



MIDLANDS
LITERARY
FESTIVAL

31 August & 1 September 2019
Fern Hill Hotel Howick

Programme

Subject to the whim of the authors and organisers!

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

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

Sunday 1 September

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