

STORYTELLING CONVERSATION SERIES

One Sunday per Month, Sep 2009–June 2010, 7 to 9:30 pm

St. Paul's College, University of Manitoba | Free of Charge | Free Parking

Increasingly, in Winnipeg, there are storytellers, researchers, peace-builders, educators, and others who are using storytelling in innovative ways in professional and personal settings for positive social change.

You're invited to participate in a Storytelling Conversation Series that meets monthly to tell stories and discuss key issues in storytelling. Please feel free to join any or all sessions.

The goal is to provide a relatively informal space for people who are interested in the art of storytelling and community-building to share stories and develop ideas, insights, and skills.

Sun, Sep 20, 2009

What Is Storytelling?

What are its various forms? What is the strength of each form? What are possible venues and inroads into community today?

Sun, Oct 25, 2009

Experiential Storytelling

When does storytelling become an art form? How do we support people in finding and telling their stories?

Sun, Nov 15, 2009

Story and Place

How is place integral to story? How does it impact the story and the storytelling?

Sun, Dec 20, 2009

Religious/Spiritual Context of Storytelling

How is this important? When is a story transcendent or transformational?

Sun, Jan 17, 2010

Storytelling as Performance

What are the skills? How do you cultivate and develop performance skills without losing the integrity of the story and relationship to the listener? How does storytelling use and build on other art forms? Advantages? Disadvantages? Dangers?

Sun, Feb 21, 2010

Storytelling as Oral History

How do we archive stories? How do stories change from generation to generation? How do we create our own myths?

Sun, Mar 21, 2010

Storytelling as a Therapeutic Tool

How can storytelling be healing for the listener and for the teller? How can this be a tool for personal growth and community development?

Sun, Apr 18, 2010

Storytelling as a Political Tool

Implications? Successes? Dangers?

Sun, May 16, 2010

Storytelling in Digital Media, Audio Tape and Books

How does the form affect the impact of the story? How can these forms be resources?

Sun, Jun 20, 2010

Full Circle

How has the discussion and storytelling enlightened and changed the group?

PLEASE NOTE

The Winnipeg International Storytelling Festival: Storytelling on the Path to Peace
Le festival international du conte de Winnipeg 2010: Se raconteur une nouvelle histoire de paix

Wed–Sat, May 12–15, 2010

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