



Spoken Word Club
of Laguna Woods
presents



Kate Buckley and Ricki Mandeville

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

1:00 PM Elm Room

Laguna Woods Community Center
24351 El Toro, Laguna Woods, CA



Kate Buckley is a poet, writer, painter, teacher, and the first Poet Laureate of Laguna Beach. Her other awards include a Gabeheart Prize and the North American Review's James Hearst Poetry Prize. Her short story, "The Gods of Flight," was shortlisted for the Bridgport Prize. She is a classically trained artist, exploring subject matter ranging from mythology to philosophical quandries of the modern age.

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Ricki Mandeville is a free-lance editor, language arts and accent reduction tutor, and occasional speaker for literary and social events. A six-time Pushcart Prize nominee, her poems have appeared in Texas Poetry Calendar, San Pedro River Review, Comstock Review, Gravel, Penumbra, and other publications. She has no new book out because, as acting Mama for her own 98-year-old mother, who has lived with her since last May, she finds the rigors of late-in-life parenthood leave little time for creative endeavor. She believes her muse may be partying in some cowboy bar in Albuquerque, and hopes she comes home soon.

The Spoken Word Club of Laguna Woods is a place for poets, writers, playwrights, and storytellers to read their writings and develop new material. In our monthly meetings, members have an opportunity to read or perform their material. Dues are \$10/year, to defray costs of room rental and refreshments. **For Laguna Woods residents and their guests only.** Guests will be welcomed to listen or join in (\$2/mtg).

We meet on the 4th Tuesday of every month at 1-3 PM in the Elm Room at the Laguna Woods Community Center, 24351 El Toro, Laguna Woods, CA. (next to the Ayres Hotel just west of Moulton Parkway). No gate pass necessary.

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