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Newsletter for members and friends

September 17, 2019

JOIN DWPC

Where Professional Women Writers  
Connect~Founded 1898



**DENVER WOMAN'S PRESS CLUB  
FALL WORKSHOP SERIES  
WRITING HISTORY "DENVER THEN  
AND NOW"**

**CRAFT WORKSHOP SERIES  
WITH PROFESSIONAL WRITERS**

Sat., October 5

Sat., October 19

9:30 am - 12 noon

\*Bonus BookTalk Thurs., October 10, 5-7 pm

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**Saturday, Oct 5 9:30 am - 12noon**  
**Cynthia Swanson**  
**Writing Mid-Century Modern Denver**

Travel time thru not-so-historical fiction (Denver 1950s-1960s) with the author of the bestselling novel, *The Bookseller*, upcoming film starring **Julia Roberts!** Learn about writing historical fiction, book marketing, and how she **sold her book to Hollywood.**



**Saturday, October 19 9:30 am - 12noon**  
**Randi Samuelson-Brown**  
**Denver's Dark Past**

Rollicking historical fiction set in 1890 Larimer Street, *The Beaten Territory* pits Denver's dark side against "Polite Society." DWPC was founded 1898. Which were we? This workshop will "**Set the Scene: Writing about Place**" showing how to connect—at a gut level—to readers thru setting.





**BONUS WITH SERIES**  
 Thursday, October 10 5:00-7:00 pm  
 Rich Grant and Irene Rawlings  
 DENVER NOW BookTalk  
 "100 Things To Do In Denver Before You Die"

Undeniable expert, author, and dynamic speaker, **Rich Grant** talks with co-author and journalist **Irene Rawlings**, former editor of *Colorado Homes & Lifestyles*, *Mountain Living*, host *iHeartMedia* radio show, about the second edition of their book. **Join us for Happy Hour!**



**SPECIAL SERIES SAVINGS THROUGH SEPTEMBER 20!**

**Series Tickets**

**MEMBERS** \$110 (reg \$125) — 2 Craft Workshops plus BONUS BookTalk

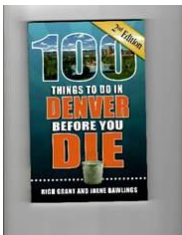
**NON-MEMBERS** \$135 (reg. 150) — 2 Craft Workshops plus BONUS BookTalk

**Single Tickets**

**MEMBERS** \$55 Workshop, \$15 Happy Hour BookTalk

**NON-MEMBERS** \$65 Workshop, \$20 Happy Hour BookTalk

**Writing Workshop Series Tickets available from [dwpconline.org](http://dwpconline.org)**  
 For information contact [Anne.Randolph@KitchenTableWriting.com](mailto:Anne.Randolph@KitchenTableWriting.com)



**Rich Grant and Irene Rawlings**  
**Denver Then and Now**  
*100 Things To Do in Denver Before You Die*  
**Thursday, October 10, 5:00-7:00 pm**  
**Happy Hour: \$15 members, \$20 non-members**

Located at the foot of the Rocky Mountains and surrounded by natural beauty, Denver has always been a center of outdoor recreation. But today, Colorado's booming capital city is becoming as well known for its chef-centered restaurants, breweries, live music, galleries and trendy young neighborhoods. This book gives you ideas for places to bike, hike, walk, climb, sip, taste, browse and explore. From LoDo to LoHi, Cherry Creek to Longs Peak, this second edition of *100 Things* is your guide to experiencing the best that the Front Range has to offer.

An undeniable expert on the Mile High City, **Rich Grant** is an enthusiastic and inspiring speaker. He served as director of communications for VISIT DENVER for 35 years. More than 50 newspapers and magazines have published his articles and photos. "There will be 10 new restaurants by October. We'll give tips on free things and other insider information."





**Irene Rawlings** has been editorial director of *Colorado Homes & Lifestyles* magazine and editor-in-chief of *Mountain Living* magazine. She writes for national publications, including *Hemispheres*, *American Way*, *National Geographic Traveler*, and the Wall Street Journal. For the past 26 years she has hosted an award-winning show on iHeartMedia radio.

For questions, contact Claudia Carbone, [denverclaudia@gmail.com](mailto:denverclaudia@gmail.com)  
RSVP to Liz Netzel, [liznetzel@comcast.net](mailto:liznetzel@comcast.net) (put RSVP in subject line) OR  
sign up online with credit card at [dwpconline.org](http://dwpconline.org). YOU DO NOT NEED TO DO BOTH.

*Cancellations made later than two days prior to a program and no-shows will be billed for the price of the program.*



## **Dana Crawford**

**"Denver Then and Now"**

Tuesday, September 24 | 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Dinner: \$20 members, \$25 non-members

**ALMOST SOLD OUT**

Please join fellow members and guests for our September dinner program featuring this award-winning preservationist as she updates us on her current projects and the process of preserving a property.

Questions: Contact Claudia Carbone, 303,809,6854, or [denverclaudia@gmail.com](mailto:denverclaudia@gmail.com)

RSVP to Liz Netzel, [liznetzel@comcast.net](mailto:liznetzel@comcast.net) (put RSVP in subject line) OR  
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## **ATTENTION DWPC MEMBERS**

### **WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF JEWELRY!**

Please ask friends, family, neighbors.

Contact Mary Van Meter, [vanmeternt@aol.com](mailto:vanmeternt@aol.com) or Jan McNutt, [artrevue@aol.com](mailto:artrevue@aol.com), to pick it up.

For those who live in the south metro area, you can drop your donations off at Anne Randolph's house - 2407 S. Dahlia Lane, 80222. Contact Anne for directions, [AnneRandolph@KitchenTableWriting.com](mailto:AnneRandolph@KitchenTableWriting.com).

## Join the Party!

Come join the fun at the next Jewelry Sorting Party. You'll shake some bootie, eat some foody and sort some jewelry! Friday, October 18, 10 am - 2 pm.

Please contact Jan McNutt, [artrevue@aol.com](mailto:artrevue@aol.com), to offer your help. Thank you!



### Reception Honoring Donna McEncroe Saturday, September 28, 11:30 DWPC Clubhouse

In memory of Donna—a DWPC member who was a dynamic woman, wife, mother, writer, traveler, and friend—we are having a light lunch reception at the house. Donna joined the club in 1990. Her family lived in Evergreen, close to their restaurant El Rancho, which had a national reputation. Donna ran the gift shop, taking annual summer vacations to Mexico where she purchased many of the beautiful jewelry and decorative items sold in the gift shop. Her trips to Mexico inspired many of her stories and poems. She died August 14 in her sleep.

Please stop by and meet Donna's family. Email Sally Kurtzman if you would like to attend, [sallyk@ecentral.com](mailto:sallyk@ecentral.com).



## Doors Open Denver

Inside the Denver Woman's Press Club  
**Saturday, September 21**  
**9 am and 11 am**

Each year DWPC proudly participates in Doors Open Denver, the citywide festival of architectural and historical landmarks in Denver sponsored by the Denver Architecture Foundation. This year, instead of a general "open house," we will be hosting two "insider tours," available by ticket only.

Our clubhouse is one of Denver's most significant architectural and women's history sites. This tour will cover the vibrant history of the 121-year-old club, its roots in the women's rights movement and the rich legacy of Denver's most influential women writers, as well as show and tell about the art and architecture.

Registration: \$12 at <https://denverarchitecture.org/event/denver-press-club-the-nations-oldest/>

Duration: 60 minutes

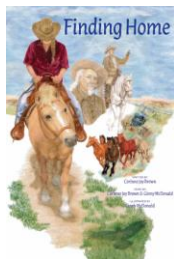
Guide: Dr. Marcia Tremmel Goldstein, Historian and Past-President of DWPC

For more information on dozens of Doors Open Denver tours, open houses, and other events, go to <https://denverarchitecture.org>

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## Announcements from the DWPC Community

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**Corinne Joy Brown** has a Tattered Cover Book Debut on September 22. Based on a true story, *Finding Home* is the perfect book for every young horse owner. It brings all the drama and beauty of America's wild horses to the Middle Grade reader, both as a coming-of-age story and a tale about friendship, trust and understanding. Together young Jesse Nolan from Colorado, and her wild mustang Curly Girl, rounded up in Wyoming, discover what it means to rely on oneself as well as those who love you. Home, after all, is where the heart is.

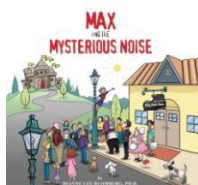
**Date:** Sunday, Sept 22

**Time:** 2 pm, Light refreshments

**Location:** Tatter Cover Aspen Grove, 7301 S. Santa Fe Drive, Littleton

**RSVP:** [corinnejb@aol.com](mailto:corinnejb@aol.com)

**Corinne** is a past president of DWPC and a multi-award winning author. Her magazine work has appeared in *Colorado Expression*, *Working Ranch*, *Cowboys n' Indians*, and *Western Art & Architecture*. She's been a longtime advocate for saving America's wild herds and for human healing through horses.



DWPC member **Dianne Blomberg** is hosting a book launch party for her latest children's picture book, *Max and the Mysterious Noise* (LuLu Press, 2019). In the book we meet a little boy who is ignored by the adult townspeople even when he knows the solution to the annoying, horrible, terrible, mysterious noise. Max believes in himself and solves the mystery on his own. His perseverance saves the town from the strange noise.

In the back matter, caregivers are guided through discussions of self-worth, speaking up for yourself and improving the world at any age.

**Date:** Sunday, September 22

**Time:** 1:00 - 3:00 pm, Light Refreshments/Wine

**Location:** The DWPC Clubhouse, 1325 Logan St, Denver

**RSVP:** [Dianne@DianneBlomberg.com](mailto:Dianne@DianneBlomberg.com)

**20% of profits** on the sale of this book are donated to Team Fox for Parkinson's Research.

**Dianne Blomberg, PhD** is a nationally quoted writer and researcher in Human Communication and relationships. Her work has appeared in *The Wall Street Journal*, *Good Housekeeping*, *USA Today*, *Newsday New York*, *The Denver Post*, *First For Women*, and many other national publications. She is always interested in improving relationships through communication.





## Don't Miss These Upcoming DWPC Events

All events at the clubhouse unless otherwise specified.

### September

- **Doors Open Denver** DWPC tours, Saturday, Sept. 21, 9 am and 11 am, tickets required
- **Book Launch**, Dianne Blomberg, Sunday, Sept. 22, 1-3pm
- **DWPC Dinner Program**, Dana Crawford, Tuesday, Sept. 24, 5:30-7:30 pm
- **Memorial Reception** for Donna McEncroe, Saturday, Sept. 28, 11:30 am

### October

- **DWPC Fall Workshop Series**, October 5, October 19, Bonus BookTalk October 10
- **DWPC Fall Workshop**, Cynthia Swanson, Saturday, October 5, 9:30 am - noon
- **DWPC Happy Hour**, Rich Grant and Irene Rawlings, Thursday, October 10, 5-7pm
- **DWPC Board Meeting**, Tuesday, October 15, 4-6pm
- **Jewelry Sorting Party**, Friday, October 18, 10 am-2 pm
- **DWPC Fall Workshop**, Randi Samuelson-Brown, Saturday, October 19, 9:30 am - noon



## 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 email **Marilyn Harmacek**, DWPC President Elect and eConnect Editor. Deadline: noon Friday for following week. Email subject line: Publish date: Event or topic. Thank you!

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