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CONGRATULATIONS WINNERS!!

DWPC just completed its **2020 Unknown Writers Contest**. Over the years the Press Club has been committed to providing new writers with a forum to present examples of their writing skills to judges who are experienced writers.

This year we were honored to have Dr. Clarissa Pinkola Estés, best selling author of *Women Who Run With Wolves* join our group of judges. Dr. Estés remarked, "This is a very sensitive group of writings with acute observations, touching on fresh ways of speaking of the struggles and eyewitness we all carry about life - but in the writers' very special voices." After reading the finalist's work, she suggested that her foundation, *Dr. Clarissa Pinkola Estés LA Sociedad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Foundation* partner with the Denver Woman's Press Club in the monetary awards presented to the finalists. We are proud to introduce you to the following winners.



Fiction



Non-Fiction



Poetry

Patrick Daniels- Bella Vista
Rachel Dempsey - The
Suicide Club
Erika Henkart - P.S.
Grandma Played Kickball
Sharon Holmstrom -
Kaibab Summer

Janet De Bell - A Colorado
Story
Krista Hanley - The Weight
of Bombs
Wendy Tinkler - Shut the
Damn Gate
Valarie Abney - It Can
Happen To Anyone

Lynette Moyer - Cold
Comfort, Sly
Celia Turner - Molten
Kathy Fox - Dancing

On behalf of all the judges and members of the DWPC we have appreciated the opportunity to share in the talents of all of our 85 contest entrants. Due to the COVID-19 restrictions currently in place, the public reception to congratulate these talented winners will be held later in the year when it is again safe for all of us to congregate.

Barb Warner
DWPC Unknown Writers Contest Chair



PLEASE BE ADVISED: THE DWPC CLUBHOUSE IS CLOSED TO EVENTS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

We are exploring ways to conduct voting for our Annual Meeting. Please watch for more information.

Contact Marcia Goldstein, marciagold@msn.com, or Marilyn Harmacek, mharmacek@comcast.net, for questions.

Announcements From The DWPC Community



Randi Samuelson-Brown is hosting a **free ZOOM lecture** on her new book, *The Bad Old Days of Colorado*. Women forged the West right along with the men and weren't about to let anyone stamp all over their rights! Hear about the hardships, primitive conditions and history of Colorado's women that led up to the vote for equal suffrage in 1893.

Center for Colorado Women's History event. **Saturday, April 18, 1:30 - 2:30 pm**. Please register at <https://forms.gle/1k4TwK7Zkpr7tfW17>.

The book is available through Amazon, Tattered Cover and Barnes and Noble.

DWPC Events Through April

- **DWPC Board Meeting**, Tuesday, April 14, 4 - 6 pm Virtual meeting link to come
- **DWPC Annual Meeting**, Stay tuned for more info





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](mailto:Marilyn.Harmacek@dwpc.org), 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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