

Toronto Writers' Centre

March

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Toronto  Writers' Centre
Presents:

SPRINT SESSIONS

Drop in & write for two hours in peace.
\$10 per sprint.
Every Tuesday from 6pm - 8pm
Saturday, March 16th from 2pm - 4pm

Step into our space of focused creativity during Sprint Sessions at the Toronto Writers' Centre! For two hours, writers are invited to immerse themselves in uninterrupted writing in our peaceful and quiet environment. Whether you're drafting a novel, crafting poetry, or refining a short story, our Sprint Sessions provide the ideal setting to channel your creativity and make meaningful progress on your projects. Join us for a productive and rejuvenating writing experience.

Bring a laptop or writing utensil, we'll provide the space and complimentary tea and coffee.

Register



Toronto  Writers' Centre
Presents:

**Writers'
Connect**

**We provide the space, coffee & tea.
You connect with other writers!**

Sunday, March 10th 1PM - 3PM
Friday, March 29th 1PM - 3PM
\$10+ HST



Welcome to the Toronto Writers' Centre Presents: Writers Connect event! Join us at the Toronto Writers' Centre for an afternoon of connecting with other writers and sharing our lived experiences. This in-person event is the perfect opportunity for writers to come together, share ideas, and connect with fellow creatives. Whether you're a seasoned writer or just starting out, Writers Connect is a great way to network and learn from others in the writing community. Don't miss out on this chance to connect with like-minded individuals and take your writing to the next level. We can't wait to see you there!

Register





Welcome to the Toronto Writers' Centre & Toronto Writers' Community (MeetUp.com) Writers Open Mic event! Join us for a night of creativity and inspiration as writers from all backgrounds come together to share their work. Whether you're a seasoned writer or just starting out, this is the perfect opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals and showcase your talent.

Come prepared to listen to some amazing stories, poems, and prose, or sign up to take the stage yourself. Don't miss out on this chance to be a part of the vibrant writing community in Toronto!

Register





Step into the dynamic world of creative exchange with 'Peer Review,' hosted by the Toronto Writers' Centre! Join us for an inspiring evening where five writers come together to share their works-in-progress and offer each other constructive feedback. Each writer will have 10 minutes to share a piece of material, followed by a round of feedback.

Facilitated by acclaimed writer and dramaturg Polly Phokeev, the sessions promises valuable insights and collaborative support.

Register





The evening will begin with a brief introduction where participants will share who they are and what they are hoping to accomplish during the writing time. The group will then break out for three hours of writing from 7:00pm to 10:00pm, before reconnecting at the end to discuss what we were able to accomplish.

Grab your notebook and pen or laptop, and join us for an evening filled with inspiration, dedicated work time, ambience and endless possibilities.

Register





Join us for an exciting monthly prompt-based short story writing circle! This small club will bring together only 10 writers each month who will all write a piece based on a specific prompt, share it with their peers and receive feedback.

Registration includes a introductory meeting where we review the prompt, air our personal challenges in response to the prompt, and receive some resources to guide your work. We then meet back two weeks later to share our pieces and gain feedback from our peers.

Register





Immerse yourself in a no-pressure, cobweb-clearing, idea-sparking, writing workshop designed for writers of all levels to explore your creativity with a curated selection of timed prompts to get your ideas flowing. By the end of the two hours, you will have four pieces started and be full of juicy words shared (if you want) amongst the group in a safe, non-judgmental space. There is a group cap of 6 people to keep it cozy, so register today! Please note: To tap into our right brain to foster creativity and imagination, you are strongly encouraged to bring paper and pencil/pen to write; however, if this is not a possibility for whatever reason, laptops are welcome.

Register





DROP-IN DAYS

Experience our peaceful co-working space **designed for writers** commitment-free!

On designated drop-in days, **pay \$25 to use the Toronto Writers' Centre** and its amenities between **10am-5pm**. Come focus on your writing at 500A Bloor St W!



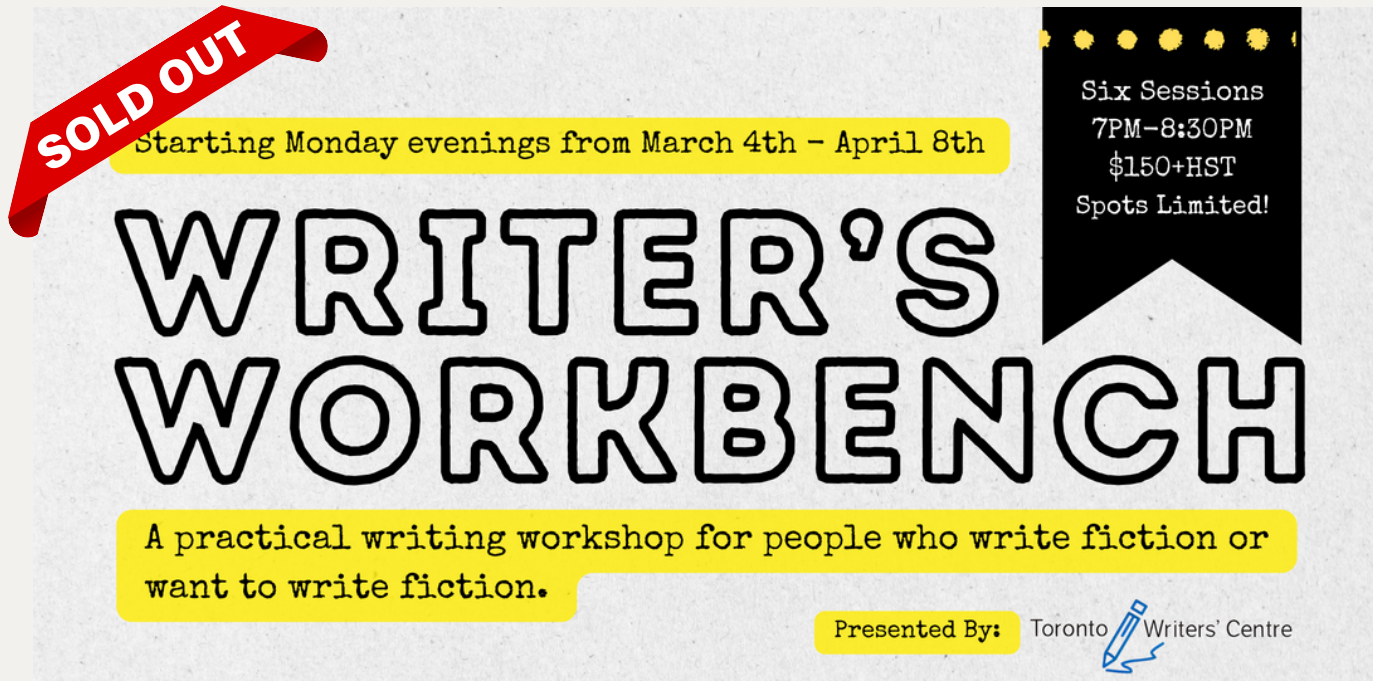
Just one of our many cozy writing suites!

At our Drop-In Days, the focus is on utilizing our quiet co-working space to foster your writing practice and help you achieve your writing goals. In our lounge, you'll have the chance to mingle with like-minded individuals over a cup of complimentary coffee or tea. Our friendly staff will welcome you into the space and give you a brief tour of the facilities before you settle in to write. All you need is something to write on and your creativity.

A full seven hour day of writing, every Tuesday and Thursday.

Register






SOLD OUT

Starting Monday evenings from March 4th – April 8th

WRITER'S WORKBENCH

A practical writing workshop for people who write fiction or want to write fiction.

Six Sessions
7PM–8:30PM
\$150+HST
Spots Limited!

Presented By: Toronto  Writers' Centre

You're working on your novel, screenplay, or short story but things just aren't coming out right. Maybe you don't know where to start, maybe your characters feel like they're on rails, or maybe you're bogged down in the Second Act.

You aren't stupid and your ideas aren't bad: you just need the right tools. The Writer's Workbench will put those tools in your hands. It's a practical course, teaching a specific tool or technique each week. It's not your traditional prompt-based program. It's a shop class for story, style, and voice.

Waitlist





It's salon time! Join the Toronto Writers' Centre at Hail Mary (582 College Street) once a month for a lively set of readings from works across disciplines, from plays and screenplays to poetry and all manner of prose. You might hear from award-winning publications, and you might hear words so hot they haven't even hit the press yet!

Performer announcements coming soon!
Interested in sharing your writing at a future salon? Please, fill out [this form](#)!

Tickets!





Calling all playwrights! Join the Toronto Writers' Centre for a six-week playwriting workshop nurture your theatrical craft with award-winning playwright Polly Phokeev. Looking for an introduction to playwriting? Need a push to get through the next draft of your work-in-progress? This workshop is geared towards playwrights at all levels, from seasoned dramatists to writers just beginning to explore the form. Each session will begin with a short lecture and prompt-based writing exercise focussed on an element of playwriting craft. Then, each writer will have the opportunity to share an excerpt of their work in progress (writers will be asked to bring in work each time), and everyone will receive dedicated feedback from their fellow writers and facilitator.

Register!



Other Offerings



Full Time Membership

Join us as a full time member and gain 24/7 access to the Toronto Writers' Centre and its facilities. Membership also includes free registration for Night Write, Word Weaving, Monthly Prompt Circle, Peer Review and special discounted ticket rates for our monthly Salon Series.

[Learn more about our memberships and fees here.](#)



Boardroom Rentals

The Toronto Writers' Centre is home to a spacious boardroom with three white boards and large boardroom table that can fit up to ten people. It's a perfect space for writers rooms, brainstorm sessions, workshops, focus groups and more! We offer a daily rate, with discounts on longer bookings.

[Learn more about booking fees and inquiries here!](#)

Back in the summer of 2023, the Toronto Writers' Centre was at risk of closing forever. The members joined together to keep it alive, including moving the centre to a brand new location, and are excited to offer more for writers within its walls.

The Toronto Writers' Centre aims to provide a community space with consistent rolling programming monthly that can allow writers to dedicate themselves to their writing practice and have a space dedicated for them to do so. We aim to provide a sense of accountability to the craft.

If you have any questions or suggestions about our programming, need financial assistance to participate or just want to connect with someone to understand more about us, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. We would love to hear from you.

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