## Mountain Writers Series



## Poetry Revision Workshop with Cindy Stewart-Rinier

Thursday, 6:45 – 9:00 PM October 1 – 29, 2015

TaborSpace, Room O5 5441 SE Belmont, Portland 97215

Fall 2015 Poetry Revision Workshop — All levels are welcome to join in this five-week workshop designed to address those poems that seem to have potential, but are just not working. Building on in-depth feedback regarding the existing strengths and weaknesses of each poem, participants will develop fresh strategies for revising them. Through model poems and other materials, we'll look at entries and landings, tone, pacing, imagery, tension, form, structure, music, and the element of surprise. Participants will be required to submit a packet of four poems one week prior to the start date, and submit a revision of each on the second, third and fourth weeks.

- Meets: 6:45–9:00 PM, Thursday, October 1 29, 2015
- Location: TaborSpace, Room O5 (5441 SE Belmont, Portland OR 97215)
- Cost: \$135 [Five sessions]
- Enrollment: Minimum 5; maximum 10.

Register at www.mountainwriters.org or send check payable Mountain Writers to 2804 SE 27th, #2, Portland, OR 97202.

Cindy Stewart-Rinier holds an MFA in Creative Writing from Pacific Lutheran University. Twice nominated for a Pushcart Prize, her poetry has appeared in Calyx, The Smoking Poet, Crab Creek Review, Ascent, VoiceCatcher, and I forthcoming the Naugatuck River Review. A Pre-Kindergarten teacher by day, she also teaches evening poetry writing workshops for Mountain Writers Series and serves on their board of directors. She lives in Portland, Oregon with her younger son, her bandy-legged Pitbull, and her husband of 31 years.



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