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PRESS RELEASE



An Evening of Poetry **7.45pm, Wednesday 28 April**

Students of the University's School of Lifelong Learning present An Evening of Poetry at Aberystwyth Arts Centre on Wednesday 28t April, 7.45pm.

The University's School of Lifelong Learning offers a wide selection of Creative Writing courses for adults of all ages. Following the success of the first two such Poetry Evenings in the last year and a half, audiences are able to join new and returning students from the Introduction to Writing Poetry and Poetry 2 Aberystwyth classes again as they read their most recent work.

Many of the students have been attending classes, such as the Writing Poetry class, for a number of years. Though they are all different in age, personality, interests, writing styles and levels of experience, a good rapport and natural pace to the classes quickly develops. Through tutor presentations, group discussions and workshops, students are given the opportunity to learn about the elements of poetic form and technique and begin to build a portfolio of their own work.

This Poetry Evening promises to be interesting and entertaining, including readings by Gwynfor Rees, Annette Williams and Mark Atkinson, as well as by students who are new to the classes. With poetic forms ranging from sonnets to villanelles to rap, and topics as diverse as politics and sea shells, it promises to be a very entertaining and inspiring evening.

Tickets for this performance are £5 (£3) and can be booked by contacting the Arts Centre Box Office on 01970 62 32 32 or online at www.aber.ac.uk/artscentre

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