

It may be cold outside but it's nice and toasty in your organizing committee's hearts.

Priceless Programming

We are now putting out the official call for programming ideas and panellist volunteers. Please visit our website.

(<http://www.whenwordscollide.org/program.php>)

Wonderful Workshops

WWC is proud to present a number of workshops by many of our guests. Please see our website for information and how to sign up.

(<http://www.whenwordscollide.org/workshops.php>) These workshop will fill up quickly so apply soon.

Risk-free Reservations

Don't run the risk of the hotel being sold out by the time you book your room. Last year we sold out the hotel and some attendees had to stay next door. This year there is no next door; the nearest hotels are a C-train ride away. Also, there will be a draw for 1 free room night. Everyone who books their room before April 1, 2013 will be in the draw.

(<http://www.whenwordscollide.org/venue.php>)

Announcements and Special Events

- *Aurora Award Nominations are now being accepted. (When Words Collide was a winner last year.) You must be a member of the CSFFA to nominate. Visit their website for more information. (<http://www.prixaurorawards.ca/Membership>)*
- *The downtown branch of the Calgary Public Library is holding their Writer's Weekend on February 2. Please visit their website for more information. (<http://calgarypubliclibrary.com/services/programs-events?p=3067#p3067>) WWC will have a presence there.*
- *Author and previous WWC panellist Krista Ball will be at the Fish Creek Library on February 20 to discuss her new book. Space is limited so*

register today. (<http://calgarypubliclibrary.com/services/programs-events/register-for-programs?id=425011>)

- *The Magpie Haiku and Tanka* wanted to announce the release of their second anthology of haiku and tanka poems, titled *Weathered Wing*. For more information contact Joanne Morcom at morcomj@telus.net

We know you have exciting things happening so, if you have an announcement or special event you'd like us to share with our group let us know, we'll be glad to add it to our monthly News and Notes. The next issue will go out approximately February 13.

Speak To Us:

As always, there is a myriad of ways to see what we are up to and generally keep in touch:

Website: <http://www.whenwordscollide.org/>

e-mails: info@whenwordscollide.org

twitter: http://twitter.com/WWC_Calgary

Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/events/436547823054430>

Listen to some of 2012 programming: <http://whenwordscollide.libsyn.com/>

Talk to you soon!

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