

Welcome to Lakeshore Writer's Group

Monday, September 18, 2023 @ 7:00pm

MEETING OUTLINE

Hello, Everyone! While trying to come up with an opening for this Outline, I was thinking about the month of September. Thinking I would come up with something catchy, I was drawn to the song "See You In September" by the The Happenings. I did a little checking and there are actually quite a few songs with the word September in their title. Just for fun I thought I would ask you how many songs you could think of. Quickly I realized that this would be no challenge at all. It's called something like "Google". So, you're all off the hook!

But, here we are, well into September already and I am excited to see/meet all of you!

Please feel free to reach out to me anytime by email at bartish10@yahoo.com.

Welcome to Michelle, Jennifer, Abigail, Sharon, and Janet! We are so glad you are trying us on for size! Abigail is the bravest of all, being 14 years old. You should all find that we are pretty harmless. We love writing or some variation of it. And hopefully you will feel right at home no matter what your genre, or where you are in your writing journey.

* Welcome and Introductions:

We'll go around the room and zoom and tell a little about ourselves. This benefits the new folks mostly, but we did have two gentlemen make their first appearances on the last day. (You KNOW who you are Larry and Mike...)

* Warm-up Exercise and Read Back:

To be announced.

* Did you bring any work you'd like to share?:

Everyone is welcome to share writing that they are working on outside of the group. Perhaps you would like feedback on it, or just want to inspire us with your writing skill. Sometimes it just helps to read it out loud to a small audience.

* Just for Fun Homework:

(Sorry, Abigail!!) ...To be done in preparation for the upcoming Sept.18th meeting.

Write an approximately 130 word paragraph that begins with the phrase, "I was a little worried..."

* Trivia

* Topic Thought:

So I had this thought. I feel like we should have a 'topic' to discuss each time. I tried to have subjects, as you may recall, such as "Character Development", "Publishing", etc. I don't know if you would like to pick back up with that, or maybe each month you could just through out a topic to talk about. (besides the things we already do).

****Only one week till our meeting!!!****

I think this quote is worth repeating: *"While you might not think your presence or input are all that important they really are. You are part of a greater whole and each individual's contribution, however subtle, is invaluable.* --Unknown Author

