# Project one O one











**COMMUNITY LITERATURE** FOR HASLINGDEN

## LIVE AT THE TRADES

## A HOST OF WELL KNOWN POETS

continue to feature at Live at the Trades

The fourth Wednesday of every month brings the best in national and regional poetry to Haslingden.



Dates for the diary are:

Wed. May 26th - Playwright, and poet Kevin Fegan supported by Bradford's Ruth Malkin. Wed. June the 23rd - Compelling and thought provoking as ever: Mandy Precious. Wed. July 28th - Noted

for her peculiarly 'English' eccentricity: Dorothy Nimmo. **Wed. Aug. the 25th** - a man whose appeal crosses continents and art forms: Artist and poet



John Lyons. Wed. Sept. 22nd - formalist - maybe - but certainly not dry: Copland Smith. Wed Oct. 27th - Chris Evan's favourite radio poet: Marvin Cheeseman.

Wed Nov. 24th - experimenting with form, content and language: Karachi born poet Shamshad Khan

## LIVE AT THE TRADES

features guest poets and open floor at Haslingden Trades Club, Regent St every fourth Wednesday, 8pm. £2

# THE OPEN FLOOR

The open floor is a key feature of Live at the Trades - the invitation to stand up and read is to everyone - this means you. Come and read your poetry to a friendly audience - contact us for details of other venues and workshops too.

# **FAMILY EVENT**

## **POET AND PERFORMER**

Paul Cookson - a leading light in the whacky world of children's poetry - brings an evening of spontaneity, warmth and humour for all the family to Haslingden.



"Sparkling poems full of zany humour" - John Foster

"A Highlight of the Festival" - Cheltenham Festival "Don't just stand there: book him!" - Ian McMillan

Haslingden Public Hall Friday 8th - October 7.30pm Tickets only £3 adult & £1.50 children

## SCHOOLS POETRY DAY

# TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL SCHOOLS POETRY DAY

Rossendale primary schools are invited to take part in a day of fun and creative activities lead by poet and Macmillan children's editor Paul Cookson - see above. The date is Saturday the 9th of October. For further details please contact Project one O one.

# COMPETITION

## **CASH PRIZES AND PUBLICATION**

In association with Haslingden Street Fair Prizes and publication are being offered to both adults and children for poems and short stories on the theme of 'Aliens'. Contact Project one O one for entry details. And it's Free of Charge!

## **BIG LAMP BOOKS**

## PROJECT ONE O ONE ARE PARTNERS

in community publisher Big Lamp Books

Current titles include:

## **Glass Bangles**

A new collection of



women's writing in English, Urdu, Bengali and French. Established names appear alongside exciting new voices.

"It is this diversity of culture that makes the whole collection so interesting, but above all it has some very good writing."- Merseyside Arts Monthly.



## What a Performance!

Dramatic and unusual multiple voice poetry, specially designed for live performance.

"Poetry you can hear on the page." - Jean Sprackland.

"a marvellous example, bound to inspire others." - Cathy Bolton

Titles are £3.00 post-free from Big Lamp Books, 5a Manchester Rd, Haslingden, Lancashire BB4 5SL. Or phone us on 01706 831260. Please contact us for performance and workshop details. Local writers wanted - send for details now

# **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

## **WE TAKE AN ACTIVE ROLE**

in organising events and projects in partnership with local schools, community groups and multicultural organisations. We are always interested in new ideas.

Just contact us with your proposal

# **CREATIVE WRITING**

#### HASLINGDEN WRITERS

First and third Wednesday of each month Haslingden Public Hall - 7.30 to 9.30 pm

A friendly group for anyone who writes, or would like to give writing a try. We have a varied programme of events including workshops and guest speakers. We take care to offer constructive appraisals only.

We welcome new members. Poetry, Short Stories, Scripts and Novel length material are all catered for.

HASLINGDEN WRITERS is Free of Charge.

Forthcoming dates: June 2nd and 16th, July 7th and 21st, August 4th and 18th, September 1st and 15th.

### WOMANWORD

Every Thursday, 10.00 -12.00 am Training for Women, Pleasant St.

A chance to get together informally with other women to talk and write. No writing experience necessary - just come and join in. We want you enjoy yourself, and women with children are welcome too... we even have a box toys!

WOMANWORD is Free of Charge.

# WRITERS' RESOURCE

## INFORMATION AND ADVICE

on every aspect of creative writing

Who, What, Where, Why, When - even How - the Project one O one office will help you find the answer. Writing magazines big and not so big, handbooks, yearbooks, thesauruses and dictionaries - even the literary Internet - Project one O one is for local writers, and local readers too.

WRITERS' RESOURCE is Free of Charge.

## CHILDREN

#### SPEAK UP!

A young people's workshop

All children and young people are welcome to come and join us for discussion, writing and performance.

It's a chance to speak your mind, gain confidence and have fun.

SPEAK UP! is Free of Charge.

Every Saturday, 11.00-1.00, Haslingden Library

# COMMUNITY PLAY

Scriptwriters - Actors - Stage Hands

The Haslingden Community Play 2000 is collaborating with scriptwriters from **Project one**O one to produce a new and original community play for the millennium.

It's free - and you're invited to join in!

Just contact us for details







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