



CENTRAL COAST WRITERS

A Branch of the California Writers Club

Upcoming Events / Calendar

- Saturday 8/24 CCW Networking
- Sunday 8/25 Annual Member Picnic
- Tuesday 9/17 Monthly Meeting
- Sunday 9/22 Sunday Salon
- Saturday 9/28 Writers Round Up

Sunday August 25th - CCW Member Picnic



CCW MEMBERS-ONLY EVENT

Our annual members-only potluck lunch/picnic will be held on Sunday, August 25th, from 1:00-3:00 PM. This event takes the place of our regular monthly meeting for August.

Just a friendly reminder that our 2024 members-only potluck/picnic event is coming up soon. This event replaces the regular monthly CCW meeting for the month of August.

If you have not already RSVP'd (either way, coming or can't join us) please take a minute to reply and let me know so we can make sure we have enough plates, cups, napkins, water, tables etc. for everyone.

Contact [Gary](#) with your RSVP and/or questions.

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CCW Networking Event - August

Our merry band of CCW networkers will gather on Saturday, August 24th from 10:30-noon at the Seaside Library, 550 Harcourt Ave. Seaside to discuss all things writing related.

Unlike previous meetings at the Creperie Cafe, the library, surprisingly enough, offers no food or drink services (although you could probably check out books on how to prepare your own food/drink. They are letting us bring in water, coffee, tea, etc, as long as you have a lid or something to prevent spills.

While they're not letting us set up heated food trays and have a party (that's the following week), the librarian hinted that small snacks like granola bars or similar would probably be fine.

This will be our first time trying the library, so let's hope it goes well for us and if we like it, we should be able to use it again in the future. We are hoping it works out, but we are always open to other possibilities if it does not meet our needs. In any event, it should be much quieter and allow us a lot more room to meet. Keep in mind, that the room is not ours to use exclusively and other people are free to walk in if they choose, but we were told that it should be pretty quiet.

Looking forward to another great morning of talking about writing or not writing (as the case may be).



Ink Spots

CCW Member Barbara Siebeneick will be interviewed on "Monterey On Tonight".

Look for the radio interview on Sunday, August 18th, channel 27.10 KMBY. Those wliving outside the area can get the show via streaming at www.kmbytv.com

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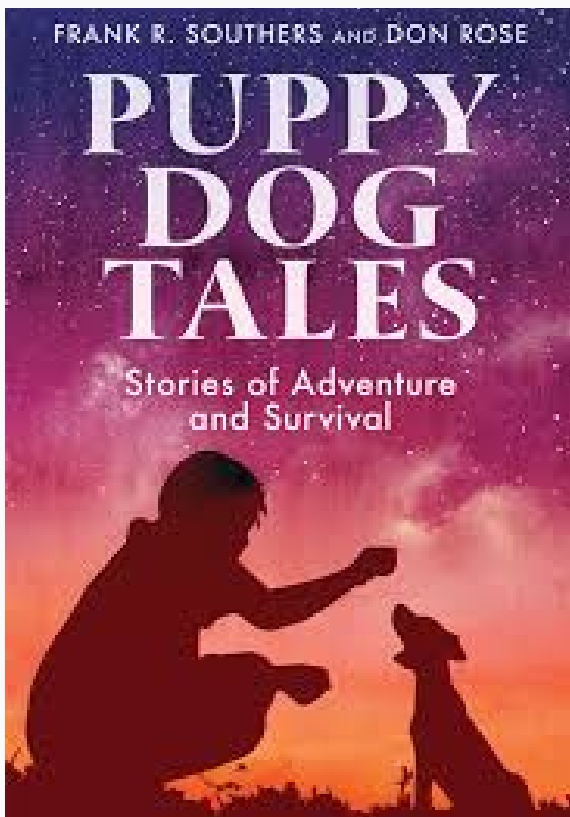
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Member News

Congratulations go out to CCW Member Nicki Ehrlich on her recent book launch. A very receptive crowd showed up to support the publishing of her novel *Zephyr Trails*, a follow up to her novel *Ellis River*.



CCW Members Don Rose and Frank R. Southers have written “Puppy Dog Tales - Stories of Adventure and Survival”. The book will be out September 17th through both Amazon and Barnes & Noble.