

FORWORDS 46, Fri 7 Apr 2006

Spoken word, poetry, live literature events in the Sheffield area for the coming month. For information on forwords, listings and subscriptions, visit <http://access.lowtech.org/forwords/>. See below for NEWS and LISTINGS.

NEWS - POETRY IN DIGITAL MEDIA

- Poetry on radio

London's art community radio station Resonance FM has a weekly poetry show called Penned in the Margins, presented by Tom Chivers. The show is on every Sunday from 1.30 to 2pm and features live performances, interviews, features, news, and gigs. Guests have included David Harsent (Forward Prize Winner), Roddy Lumsden (Bloodaxe), and Lemn Sissay (Mancunian performance poet). Unless you live withing a 5-mile radius of Resonance FM's London base, you won't be able to pick this up on your radio, but you can tune in via the internet on <http://www.resonancefm.com/>.

- Poetry on TV

Stockton's Writers' Cafe is broadcasting their next next event on internet TV. The night will include the Jingling Geordie Keith Armstrong accompanied by Saxophone genius Steve Windross, local performance poets Trev Teasdel, Katie Metcalf, Dominic Windram, and Brian Morton, film shorts by Shaun McKenna, Marion Husband reading short extracts from her latest novel, and music by Knitwear and others. The Writers' Cafe will begin at 7.30pm on Wednesday 19 April. To listen, go to <http://www.writerscafe.org.uk/> and click on the webcast button.

LISTINGS

Tuesday 11 April

-Spoken Word Antics

8.30pm, upstairs at the Red Deer on Pitt St, Sheffield. Turn off West St. onto Mappin St., and Pitt St. is the second on the left. £1 donations.

Stories, poetry, urban fairytales, beautiful lies. A friendly, informal atmosphere. No stage, no amplification. If you'd like to perform just let us know when you arrive. For more info email antics@lowtech.org, phone 0114 258 7270, or visit the website: <http://access.lowtech.org/antics>.

Tuesday 25 April

-CreatOvate: Coming out after 7 years...

7pm at the Showroom Cinema, Paternoster Row, Sheffield (free).

...dancing with death, losing a body, building a new body, a new ME, SURVIVOR. Comedy, magic, poetry, drama, music, open mic. CreatO'vate - bringing the Disability Arts and the world into one sentence. If you would like to perform or find out more about creatO'vate, email rebecca_virgo@hotmail.com.

Thursday 27 April

-Longbarrow Press book launch and reading

8pm at the Red Deer, Pitt St, Sheffield. Turn off West St. onto Mappin St., and Pitt St. is the second on the left. £1.

Producing bespoke objects that combine etching, poetry and photography into strictly limited editions, Longbarrow Press presents the launch night of new publishing venture for Sheffield, with readings by three of its authors, Chris Jones, Matt Clegg & Andrew Hirst, as well as Brian Lewis.
