

Poetry Northwest

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Greetings *Poetry Northwest* Friends, Donors, and Volunteers!

Here we are in 2021, and Poetry NW is gearing up for a small number of events after the pandemic hiatus! If you're interested and able you would need to showing up at the Hugo House around 6:15 or so, chat with attendees, sell the magazine, attend the reading (for free!), and then sell the magazine and answer questions after the reading.

This year's SAL Poetry events at the Hugo House are:

- Kavey Akbar on Friday, October 15, 2021
- Sherwin Bitsui & Kenzie Allen, James Welch Prize on Friday, November 5, 2021
- Don Mee Choi on Thursday, April 7, 2022

Looking very far ahead, the [2022 Skagit Valley Poetry Festival](#) is set for October 6-8, and it looks to be fantastic. That's up in La Conner, and always a treat.

Personal News

Lastly, I am going to be stepping back from my role in events. After 10 years, it's time for me to make room for someone new!

If you know anyone who might be interested, please let me know, or contact *Poetry Northwest* editor Keetje Kuipers (keetje@poetrynw.org). I'll still be reading the crush pile and will be helping train my replacement, so I'll definitely be around for the foreseeable future!

Thanks again, and I hope you and all your family are staying safe and healthy!

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