

FORWORDS 56, Sun 27 Aug 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-space.org/forwords/>. See below for NEWS and LISTINGS.

NEWS

-Identity: Just Who Exactly Do You Think You Are?

A Signposts creative writing workshop with Clare Shaw. Clare is an experienced creative writer, performer, and workshop facilitator who has performed her poetry across the UK. Her first poetry collection, *Straight Ahead*, is published by Bloodaxe in September 2006. The workshop will be held 10.30am–1.30pm on Saturday 23 September at the Signposts office on Furnival Gate. Tickets are £6/£3 concessions, and must be booked in advance as places are limited. Please send cheques, payable to 'Signposts', to Signposts, 4th floor Furnival House, 48 Furnival Gate, Sheffield, S1 4QP by Wednesday 13 September. More info from signposts@lineone.net or 0114 263 4787.

LISTINGS

Tuesday 12 September

-Spoken Word Antics: open mic + guest Phenzwaan

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, and beautiful lies from an exciting and eclectic assortment of individuals, plus fluid rhythms and exotic rhymes from Phenzwaan, currently touring his latest spoken word CD, *Solidified* (www.phenzology.com). 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>](mailto:antics@lowtech.org), phone 0114 258 7270, or visit the website: [<http://access.lowtech.org/antics/>](http://access.lowtech.org/antics/).
