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## Next Program and Events Calendar

Saturday, December 14, 2013

# Three of Our Own

## Ann Damaschino, Lyn Roberts, & Elisabeth Tuck



### “Why Editing is Essential to Writing”

by our Grown-up Editors!

#### What you will learn:

- Why writers need editors
- Different kinds of editing
- What writers can learn
- What editors do and don't cover

**Ann Damaschino** is a former technical editor for Shell Oil and academic editor for the Acalanes school district and current publicity chair for the Mt. Diablo Branch.

**Lyn Roberts** gained versatile experience writing and editing for a local newspaper, a design firm, a documentary film company, a local college, and a forensic engineering firm. She now works primarily with fiction writers as an independent literary editor.

**Elisabeth Tuck** was raised by a grammar fanatic, read assiduously, and has edited informally all her life. She came to professional editing after years as a social worker then a computer programmer/project manager and more than a dozen years in writing classes.

#### Registration Details

- Sign-in: 11:15 a.m.
- Short general meeting, 12 noon followed by
- Seated lunch and presentations
- Zio Fraedo's Restaurant, 611 Gregory Lane, Pleasant Hill, CA.
- Members: \$20; Non-members: \$25
- To attend, contact Robin Gigoux at ragig (at) aol (dot) com, or phone 925-933-9670 for reservations.

**Reservation deadline:** Wed., Dec. 10, 2013.

## Events Calendar for the rest of our season

**Dec. 14:** Board meeting, 10-11 am. All members invited. **Monthly meeting:** Three of Our Own and Member Book Sales.

**Jan. 11: Workshop** led by Marilyn Atlas, topic to be announced. Board meeting, 1:15-2:15 pm. All members invited.

**Jan. tbd: Young Writers Workshop** at local library.

**Feb. 8:** Board meeting, 10-11 am. All members invited. **Monthly meeting:** speaker Janice de Jesus, "Writing in Different Genres"

**Feb. tbd: Young Writers Workshop** at local library.

**Mar. 8: Workshop**, leader to be announced. Board meeting, 1:15-2:15 pm. All members invited.

**Apr. 12:** Board meeting, 10-11 am. All members invited. **Monthly meeting:** speaker Jordan Rosenfeld, "Making a Scene"

**Apr. tbd: Deadline**, Young Writers Contest entries.

**May 10:** Board meeting, 10-11 am. All members invited. **Monthly meeting:** celebrate the winners of the Young Writers Contest. Speaker: Ellen Klages

**June 14:** Board meeting, 10-11 am. All members invited. **Monthly meeting:** speaker Mary Mackey

**July tbd:** Annual board planning session; CWC Picnic at Joaquin Miller Park



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