



For over 20 years, WWf(a)C has provided a safe, non-competitive environment for individuals to develop their writing skills, cultivate their creativity, and strengthen their voices. Our writers, whether first-timers or the more experienced, find community, connection, and meaningful conversation within our circles. We encourage writing as a process of self-discovery and self-expression—a celebration of the individual voice. Our classes provide a unique

setting in which honoring each other's words and learning to give and receive constructive feedback enrich participants' lives.

Core Classes

In our **core classes**, facilitators offer writing prompts and resources, and encourage participants to choose and develop their own subject matter. Classes allow for personal writing time, sharing in large and small groups, guidance in giving and receiving useful, positive feedback, and opportunities to read aloud to an audience.

Fall Term I – 8-week courses - \$249

Mondays, Aug. 24-Oct. 12, 7-9:30pm – Sally Schneider
Tuesdays, Aug. 25-Oct. 13, 10am-12:30pm – Sally Schneider
Thursdays, Aug. 27-Oct. 15, 10am-12:30pm – Phebe Beiser

Fall Term II 8-week courses - \$249

Mondays, Oct. 26-Dec. 14, 7-9:30pm – Sally Schneider
Tuesdays, Oct. 27-Dec. 15, 10am-12:30pm – Sally Schneider
Thursdays, Oct. 22-Dec. 17, 10am-12:30pm – Phebe Beiser

Fall Term I & II Bundle - \$475

See our website for details.

Fall Co-Ed Core Class Terms I & II

Wednesdays, Aug. 26-Oct. 14, 7-9:30pm – Laurie Lambert
Wednesdays, Oct. 21-Dec. 16, 7-9:30pm – Laurie Lambert

Fall Term 15-week courses - \$475

Wednesdays, Sept. 2-Dec. 16, 7-9:30pm – Katherine Meyer

Free Programs and Samplers

Co-Ed Core Class Sampler – Free

Facilitator: Laurie Lambert
Saturday, August 1, 11am-12:30pm

Core Class Sampler – Free

Facilitator: Phebe Beiser
Saturday, August 15, 11am-12:30pm

Specialty Classes

Our **specialty classes** offer theme-based opportunities for writers and those wishing to explore other forms of creativity in addition to writing. Specialty Classes incorporate WWf(a)C circle practices into each session. Some adult classes are co-ed.

Maintain Your Writer's Shape - \$12 each or 4 for \$40

Facilitator: Laurie Lambert

Summer Term: Tuesdays, May 19-August 4, 7-8pm (12 weeks)
Fall Term I: Tuesdays, August 25 – October 13, 7-8pm (8 weeks)
DROP IN ANY TIME!

Join WWf(a)C on Tuesday evenings, for a focused, one-hour, facilitator-led writing circle to nourish or ignite your writing. Each session will incorporate the following practices of WWf(a)C: poem, prompt with fastwrites, cross-talk on writing, large group readaround. *Does not include small group time. For women.

Fall SoulCollage® Circle: Becoming the Conscious Heroine of your Journey - \$179

Facilitator: Sara Pranikoff

Fridays, September 11-November 20, 10am-1:30pm

In this series we will discover how the cards we create from images we are drawn to reflect back to us the journey we are in, hold the archetypal threads of our Larger Stories, and contain the inklings of our soul's callings.

Following Your Path – Fall Series \$90 series/\$35 each

Facilitator: Dawn Koch

Saturdays, Sept. 12, Oct. 10, Nov. 14, 1-4pm

This series of three classes that can be taken together or alone will guide participants along their own individual journeys toward self-awareness and personal transformation, with writing as the guide. The series includes the three individual classes:

Where I'm From – September 12

Finding the Path Back to You – October 10

Creating and Practicing Personal Traditions – November 14

WWf(a)C Book Group – Free

Fall Series: Feminist Classics with Mary Pierce Brosmer

September: The Feminine Mystique by Betty Friedan
Sunday, September 13, 3-5pm

October: The Beauty Myth by Naomi Wolf
Sunday, October 4, 4-6pm

November: Sister Outsider by Audre Lorde
Sunday, November 1, 3-5pm

Community Programs and Events

Offered by WWf(a)C, partner organizations, and friends of WWf(a)C.

Writing for TV: Creating a Sitcom - \$250

Guest Facilitator: Zina Camblin

August 5, 7, 12, 14, 17, 19, 6-9pm

August 21 – Final Pitch to TV Studio Time To Be Announced

Create original television show ideas, craft your ideas into a formal professional pitch, then pitch your show to a professional in the television industry! PLEASE EMAIL INSTRUCTOR, ZINA CAMBLIN at professorzac@gmail.com TO REGISTER. ZINA WILL GIVE INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAYMENT.

Opinion/Column Writing with Matt Peiken from Opine Season - FREE

Guest Facilitator: Matt Peiken

Tuesdays, August 11 & 18, 7-9pm

In this class on column writing, we'll go over how to "think" as a columnist, conceiving themes/topics, supporting your positions, developing a voice, ethics and more. You will come away from the first session with the tools to write a column, then return for the second session with a column we'll read, discuss and critique.

Women's Way of OH/KY 10th Anniversary Celebration

Saturday, August 15 - Full day of Events!

12:30pm: Krista Detor's Songwriters Workshop - \$45

4pm – Wilderness Plots Film – Free

6pm – Reception and Concert (includes activities below)- \$10

7pm – Poetry and Stand-Up Comics

8pm – Krista Detor and Katie Laur

All events take place at Women Writing for (a) Change Register via Women's Way of OH/KY - Call 513-923-1414 Cash, Checks, Or Credit Cards accepted, Checks make payable to Women's Way of OH 4125 Blue Rock Road Cincinnati OH 45247

Meaningful Mondays: Women Poets in the Courtyard

Monday, September 14, 7pm – FREE

Meaningful Mondays, Women Poets in the Courtyard, returns this fall, beginning **September 14th at 7 pm at Arnold's** downtown, Cincinnati. Four women poets, **Teri Foltz, Laurel Chambers, Kelly Richey and Bev Bowers**, from the Women Writing for (a) Change community, read their original works beneath the city lights of this famed courtyard. **Free, but registration is suggested.** Full menu available from Arnold's. For more information call 272-1171 or email: info@womenwriting.org or amjwick@gmail.com Future dates: October 12th and November 9th.

Salons - Sponsored by Women's Way of OH/KY

Call 513-923-1414 or email womensway@gmail.com for information.

Salons occur at varying times throughout the month with lively discussion, good food, and interesting activities. Salons are a great way to meet new people, share ideas, and learn new information. Suggested donations \$5. RSVP via email to womensway@gmail.com or call 513-923-1414

Classes for Young Women

YW programs are open to girls and teens in grades 4-12. Classes and camps use the art of writing and other arts to enhance self-esteem and build skills in creative self-expression. Programs are designed to help strengthen girls' authentic voices, develop their ability to speak out through writing and direct interaction, and deepen their belief in their own creative intelligence.

Young Women's Summer Camps

Full Day Teens (grades 7-9) 8/3-8/7, 9am-4pm, \$269

Girls Fall Sessions (grades 4-7) - \$99 each or \$169 for both

Facilitator: Katherine Meyer

Session I: 9/13-10-4 – 1-3:30pm – Dogs & Other Animals we Love

Session II: 10/18-11/8 – 1-3:30pm – Conversations at the Zoo

Over the course of the four weeks, girls will have the opportunity to write, share writing, and be given feedback in a supportive and nurturing environment. They will use other art forms to go deeper with the themes they are exploring.

Teens Fall Session (grades 8-11) - \$149

Facilitator: Andrea Rotter

Six Weeks: 9/20-10/25 – 1-3:30pm

The Artist's Life: Over the course of the six weeks, young women will have the opportunity to write, share writing, and be given feedback on writing in a supportive and nurturing environment. Additionally, during this class, participants will have the opportunity to learn more about other art forms (song, dance, paintings etc.) and how they can influence one's writing life. In essence, each week young women will spend time examining a specific art forms, creating art of their own artwork, and using those processes to inspire their own writing. Of course, young women will always be invited to follow their muse!

Girl Scout Badge Program

WWf(a)C offers programs for Girl Scout troops or individuals year round. Badge Programs for troops typically run 2 hours and cost \$100 for groups up to 20 girls. Individual programs focus on particular badges or themes and typically cost \$15 per girl. WWf(a)C can also tailor a program to suit the interests or needs of a troop. Contact WWf(a)C for information or to schedule a program: 513-272-1171 info@womenwriting.org / www.womenwriting.org.

Our mission is to nurture and celebrate the individual voice by facilitating supportive writing circles and by encouraging people to craft more conscious lives through the art of writing and the practices of community. For more information about our programs or our organization, visit www.womenwriting.org or call 513-272-1171.

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