 – 2.30	Peter Storey	*I Beg to Differ*
2.30 – 3.00	Hugh Bland	*Trappist Missions of KZN*
3.00 – 3.30	Ralph Mathegka	*Ramaphosa's Turn; When Zuma Turns*
3.30 – 4.00	Desiree Anne Martin	*We Don't Talk About This. Ever*
4.00 – 4.30	Tea	
4.30 – 5.00	Richard Hunt	*Spirit of the Drakensberg*
5.00 – 5.30	Ronnie Kasrils	*Catching Tadpoles*

Sunday 1 September

8.00- 8.30	Registration	
8.30 - 9.00	Martin Prozesky	*Warring Souls; Honest to Goodness*
9.00 – 9.30	Chris Hoare	*'Mad Mike' Hoare: The Legend*
9.30 – 10.00	Gloria Keverne	*Achieving the International Bestseller Dream*
10.00 – 10.30	Elana Bregin	*Not Wanted on the Voyage*
10.30 – 11.00	Izak de Vries with Luke Molver, Hannes Barnard & JL Powers	*Representing Africa*
11.00 – 11.30	Tea	
11.30 – 12.00	Khaya Dlanga	*These Things Happen to Me*
12.00 – 12.30	Peter Church	*Thrills and Spills of Crime Fiction (Bitter Pill, Dark Video & Crackerjack)*
12.30 – 1.00	Mogau Seshene	*The Lazy Makoti*
1.00 – 2.00	Lunch	
2.00 – 3.00	Sonja Kruse	*The Ubuntu Girl*
3.00 – 3.30	John Roff	*Poems for the nature-hungry soul*
3.30 – 4.00	Erica Platter	*Durban Curry: Up2Date*
4.00 – 4.30	Ashwin Desai	
3.00 – 4.00 parallel in Fern Hill Chapel	**STORYTELLING for kids Free!**	Storytelling with Lori-Ann Preston, Michelle Sciacca, Cuba & Lungile Ikaneng, Kim Broughton, Marilyn Mills, John Roff.