Mountain Writers Series at The Press Club



Stevan Allred & Robin Cody

7:30 PM, Wednesday January 15, 2014

The Press Club, 2621 SE Clinton, Portland Suggested Donation \$5

-Stevan Allred has survived circumcision, a tonsillectomy, a religious upbringing, the 60's, the War on Poverty, the break-up of The Beatles, any number of bad haircuts, years of psychotherapy, the Reagan Revolution, the War on Drugs, the Roaring 90's, plantar fasciitus, the Lewinsky Affair, the internet bubble, the Florida recount of 2000, the Bush oughts, the War on Terror, teen-aged children, a divorce, hay fever, the real estate bubble, male pattern baldness, and heartburn. His work has appeared in numerous literary journals and websites, and he has twice been nominated for a Pushcart Prize. His debut novel, *A Simplified Map of the Real World*, a collection of fifteen linked stories, was published by Forest Avenue Press in 2013.

—Robin Cody was born at St. Helens and grew up in Estacada, Oregon. A graduate of Yale, he taught at the American School of Paris for a decade and was Dean of Admissions at Reed College in Portland before taking up freelance writing in 1984. While writing, he has been a baseball umpire, a basketball referee, and special ed school bus driver. Cody is the author of *Ricochet River*, a novel, and *Voyage of a Summer Sun*, about the Columbia River. With *Voyage*, Cody won the 1995 Oregon Book Award for literary nonfiction. Both of those books are in the Oregon State Library's "150 Books for the Oregon Sesquicentennial," February 2009. His most recent book, *Another Way the River Has*, is a collection of short true stories.



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