



Schedule – over 25 events to celebrate poetry ! Some are 5 minutes long, some very spontaneous, come with an open mind . . . WMU Libraries has millions of poetry resources, ask for help. All events - open to the public. Check for changes at bottom link.

- Wed., April 1** **Kick-off Poetry and Music** - Graduate Wind Quintet and 6 poetry readers/writers, food. Waldo 3rd floor, Meader Room, 1 pm.
- Beat Poetry** - Way cool poetry of Allen Ginsberg and Gary Synder by 2 librarian staffers, Ed and Neil. (Could be back by popular demand – check it out and demand it) Music and Dance Library, Dalton 3rd floor, 3:30 pm.
- Ongoing April** **Historic Poetry Display** - from Archives and Regional History Collections, at Zhang Legacy Collection Center, all month.
- International Poets Posters** - WMU international students present poets from their home country. Posters displayed and rotated between Waldo Library, Swain Education Library, and Maybee Music and Dance Library.
- Study Abroad Poster Display** - WMU Students present their experience with study abroad. Posters displayed and rotated between Waldo Library, Swain Education Library, and the Maybee Music and Dance Library.
- Poetry table games** - poetry composing, snap it, post it. #WMUlibNPM2015 - Each of the four libraries will have tables with different themes where visitors are free to create poetry or just see what others have written.
- Poetry Broadside Displays** - Poetry art pieces on display from the Kalamazoo Book Arts Center in Waldo Atrium, 3 floors, also in Maybee Music and Dance Library, all month.
- Thu., April 2** **Collegiate Singers, Pop up sing - poetry of song** - Waldo Library Atrium, 2 o'clock hour
- Mon., April 6** **Poetry Study Break: Surrealist poetry activities** - Drop by to experiment, play, and create surrealist poetry such as exquisite corpse and erasure poetry. Materials and snacks provided. Waldo Library 1st floor, 2-4:00 pm.
- Woodwind Poetry: Woodwin Quintet, Truckenbrod** -Swain Education Library, Sangren, 4 pm.
- Poetry of Piano, Pop up Music** - Michael Zutis, piano, Lee Honors College Lounge, 10 am.
- Tue., April 7** **University Chorale, multi song Pop up Sing** - Waldo Atrium, 11 o'clock hour.
- Poetry Study Break - Dadaist Poetry, Cut Up Poetry** - Drop by to experiment, play, and create dadaist poetry such as cut-up poetry. Materials and snacks provided, Waldo Library 1st floor, 2-4:00 pm.
- Wed., April 8** **Poetry Study Break - Poetry Open Mic.** Drop by to sound off your talents and read your original work. Or stop by to listen to support fellow Broncos, Waldo Library 1st floor, 3-5 pm.
- Poetry Pop up** - Danielle Snow reading, Maybee Music and Dance Library, 11 am.
- Thu., April 9** **Poetry Study Break: Structured Poetry Activities** - Drop by to experiment, play and create structured poetry. Materials and snacks provided. Waldo Library. 1st floor. 2-4 pm.
- Woodwin Poetry: Woodwin Quartet, Vizcarra** - Maybee Music and Dance Library, 3:30 pm.
- Fri., April 10** **Poetry of Horn, Pop up** - Lin Foulk, horn professor and students, Education Library, Sangren, 2:30 pm.
- Poetry of Piano, Pop up** - Somi Yoon, piano, Lee Honors College Lounge, 2 pm.
- Tue., April 14** **Poetry of Tuba, Pop up** - Chance Trottmann-Huiet, Education Library, Sangren, 11 am.
- Spanish Poetry Readings, Class Project** - Waldo Learning Commons, 1st floor – 11-12:15 pm.
- Hyakunin Isshu (Poetry Game)** - Maybee Music and Dance Library, 12-1 pm
- Wed., April 15** **CELCIS Poetry Readings** - Enjoy listening to international poetry in its native language read by WMU CELCIS students. Translations provided. Waldo Library, Lower Level, 1:30-2:30 pm (Center for English Language and Culture for International Students - CELCIS)
- Spanish Poetry Readings, Class Project** - Music and Dance Library, 11-11:50 am.
- Poetic Closing Reception** – Music and Readings, by World Languages and Literature, Jeff Abshear of Kalamazoo Book Arts Center, food, Waldo 3rd floor, Meader Room, 3 pm.
- Thu., April 16** **Poetry of Piano, Pop up** - Michael Zutis, piano, Lee Honors College Lounge, 10 am.

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