

WRITERS RESIST

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WRITERS RE-INAUGURATE DEMOCRACY

On Sunday, January 15, 2017 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Community Room at the New London Public Library, 63 Huntington Street, New London, Writers Resist will host a Re-Inauguration Event. Writers across the United States and in Europe will come together for Writers Resist events on that day, making a shared commitment to the spirit of compassion, equality and free speech.

As part of more than fifty events across the globe, writers in New London will read historic and contemporary writings on the ideals of democracy and free expression at the Public Library. Readers at the Writers Resist: Southeast Connecticut event include:

Joanie DiMartino
Charles Fort
Jose Gonzalez
Frederick Knowles
Mark Lamoureux
Rhonda Ward

The event is free and the public is welcome to attend.

Writers Resist is a national movement that focuses on presenting diverse writers' voices throughout history that speak to the ideals of democracy. Writers Resist is not affiliated with a political party. We wish to bypass direct political discourse in favor of an inspired focus on the future, and how we, as writers, can be a unifying force for the protection of democracy. In order for us to heal and move forward, individually and as a nation, we believe people need something to be for in this anxious moment. The only thing we "resist" is that which attacks or seeks to undermine those most basic principles of freedom and justice for all.

Writers Resist will stage events that are hoped to coalesce and energize a widespread network of writer-activists throughout the United States and in other countries capable of becoming a consistently potent voice and force for social good around the world.

We believe in writers' shared sense of humanity, and our capacity to help us positively influence others with our words and activism.

For more information on the movement, go to writersresist.org

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