



eConnect

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members and friends edition

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Annual Meeting: Monday, 4/30, 5:30

Member News: Dues Due now!

Member Dinner: Health Care, 5/3, 5:30 pm

Salon: Mary Levering, 5/6, 3-5 p.m.

Motherhood and Storytelling, May 12, 2-4 p.m.

Calendar

LAST CHANCE TO RSVP!

Special Member Event

The Changing World of Media and Healthcare
with author Judy Graham

Thursday, May 3, 2018

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Dinner: \$18 per person

For most of Judy Graham's three-decade-plus career as a journalist, she's written about healthcare and how people navigate this complex, baffling system of doctors, hospitals, insurance companies, nursing homes, and other kinds of care. For the past seven years, she's focused increasingly on the nexus between aging and health. Judy now writes a column, "Navigating Aging," for *Kaiser Health News*, and runs a Facebook Group on aging: www.facebook.com/groups/navigatingaging. There, she posts articles about aging and encourages discussions among its nearly 900 members. In this talk, Judy will discuss the changing world of the media and healthcare. She'll also feature some of the topics she's written about recently in her columns and what they tell us about how to age well. Judy Graham has been a journalist for 35 years. Her first newspaper job was at the *Denver Post*; she moved from there to the *Chicago Tribune*, where she was a correspondent for 14 years.

RSVP to Faith Marcovecchio by May 1 at faithnick@msn.com.

Members and their guests are welcome.



Sunday Salon

**From Iran to Cuba, Algeria to North Korea: A
Woman's Perspective from Travels in Unwelcoming Countries,
with Carol Levering**

May 6, 2018, 3-5 p.m.

Mary Levering is a lawyer, librarian, and educator. After a distinguished 45-year career at the Library of Congress (LC), she retired in 2011. Mary is a voracious reader, an avid world traveler, and a talented storyteller. To date she has visited 166 foreign countries and hopes to complete her goal of visiting every country in the world -- all 195 countries recognized by the U.S. Department of State.



Mary Levering (4th from left) hanging out with Algerian teen-aged girls.

Join us for a very special presentation and discussion, when Mary will share some of her most unusual and inspiring travel tales with DWPC members. Bring your own international travel stories to share as well. Mary's visit to the DWPC was made possible by her sister, and our dear veteran member, Beverly Chico.

Open to the public; \$5 donation
RSVP to Corinne Brown:
corinnejb@aol.com

Member News and Items of Interest

Renew Your Membership for 2018-19!

Your 2018-19 dues invoice will arrive via email on or around May 1. Payment is due May 31, and prompt payment is really appreciated! Instructions for the two ways to pay-online using PayPal or by mail-will be on your invoice. Questions? contact Nan Campbell, nanoneal2000@yahoo.com. Need to make changes to your yearbook listing? Send those to Linda Katchen, LKAT@hotmail.com.

The Boulder Writers Alliance: "Busting the 10 Biggest Traditional and Self-Publishing Myths"

Saturday, May 5, 2018, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Boulder Public Library Main Branch, Boulder Creek Room, 1001 Arapahoe Ave, (free parking on the weekend.) Misconceptions about how publishing works can put roadblocks between you and the success of your book. Speaking will be Jody Rein, literary agent, publishing consultant, and co-author of *Writer Digest's How to Write a Book Proposal*. *Free and open to the public.*

Limited seating, register online <https://bwamay2018.eventbrite.com>

Got News? If you have interesting news or announcements, send your notices to eConnect Editor by each Saturday of the week: Marcia Goldstein: marciagold@msn.com

DWPC Calendar (all events at DWPC Clubhouse)

April, 2018:

- **Annual Meeting:** Monday, April 30, 2018, 5:30 p.m. **Members only dinner.** Gather with friends, elect new officers, and review the club's spectacular year! Dinner: \$18; **RSVP by April 26th to Hilary DePolo** hilary@artconsultation.com

May, 2018:

- **Member Dinner: The Future of Health Care with Judith Graham,** Sunday, May 3, 2018, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
- **Sunday Salon: Travels with Mary Levering,** May 6, 2018, 3-5 p.m.
- **Motherhood and Storytelling:** special readings honoring our Mothers, Saturday, May 12, 2018, 2-4 p.m.
- **Poetry Event with Marjorie Power:** May 19, 2018, 2-4 p.m.
- **Book signing and workshop with Bonnie McCune and cohorts:** Sunday May 20, 2018, 1:30-3:30 p.m.

MOTHERHOOD AND STORYTELLING

Book Event and Reading: Saturday, May 12, 2018, 2-4 p.m.

Join us for discussion, complimentary refreshments, & snacks!

Member Ellen Nordberg, editor Stephanie Sprenger, and other authors including DWPC Secretary Dianne Blomberg will share their experiences with the power of telling stories about motherhood. Discussing the unique value of writing about motherhood and connecting with other mothers through universal themes, they will share stories from the anthologies "Multiples Illuminated," "So Glad They Told Me," and "The HerStories Project," and from live stage shows.

Free and open to the public: RSVP to Ellen Nordberg:
ellen@ellennordberg.com

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