

About The Series

A celebration of writers, readers, ideas and all things literature.

If you enjoy library shelves stacked with treasure, discussing books with other avid readers, being part of big conversations and expanding your horizons, you will love this series.

Join us as we gather around the ancient fire of story.

For more information on our featured writers and workshops go to www.citylibrary.pncc.govt.nz

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Featured Writers



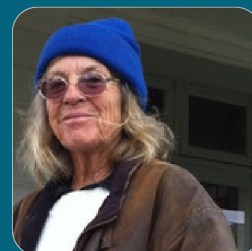
**Cynric
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Sue McCauley



Carole Brungar



Miriam Sharland



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Writers & Readers Winter Series



6-23 June 2024

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Author Talks

How to Speak Librarian and get your books into the library

Presentation by Bing Turkby, local author and librarian.

Sunday 16 June / 10:30 - 11:30am

Blindly Obvious by Minnie Baragwanath

"This is the moving story of a woman who, throughout her life, has refused to be defined by what others think she can or cannot do."

Thursday 20 June / 6:15 - 8:00pm

An Evening with Saige England

(Off The Page series)

Best-selling human rights journalist. In conversation with Thom Conroy.

Friday 21 June /

5:30pm, refreshments

6:00pm, discussion

Afternoon tea with Sue McCauley

Her first novel in decades, *Landed*, explores the story of a sixty-something widow creating a future for herself in a world she struggles to comprehend.

Saturday 22 June / 2:00 - 3:30pm

Book Launch

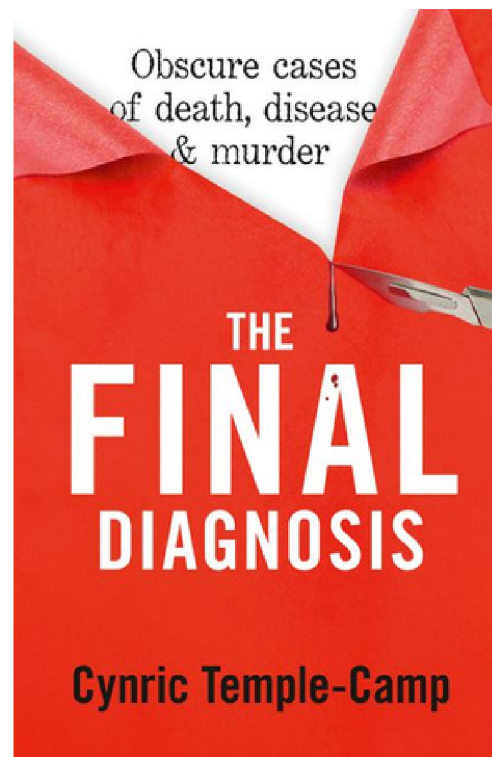
Join us for the launch of *The Final Diagnosis*, the new book from pathologist and best selling author **Cynric Temple-Camp**.

The 'if' of death is certain. The 'when' is unknown. It is the 'why' that really gets people interested.

Friday 14 June / 6pm - 7:30pm

Limited numbers.

Register at pncl@pncc.govt.nz



Workshops

Versions Tuarima Writing Session

Tricks and tips to make your writing for our 5th *Versions* publication sing.

Thursday 6 June 5.30 - 7:00pm

Carole Brungar's Beginners Guide to Writing

From conception to publication.

Saturday 15 June 10:30am - 12:30pm

Take inspiration from nature!

With Miriam Sharland, author of *Heart Stood Still*.

Saturday 15 June 1:00 - 3:00pm

Writing Historical Fiction with Saige England

(Off The Page series)

Saturday 22 June 10:30am - 12:30pm

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Local Authors Day

Spend your Sunday afternoon browsing a wonderful selection of local writers' books. Meet the authors, learn about their work and what inspires them. Books available for purchase.

Sunday 23 June / 1:00 - 4:00pm