

## Board Members

2019-2020

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# Kansas Writers, Inc.

## May 2020 Newsletter



### Ponderings and Smackerals:

Hello writer friends!

What a crazy couple of months we've had! I hope this finds you all safe and well. I hated having to miss the retreat this year, as this is when I get the most work done. Being surrounded by writers writing certainly fuels the muse. I hope that those of you that went had a wonderful time and made lots of progress on your books.

There will be no meeting again this month as the library remains closed. I miss all of you guys and I miss hearing about the progress you are making on your novels, and the updates that are going on in your lives. The board is working on a temporary solution, be it virtual (thanks for the suggestion Alison) or a house, or park. We have only just started to discuss options.

I would like to ask you all to keep member Angela Johnson in your thoughts. She has had some serious and scary health problems and can use all the good juju people can muster.

Here is hoping that next month things will be close to some semblance of normal and we can get together again.

Be well and I wish you words.  
Bear.

## KWI Meetings

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### Next Meeting

When: TBA

Where: TBA

Topic: TBA

### Future Meeting

When: TBA

Where: TBA

Topic: TBA

### Meeting Format

Open Writing: 9:30am -  
10:00am

Critiquing: 10:00am -  
11:30am

Board Meeting: 11:30am -  
12:00pm

Member Meeting:  
12:30pm - 1:00 pm

Program: 1:00 pm -  
2:30pm

## Financials

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## Library Remains Closed in May

Although the shelter-in-place order has been lifted, many places remain closed including the library. While the library is making plans to partially reopen, there is no telling when it will be available for meeting space.

On that note, KWI is looking into possibly doing Zoom or other online meeting. Nothing has been decided yet, but it is at least being considered. If anyone has suggestions for how to conduct an online meeting, let us know.

We are also considering other options for possible in person meetings. We will keep you posted. In the meantime, we hope you keep writing. Stay safe and stay healthy!

**April 2020****Beginning Cash Balance:****\$4,061.46****Income: \$244.95****Expenses: \$332.47****Ending Cash Balance: \$3973.94**

## Kudos

KWI member Carolyn Kaberline interviewed our president Tish Glasson for an article in the Capitol Journal. You can read the full article here:

<https://www.cjonline.com/entertainment/20200428/cj-extra-kansas-writers-inc-offers-home-to-writers-of-all-skill-levels>

