

The Word Guild's
Surrey & White Rock Chapters
one-day Writer's Conference

Storytelling:

Bringing the Past to Life

will be held at
South Delta Baptist Church
1988 - 56th Street
Delta, BC

Registration fee of **\$50**
includes lunch and
refreshments

Register online at:

[https://www.bardintheyard.org/
writers-conference/](https://www.bardintheyard.org/writers-conference/)

For further information:

[https://www.bardintheyard.org/
conference-schedule/](https://www.bardintheyard.org/conference-schedule/)

Special Presentation
at 7:00 PM on
November 2, 2019

Pier 21 - The Musical

***Allen Desnoyers' historical
musical presented at
South Delta Baptist Church
in the evening after the
writing conference.***

Secure Online Tickets:

[https://www.bardintheyard.org/
pier-21-performance/](https://www.bardintheyard.org/pier-21-performance/)

Online tickets = \$20
(Save \$5 by buying online)

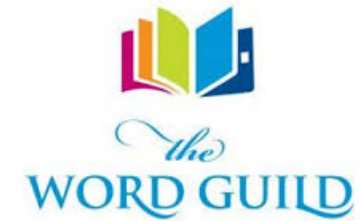
At the door = \$25

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The Word Guild's
Surrey & White Rock Chapters
present a one-day
Writer's Conference:

Storytelling:
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Five authors share multiple
ways of telling tales

Featuring
Allen Desnoyers
David Kitz
Jim Martens
Ron Reed
Rose Seiler Scott

November 2, 2019



Allen Desnoyers

Allen Desnoyers is an award winning artistic director, composer, playwright, and musician from Tsawwassen. Allen and Ron Reed founded Pacific Theatre in 1984. His Canadiana Musical Theatre Company has performed Pier 21 - The Musical, and many others, across Canada.



Rose Seiler Scott

Rose Seiler Scott, of Surrey, BC, is the 2016 winning novelist of The World Guild's historical fiction Word Award for her World War II novel, Threaten To Unto Us.

Saturday, November 2, 2019

8:30 AM Registration, Handouts, Coffee/Tea and snacks

8:55 AM Welcome

9:00 AM David Kitz: *The Drama of Biblical fiction*

10:00 AM Ron Reed: *Writing the play Tolkien*

11:00 AM Stretch Break - book tables open

11:15 AM Rose Seiler Scott: *Twentieth Century historical fiction and memoir*

12:15 PM Panel Discussion - David, Ron, & Rose

12:35 PM Lunch provided - book tables open

1:30 PM Jim Martens: *How To Save Your Family History Through Short Stories*

2:30 PM Allen Desnoyers: *Writing historical musicals*

3:30 PM Final thoughts: Neil Bramble, Chair, White Rock Chapter



Jim Martens

Jim Martens is an author, director and actor from Delta, BC. His writing book, Homespun, describes how you can save your family history through short stories.



Ron Reed

Ron Reed is an award winning actor, director and writer and the founding artistic director of Vancouver's Pacific Theatre. He has held this position for the past 35 years. In 2018, Ron completed his play Tolkien about the complex friendship between J.R.R. Tolkien and C.S. Lewis.



David Kitz

David Kitz is an award winning author and actor from Ottawa, Ontario. His recent Biblical novel The Soldier Who Killed A King is based on his one-man play The Centurion's Report. David is the current Board Chair of The Word Guild.