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In Memoriam
Kathleen C. Phillips (1920-2019)

Veteran DWPC member **Kathleen C. Phillips** died March 17, 2019 in Boulder, CO. She was born June 11, 1920 in Burley, Idaho.

Her work included teaching, library and advertising agency work, and freelance writing with publications of children's books, stories, articles, and textbooks on writing. Her professional organizations included Colorado Authors' League, **Denver Woman's Press Club (which she joined in 1981)**, Sisters in Crime, and The Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators. She received the SCBWI national Member of the Year Award and served five years as the Regional Advisor for their five-state Rocky Mountain Chapter.

A memorial will be held at Crist Mortuary in Boulder at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 27, 2019. [Click here for full obituary](#)



HAPPY 121st BIRTHDAY DWPC!

The **Denver Woman's Press Club** proudly celebrates the 121st anniversary of our founding, on March 18, 1898,

by nineteen charter members, including its first president **Minnie J. Reynolds**. We continue to honor our heritage -- functioning as a stimulating gathering place, especially for women, in literary, journalistic and media endeavors; promoting the cultivation of friendship and providing moral support to members; encouraging the pursuit of writing through educational and philanthropic means; and, in the words of club founders, offering a haven to *drive dull care away!*



Minnie J. Reynolds



Thriller Novelist **L. S. Hawker** coming to DWPC!

April 23, 2019, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Denver-based writer **LS Hawker** is the author of the thrillers **THE DROWNING GAME**, **BODY AND BONE**, **END OF THE ROAD**, and **THE THROWAWAYS**. **THE DROWNING GAME** is a USA Today bestseller and finalist in the ITW Thriller Awards in the Best First Novel category. Her books have been translated into eight languages. Don't miss this special event, open to members and the public \$15, including program, drinks, and appetizers.

[Register here to prepay via PayPal](#)

OR RSVP by email to Joey Porcelli gortimer@msn.com



DWPC Members - Did you go to CU Boulder?

DWPC will be hosting our annual "Dinner with 12 Buffs" event, Friday, April 12, 2019. If you are a CU alumni, do let us know if you'd like to come, and/or wish to help plan the dinner. This is an opportunity for us to introduce ourselves and connect with recent CU grads who are launching careers in writing, communications, or other exciting fields. **For more information, please contact Buffy Gilfoil - 303-204-7862, proedit@aol.com, or Helen Masterson - 303-467-9680, helen@questguidepublications.com**
Ralphie thanks you.

DWPC GARDEN NEEDS YOUR HELP!



Spring is upon us! look for a few large-flowering crocus planted along the edges of our front border. Most are white with purple stripes. They won't last long, so look for them after the first thaw.

And if you'd like to help with the garden, please contact Mell McDonnell. Tasks, including dead-heading and minor weeding, won't take long--about one hour during the spring-summer season. Please call Mell at (303) 698-2264 and leave a message. No emails, please.



Don't Miss These Exciting Upcoming DWPC Events!

April, 2019: Mark your calendars!

- **DWPC Board Meeting:** April 9, 4-6 p.m.
- **CU Buffs alumni dinner:** April 12, 5-7 p.m.
- **Annual Poetry Event:** April 13 (schedule and details forthcoming)
- **Dinner Program** with suspense novelist L. S. Hawker, April 23, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
- **DWPC ANNUAL MEETING DINNER: Monday, April 29, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.**

A Few More Announcements from the Community:



Sabrina & Corina

Kali Fajardo-Anstine in conversation with Steven Dunn
Book Launch Party, Friday, April 5th, 2019, 6:30 P.M.
Lighthouse Writers Workshop, 1515 Race St, Denver
Free, open to the public. Join DWPC member Renee Fajardo and her talented daughter Kali for the launch of this exciting volume of short stories that highlights friendship, mothers and daughters, and the deep-rooted truths of our homelands, centered on Latinas of

indigenous descent.



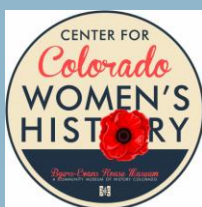
Congrats to DWPC member Petra Perkins, who has won a prestigious place on the annual program, "**Listen to Your Mother**" which will be held on **Saturday April 27th at 7pm at Unity of Boulder**. Special discount tickets are offered for DWPC members, use the code SAVETWO (all caps) for \$2 off. Link for tickets: <https://tymboulder19.brownpapertickets.com/>



Colorado Women's
Hall of Fame

Rocky Mountain PBS and the Colorado Women's Hall of Fame Premieres Season 2 of Great Colorado Women.

Airs on Thursdays at 8:30-9 p.m. as follows: • 3/21 Arlene Hirschfeld: "Denver's Spirit of Volunteerism"; • 3/28 Gudy Gaskill: "Blazing the Colorado Trail"; • 4/4 Doreen Pollack: "Giving Silence a Voice"; • 4/11 Mildred "Babe" Zaharias: "The Greatest Athlete;" <https://www.cogreatwomen.org>



Last Call!: Fall Fellowship: Center for Colorado Women's History at the Byers-Evans House Museum

History Colorado is seeking three recipients for its Center for Colorado Women's History Fall Fellowship to support scholarly women's history projects. **Applications are due March 31, 2019.** [https://www.historycolorado.org/womens-history-fall-](https://www.historycolorado.org/womens-history-fall-fellowship)

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Last Call!: Women Writing the West, DOWNING Journalism Award:

Entries must be a western-themed nonfiction article or essay published in a commercial or literary North American publication during 2018, 1,000 - 3,000 words. **Entries must be received January 1 - March 31, 2019; Entry fee is \$25.00.** Contact

DOWNING Journalism Award Chair, Linda Wommack at LWomm3258@aol.com or phone 303-798-4470.

http://www.womenwritingthewest.org/DOWNING_Journalism_Award.html



SeriesFest Women Writing Script Contest:

This script writing competition gives female artists the opportunity to share diverse ideas through visual media and create unique and powerful roles for women. **Submission deadline: June 6 - July 26, 2019.** <http://seriesfest.com/submissions/women-writing-competition>

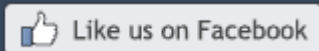


GOT NEWS?

If you have events, book releases, awards, or other news you'd like to share with Denver Woman's Press Club members and friends, please contact **Marcia Goldstein, DWPC President and eConnect Editor:** marciagold@msn.com.

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