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September 2016 Calendar of Activities

Monday, September 5 and 19 Daytime Writers Unlimited Meetings: in Angels Camp MAE from 10am – 1pm. Share your work, prose and poetry, with fellow writers. Craft sharing, resources, editing by colleagues all available. FREE. Writing exercise warmup: 30 minutes.

Monday, September 12 and 26 Evening Writers Unlimited Meetings in Angels Camp this month from 6:30-9:30 PM. If you'd like to meet us at Crusco's at 5 PM, we can have a bite to eat before the meeting. Call me and I'll send you the menu so you can reserve and order ahead if you are coming from a distance. Share your work, prose and poetry, with fellow writers. Craft sharing, resources, editing by colleagues all available. FREE.

Thursdays, September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 11 am – noon. TWIN TALKS with Jim Fletcher, author and historian, who shares historical information about Mark Twain's life, particularly the 88 days Twain spent in the Mother Lode. FREE.

Saturday, September 17 Join us for MAE's first annual ArtsHarvest Dinner Dance Party with Mumbo Gumbo, a lovely gourmet lasagna dinner, no-host signature drinks, dessert, silent art and experience auction, and more at the historic and newly restored Avery Hotel. \$45.00 tickets in advance. This will be a sell-out, so get your tickets now on the website at www.manzapress.com Call for more information. 4-9 PM.

Friday Night Wining and Designing with Art, a Series called ELF (artistic and literary creativity sessions **Every Last Friday** of the month) begins **September 30** with Janet Trinkle and her crafting session called **Fall 'n Art** for participants to create colorful pressed flower and botanical art. No artistic experience is required, and the cost of \$30 includes all materials, including a frame. Participants can bring fresh botanicals from their own gardens to press if they wish, but will work with the wide variety of already pressed flowers and plants that Janet has available. **ELF begins at 5:30** with a "schmooze" and the crafting session runs from 6:30 to 8:30. Meet at Manzanita Arts Emporium with like-minded artistic and creative **ELF** folks for a creative and convivial time. **Oct. 28: *Hallow Words: Scary Story and Poem Night.*** Blanche Abrams performs EA Poe's "The Raven" in full costume. Hilariously scary, 5:30-8 PM. Open mic: bring a scary story or poem or your own, or a favorite, to read at the mic. Offering dark libations, "Finger" food and gutsy fare. **Nov. 25: *Adult Pencil Coloring.*** Dec. 30, TBD. You tell us what you'd like!

Mark your calendars for the Writers Roundup Oct 14, 15, and 16 at the Mark Twain Wild West Fest weekend in Angels Camp. For writers and creative entrepreneurs, history and Mark Twain buffs, and the general public. Cost: \$170.00 for both days of presenters or \$90.00 per day, either Friday or Sunday. Major sponsor for the Writers Roundup is the Get Smart Group, marketing experts located in Angels Camp. Go to manzapress.com for a complete description of the Writers Roundup and Saturday's activities. Also, go to marktwainwildwestfest.com for information about the free Mark Twain Wild West Fest on Saturday with activities, continuous music, Gold Rush village, steam punk and wild west costumes and performers, vendors and crafts, and so much more.

Guitar Lessons with Gordon Rowland Mondays by appointment. Call to reserve your time slot.

Note: Contact us if you'd like to hold your organization's meeting at our center, give a valuable workshop of an educational/informative or artistic nature, or have ideas for lectures, workshops, and events. We ask for a donation in exchange for use of the facility. Weekdays are best, Wed through Monday, during business hours—closed Tues.

Manzanita Writers Press announces its new nonprofit status. Tax ID# 81-2622826. Donations and gifts are welcome! Our Purpose: The Manzanita Writers at its Manzanita Arts Emporium location, a Creative Community Arts Center, offers a creative community center for arts, education, literature, benefiting the rural culture of Calaveras County and local foothill region. We have plans to expand our activities—art lessons, armchair travel series, beginning writer classes, lecture series, classic literature classes (study Shakespeare, Bible as Literature, Greek classics, classic novels and more), inspiring workshops with Robin Modlin and Shirley Jones and others, and our new series, ELF (Every Last Friday). Let us know what you'd like to see happen at Manzanita Arts Emporium!