

## Poetry 101: One Hundred and One Poetry Events/Activities

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Montana Poet Laureate 2017-2019

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1. 5/23/17 Daily InterLake interview/article: "Bigfork's Jaeger Named Montana Poet Laureate."  
Andy Viano, reporter
2. 5/25/17 Flathead High School Poetry Slam. Served as Judge. Kalispell, MT.
3. 6/6/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Rikki and Dylan crew) Meaning of Service Reflection/Discussion. Bigfork, MT.
4. 6/7/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Mike and Shelby crew) Wayfarer's State Park Reflection/Discussion. Bigfork, MT.
5. 6/9/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Zoe and Tyler crew) Columbia Mountain Trail #51 Reflection/Discussion. Columbia Falls, MT.
6. 6/10/17 Montana Conservation Corps Board Meeting. Reflection/Discussion planning. Yellow Bay, MT.
7. 6/15/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Crew (Alex and Shira crew) Reflection/Discussion. Lone Pine State Park. Kalispell, MT.
8. 6/27/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Crew (Jennifer and Holly crew) Reflection /Discussion Apgar Campground. Glacier National Park.
9. 7/3/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Crew (Dan and Meghan crew) Reflection/Discussion. Hay Creek Trail #3. Polebridge, MT.
10. 7/7/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Corps Graduation. Keynote Speech and poem. Lone Pine State Park. Kalispell, MT.
11. 7/11/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Mave and Tim crew) Reflection/Discussion. Spar Lake Trail #43. Troy, MT.
12. 7/17/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Crew (Holly and Jen crew) Reflection/Discussion. Bond Creek Trail #86. Swan Lake, MT.

13. 7/17/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Crew (Dan and Meghan crew)  
Reflection/Discussion. Apgar Campground. Glacier National Park, MT.
14. 7/18/17 New Montana Voices Anthology planning meeting. (High School Writers  
Anthology) Kalispell, MT.
15. 7/25/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Tucker Crew). Reflection/Discussion. Tuchuck  
Campground. Eureka, MT.
16. 8/2/17 Montana Conservation Corps (Alex and Shira crew). Reflection/Discussion.  
Wayfarer's State Park. Bigfork, MT.
17. 8/3/17 Arts Education Teacher Institute. Reading/Discussion. Salish-Kootnai College.  
Pablo, MT.
18. 8/8/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Corps (Dan and Meghan crew).  
Reflection/Discussion. Apgar Campground. Glacier National Park, MT.
19. 8/11/17 Montana Conservation Corps Youth Corps Graduation. Keynote Speech and poem.  
Lone Pine State Park. Kalispell, MT.
20. 8/23/17 Flathead Valley Community College. All-employee in-service. Poem and speech.  
Kalispell, MT.
21. 9/22/17 Office of Public Instruction SEAMS Conference. Reading/Presentation. Canyon  
Ferry Conference Center. Canyon Ferry, MT.
22. 9/30/17 Montana Festival of the Book. Reading. Dance Art Center. Missoula, MT.
23. 10/21/17 High Plains Book Festival. Reading with Billings poets in *Poems Across the Big  
Sky II*. Billings, MT.
24. 10/22/17 High Plains Book Festival. Awarded High Plains Book Award for *Poems Across  
the Big Sky II*. Award speech. Billings, MT.
25. 10/23/17 High Plains Book Festival. Panel Moderator/Reader. Billings, MT.
26. 10/24/17 Daily InterLake interview/article. Mary Cloud Taylor, reporter. Kalispell, MT.
27. 10/25/17 Darby Library. Book Reflection/Discussion. Darby, MT.
28. 10/26/17 Flathead Valley Community College. Public Reading (Continuing Ed. Center).  
Kalispell, MT.
29. 10/31/17 Flathead Valley Community College. Honor's Class.  
Reading/Reflection/Discussion. Kalispell, MT.

30. 11/1/17 Radio Interview. Bee Broadcasting. Kalispell, MT.
31. 11/2/17 Glacier High School. (Romy Loran, teacher) Two classes. Reading/Discussion. Kalispell, MT.
32. 11/18/17 "Artuerprener" Conference. Montana Arts Council. Keynote speech. Helena, MT.
33. 11/27/17 Flathead Women Democrats meeting/luncheon. Reading/Discussion. Kalispell, MT.
34. 12/2/17 *Whitefish Review* guest editor. Publication release celebration. Reading. Whitefish, MT.
35. 12/14/17 Interview with Gail Jokerst -- Montana Senior News  
West Glacier, MT
36. 12/14/17 Reading/Presentation -- Open Sky Sanga -- Kalispell, MT
37. 1/16/18 Polson Rotary Club -- Reading/Presentation -- Polson, MT
38. 1/19/18 Interview with Keith Ulig -- Wausau Daily Herald 715-845-0651
39. 1/19/18 Wilderness Emergency Response Class -- FVCC -- Reflection/Discussion
40. 1/20/18 Song of Eretz Review (Kansas City, KA) Contest Judge
41. 1/25/18 Webinar coaching session for Poetry Out Loud -- Monica Grable -- MT Arts  
Council
42. 2/8/18 Creative Writing Workshop -- Rocky Mountain College -- Ashley Kunsu  
Billings, MT
43. 2/8/18 Rocky Mountain College -- Reading  
Billings, MT
44. 2/9/18 SCRAP -- Tammy Zemliska -- Creative Writing Workshop  
Billings, MT
45. 2/10/18 SCRAP -- Tammy Zemliska -- Reading  
Billings, MT
46. 2/16/18 Senior Institute -- FVCC -- Writing Workshop  
Kalispell, MT

47. 3/3/18 Poetry Out Loud – Judge/Presenter  
Helena, MT
48. 3/6/18 Evergreen Rotary – Read/Present  
Evergreen, MT
49. 3/15/18 Honor’s Lit Class – FVCC – Reading/Discussion – FVCC  
Kalispell, MT
50. 3/16/18 Senior Institute – FVCC – Keynote Speaker/Reading  
Kalispell, MT
51. 3/19/18 Sidney Middle School – 3 Presentations (300 students)  
Sidney, MT
52. 3/19/18 Meadowlark Pub – Open Mic – Host/Presenter/Reader  
Sidney, MT
53. 3/20/18 Savage High School – (Assembly grades 7-12) – Read/Present  
Savage, MT
54. 3/20/18 MonDak Heritage Center – Reading  
Sidney, MT
55. 3/21/18 Pine Hills Youth Correctional Facility – Cody Harris -- (2 Classes)  
Miles City, MT
56. 3/22/18 MSUB – Beginning Creative Writing Class – Tami Haaland  
Billings, MT
57. 3/23/18 MSUB – Advanced Creative Writing Class – Tami Haaland  
Billings, MT
58. 3/23/18 This House of Books – Reading  
Billings, MT
59. 3/24/18 What Is Poetry? Panel Discussion/Presenter – This House of Books/  
Billings Public Library – Billings, MT
60. 4/4/18 “The Springs” Nursing Home – Reading/Presentation  
Whitefish, MT
61. 4/17/18 Hedges Elementary School – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Reading/Presentation  
Kalispell, MT

62. 4/10/18 Hinsdale High School -- 6 classes – Reading/Presentations  
Hinsdale, MT
  63. 4/21/18 Elling House Arts and Humanities Center – Reading/Discussion  
Virginia City, MT
  64. 4/24/18 Missoula Public Library -- Reading/Discussion  
Missoula, MT
  65. 5/3/18 FVCC Adjunct Appreciation Banquet – Keynote Address  
Kalispell, MT
  66. 5/5/18 Rocky Mountain College – Commencement Address  
Billings, MT
  67. 5/11/18 New Montana Voices – Poetry Judge  
Kalispell, MT
  68. 5/12/18 Clark Chateau Museum and Art Center – Reading/Discussion  
Butte, MT
  69. 5/15/18 New Montana Voices -- Awards Presentation – Glacier High School  
Kalispell, MT
  70. 5/16/18 Montana Conservation Corps – Crew Leaders Training – Reading/Discussion  
Kalispell, MT
  71. 5/18/18 FVCC Theater Department – Meet to Plan Verse Play for September  
Kalispell, MT
  72. 5/18/18 FVCC Commencement – Poetry Presentation  
Kalispell, MT
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Up-coming events:

- 6/27/18 Havre Library – Reading/Presentation  
Havre, MT
- 6/28/18 Cassiopeia Books -- Reading/Presentation  
Great Falls, MT
- 7/10/18 Livingston, MT – Elk River Books – Reading/Presentation  
Livingston, MT

- 7/11/18 Country Book Store – Reading/Presentation  
Bozeman, MT
- 8/23/18 Westside Community Library – Reading/Presentation  
Lakeside, MT
- 9/8/18 “Someday I’d Write This Down” Verse Play by Lowell Jaeger  
FVCC Theatre  
Kalispell, MT
- 9/27-29/18 Wausau Book Festival – Readings/Presentations  
Wausau, Wisconsin
- 10/11/18 Curriculum Consortium Meeting – Reading/ Lecture  
Glendive, MT
- 10/12/18 Waterworks Museum -- Reading/Discussion  
Miles City, MT
- 11/ 7-10/18 University of Oklahoma -- Readings/Presentations  
Norman, OK