## SUNDAY — SEPTEMBER — 7th

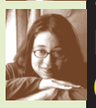
Registration for the Sunday workshops is between 9:00 - 10:00 am

### SLOT #5 10:00 - 12:00

**WORKSHOPS**

**WRITING NATURE POETRY**
*Presented by* **Bertha Rogers**

**WRITING INTO THE DARK**
*Presented by* **Mermer Blakeslee**



**PERSONA AND THE STORM**
*Presented by* **Tara Betts**

**WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**
*Presented by* **E. J. Antonio**

### LUNCH - 12:00 - 1:00

Lunch is available for those who purchase this option online during the Pre-Registration period. Availability for alternative lunch options are limited.

### 1:00 - 2:00

**CLOSING READINGS**

**Ginnah Howard**
*Doing Time Outside*

**Maria Mazziotti Gillan**
*The Place I Call Home*

**Tayari Jones**
*Silver Sparrow*

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The Hobart Community Foundation is committed to supporting programs which improve the quality of living for the residents of Hobart, New York and its region.

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### ADDITIONAL INFO & UPDATES

For updates, revisions and additional information, keep in touch with the Festival by visiting online at:

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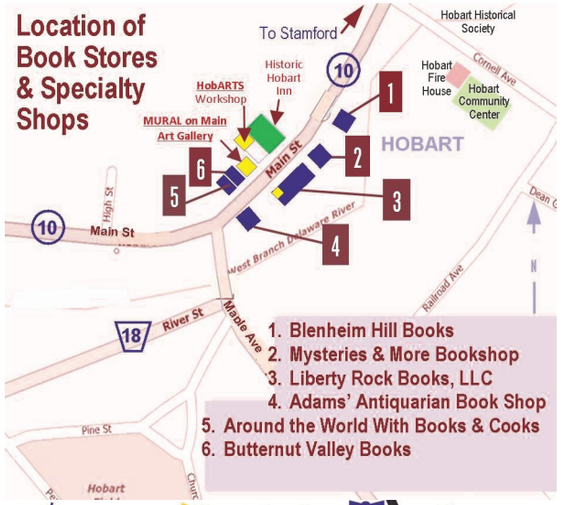


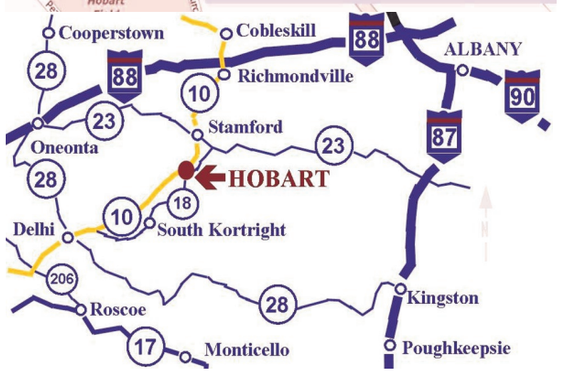


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**I-90** West to Exit **25A**; **I-88** West to Richmondville; **State Rt. 10** South to Hobart.

**From SYRACUSE**

**I-90** East towards Albany, Exit **29** to Canajoharie; **State Rt. 10** South to Hobart.

**From BINGHAMTON**

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# 2ND YEAR

# FESTIVAL OF WOMEN WRITERS

UPDATED WITH SCHEDULE

## SEPTEMBER 5TH TO 7TH 2014

## HOBART, NY

***A Weekend for All, Celebrating and Exploring the Work of Women Writers Set In and Around the Picturesque Northern Catskill Book Village of Hobart, New York.***

HOBART BOOK VILLAGE — of the Catskills — 9th Year

# Festival of Women Writers

*An opportunity for women writers from all over the country to share their work, insights, and skills.*

*Lovers of books and words will gather, interact with, and appreciate women writers.*

**REGISTRATION & CHECK IN - BEFORE 9/5/14**
**Registration is made via the Festival page on www.hobartbookvillage.com and is $30.00 per person for the entire 3 day Festival. Seniors and those under 18 are discounted to $15.00 per person. Optional fees for pre-paid lunch are also available online before 9/5/14.**

**REGISTRATION & CHECK IN AT THE FESTIVAL - Please check in at the Hobart Community Center, at 80 Cornell Avenue to pick up your Festival ID Bracelet(s). See below for check-in hours on each day of the Festival. Registration at the door the day of the event is $40.00 per person. Seniors and those under 18 are discounted to $15.00 per person. Single Day Fee is $20 per person. Seniors and those under 18 are discounted to $10.00 per person.**

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

## FRIDAY — SEPTEMBER — 5th

**Registration for the Friday workshops is between 10 - 12 pm. Lunch is NOT available this day, so please eat ahead of time.**

### WORKSHOPS

**SLOT #1 12:30 - 2:30**

**WRITING YOUR SPIRITUALITY**
*Presented by* **Lynn Domina**

**MAKING THE LEAP FROM REAL LIFE INTO FICTION**
*Presented by* **Ginnah Howard**

**SLOT #2 3:00 - 5:00**

**SELF PUBLISHING**
*Presented by* **Simona David**

**WRITING FOR PERSONAL EVOLUTION**
*Presented by* **Dara Lurie**

**GOOD STORIES**
*Presented by* **Esther Cohen**

### 3:30 - 4:30 OPENING READINGS

**Mermer Blakeslee**
*When You Live By A River*

**Stephanie Nikolopoulos**
*Burning Furiously Beautiful* (with Paul Maher)

**E.J. Antonio**
*Solstice*

If you have not been to the Northern Catskill region of New York State, we hope that you will be taken as we have with its beauty.

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## SATURDAY — SEPTEMBER — 6th

**Registration for the Saturday workshops is between 8:30 - 9:30 am**

### WORKSHOPS

**SLOT #3 9:30 - 11:30**

**ROLE OF PLACE FOR READER AND WRITER**
*Presented by* **Stephanie Nikolopoulos**

**WRITING AS A SPIRITUAL PRACTICE**
*Presented by* **Marianela Medrano**

**IMAGE TO WORD**
*Presented by* **Dahlma Llanos-Figueroa**

**ZUIHITSU: JUICE FOR THE SOUL**
*Presented by* **Cheryl Boyce-Taylor**

**BREACHING THE FORBIDDEN**
*Presented by* **Remica L. Bingham-Risher**

**LUNCH 12:00 am - 1:30 pm**

**Lunch is available for those who purchase this option online during the Pre-Registration period. Also on Main Street at the *Coffee Pot Café* from 11am to 1 pm and at the "Subway" style deli at *Mirabito Gas Station* on Main Street (North). Availability for alternative lunch options are limited.**

### WORKSHOPS

**SLOT #4 3:00 - 5:00**

**WRITING POETRY TO SAVE YOUR LIFE**
*Presented by* **Maria Mazziotti Gillan**

**DEVELOPING NARRATIVE VOICE IN YOUNG ADULT AND BEYOND**
*Presented by* **Kat Rosenfield**

**THE BIG FAT WRITING JOURNAL AND OTHER WAYS OF KEEPING YOUR CREATIVE LIFE ORGANIZED**
***Presented by*** **Sophfronia Scott**

**REWRITING AND REMEMBERING**
***Presented by*** **Mary Johnson**

**MAKING THE RED PEN YOUR FRIEND: THE PROCESS AND IMPORTANCE OF EDITING**
***Presented by*** **Nancy K. Bereano**

### 10:00 am - 11:00 am READINGS

**Alexis DeVeaux**
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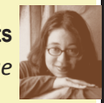
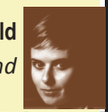


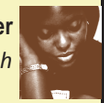
**Tara Betts**
*Arc and Hue*



**Kat Rosenfield**
*Inland*

### 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm READINGS

**Breena Clarke**
*Angels Make Their Hope Here*



**Remica L. Bingham-Risher**
*What We Ask of Flesh*

**Dahlma Llanos-Figueroa**
*Daughters of the Stone*

**Open Mic for Attendees - *All ages***
**Emceed by Cheryl Clarke**

**You must Sign-up in advance to participate at the *Open Mic* gathering at the Hobart Community Center - 4:30 to 5:45 pm.**

**Open Reception for Writers and Festival Attendees**
**5:30 - 7:00 pm**