

Writing Our Lives

The Twelfth Seminar for People Who Write (or would like to write)

Thursday, July 9, 2009, 12:00 noon to Sunday, July 12, 2009, 12:00 noon



Richard Hawley

The Writing Our Lives Seminar will combine a lively succession of practical presentations, readings, tutorials, and workshops with sustained periods of quiet time set aside for personal reflection and writing. The teaching staff and members of the seminar will work together to:

- ✓ Develop and deepen personal writing projects
- ✓ Narrate our important experiences in literary form
- ✓ Explore the dramatic structure of stories
- ✓ Create characters (from real ones)

Seminar Staff

Richard A. Hawley is a lifelong teacher and writer. For thirty-seven years he taught history, economics, philosophy and English at Cleveland's University School, and for seventeen years served as the school's headmaster. He has published a number of books, including several novels, selections of poetry, and non-fiction, most of the latter bearing on children, schools, and learning. One of the novels, *The Headmaster's Papers*, won a number of literary awards. Recent books include the novels *The Headmaster's Wife* and *Paul and Juliana*, as well as a new collection of poetry, *The Headmaster's Poems*. For ten years he taught fiction and non-fiction writing at the Breadloaf Writers Conference, and he was the founding president of the International Boys Schools Coalition. He is married to the artist Mary Hawley and is the father of three daughters.

Diane Goodman is an experienced and delightful university and secondary school teacher, a poet, chef and novelist whose *The Genius of Hunger*, a collection of stories, was published in 2002 to major acclaim. Her chapbook of poems, *Constellations*, is published by Heatherstone Press, and other poems have appeared in periodicals including *Prairie Schooner*, *Indiana Review*, *Negative Capability* and *Pig Iron*. *The Genius of Hunger* is her debut in the field of fiction. Her newest book is *The Plated Heart* (2006).

David Mallery, Convenor.

Cost to the School: \$2,750.00 for overnight at ACE Center (\$2,550.00 for day only). Early arrival Wednesday, July 9 is additional 150.00.

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