

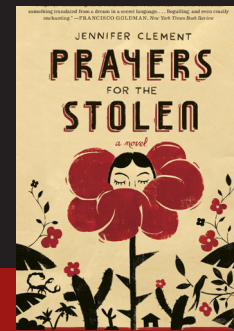
The CCBC Community Book Connection Celebrates its 10-year Anniversary with

PRAYERS FOR THE STOLEN BY JENNIFER CLEMENT

FEATURING THE POET LAUREATE OF THE UNITED STATES:

JUAN FELIPE HERRERA, CCBC ESSEX, THURSDAY, APRIL 14TH

SPRING 2016 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



CATONSVILLE EVENTS

Resistance in Tlaxcala, Mexico: Popular Struggles against Capitalism

Tuesday, February 16, 9:35–11:00 a.m.
Catonsville, Student Services Building 004

Mexican human rights activist Luz Rivera will present on the popular resistance to neoliberal capitalism in one of Mexico's smallest states, Tlaxcala. Her educational talk, followed by discussion, will offer important lessons about the struggle for human rights for women, peasants, and workers.

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Students Reflect on *Prayers for the Stolen*: Bringing it Home

This event is cancelled

Panel Discussion: Human Trafficking

Monday, February 29, 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
Catonsville, The Barn

Renee Murrell is a Victim Specialist in the FBI Victim Assistance Program. Join Ms. Murrell and her associates to learn more about the issue of human trafficking, particularly as it relates to the Baltimore area. Discussion followed by Q & A.

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Realities, Response, and Resources for Human Trafficking in Maryland

Tuesday, April 12, 9:45–11:00 a.m.
Catonsville, Student Services Building 004

This panel discussion will discuss the realities of human trafficking, current advocacy efforts, and law enforcement's response on the national and state level. Followed by Q & A.

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Hispanic Women in Science: Dr. Maria-Jose Lopez-Barragan

Friday, April 29, 11:15 a.m.–12:10 p.m.
Catonsville, Math and Science Hall 227

Dr. Lopez-Barragan will share her story of immigration as a research biologist as well as her research on finding a solution for malaria.

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Reading and Reception:

We are CCBC: Our Stories of Immigration

Friday, May 6, 1:00–2:20 p.m. Catonsville, The Barn

International students and staff at CCBC are invited to submit their stories of immigration to an online literary journal that will serve as a resource for the CCBC community. This is an ongoing project that began in Fall 2015, culminating with a reading and reception.

For submission guidelines contact Sarah Barnhardt: Sbarnhardt@cCBCmd.edu

Casual Concert Series: Instrumental and Vocal/Choral Student Recital

Wednesday, May 11, 11:15 a.m.
Catonsville, Center for the Arts Lounge

Wind down at the end of the semester by listening to CCBC music students perform in a casual concert that includes some selections inspired by this year's CBC book, *Prayers for the Stolen*.

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DUNDALK EVENTS

Resistance in Tlaxcala, Mexico: Popular Struggles against Capitalism

Monday, February 15, 12:20–2:00 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy Staten Building 102

Mexican human rights activist Luz Rivera will present on the popular resistance to neoliberal capitalism in one of Mexico's smallest states, Tlaxcala. Her talk, followed by discussion, will offer important lessons about the struggle for human rights for women, peasants, and workers.

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Dundalk CBC Film Series: *Miss Representation*

Thursday, February 18, 11:10 a.m.–12:45 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy Staten Building 102

This award-winning documentary explores the under-representation of women in positions of power and influence in America, and challenges the media's limited portrayal of what it means to be a powerful woman. Light refreshments will be served.

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Dundalk CBC Film Series: *Girl Rising*

Tuesday, March 1, 11:10 a.m.–12:35 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy Staten Building 102

Girl Rising takes viewers on a global journey, following the stories and struggles of nine unforgettable girls in the developing world who confront tremendous challenges and overcome nearly impossible odds to pursue their dreams.

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Dundalk CBC Film Series: *The House I Live In*

Tuesday, March 8, 12:45–2:45 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy Staten Building 102

Filmed in more than twenty states, *The House I Live In* captures the heart-wrenching stories of those on the front lines of the failed War on Drugs—and offers a penetrating look at the profound human rights implications of America's longest war. Light refreshments will be served.

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How Human Traffickers Use Social Media to Find and Target Victims

Monday, March 21, 12:20–1:45 p.m.
Dundalk, College Community Center Student Lounge

This educational session will demonstrate how human traffickers use social media to access personal information as a means of targeting victims. Participants will receive tips on maintaining privacy and safety. Light refreshments will be served.

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Women in Latin American Guitar Music

Wednesday, April 6, 2:00–3:00 p.m.
Dundalk, College Community Center Student Lounge

Guitarist and music professor Daniel Lewis will perform and discuss music by and about Latin American women. Light refreshments will be served.

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AMIREDIS: Asociación de Migrantes Retornados con Discapacidad (Association of Returned Disabled Migrants)

Tuesday, April 19, 11:10 a.m.–12:35 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy N. Staten building 102

Come and listen to the stories of some Honduran migrants who became injured and disabled while riding the infamous "La Bestia" train on their migration journey to the U.S.

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Real Stories of Addiction and the War on Drugs in Maryland

Wednesday, April 20, 12:20–2:00 p.m.
Dundalk, Roy Staten Building 102

A diverse panel of Baltimore residents will discuss addiction, recovery, the drug trade, and the war on drugs from their personal perspectives, and will respond to questions about how to best advocate for those living with addiction.

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Cinco de Mayo Piñata Workshop

Thursday, May 5, 11:10 a.m.–12:35 p.m.
Dundalk, College Community Center Student Lounge

Celebrate Cinco de Mayo with local professional Mexican artists who will assist you in creating your own piñata.

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ESSEX EVENTS

Film Screening and Discussion: *Kingdom of Shadows* and the Ethics of Personal Drug Use

Essex, Friday, February 26th
2:30–3:00 p.m. Administration Building 110:
Pre-event reception

3:00–5:00 p.m. Administration Building 120:
Film screening and discussion

This screening of *Kingdom of Shadows*, a new documentary about the Mexican drug trade, will be followed by a student-led discussion of the ethics of personal drug use.

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Workshop: Mexican Piñata Making: Folk Art and Entrepreneurial Traditions

Friday, February 19, 1:30–3:30 p.m.
Essex, College Community Center Upper Lobby

Through a partnership with the Creative Alliance, four master piñata makers will visit CCBC and lead students in a hands-on exploration of piñata symbolism, design, and construction. Each student participant will have a piñata to keep as a reminder of the event.

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Panel Discussion: Combating Human Trafficking in Baltimore

Tuesday, March 15, 11:10 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Essex, Administration Building 120

Panelists, including FBI Human Trafficking specialist, Renee Murrell, and Executive Director of Safe House of Hope, Denene Yates, will discuss human trafficking, a form of modern day slavery, and describe the ways Baltimore is combating it.

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Poetry Reading: US Poet Laureate Juan Felipe Herrera

Essex, Thursday, April 14
12:45–2:10 p.m. Poetry Reading,
Administration Building 120

2:15–3:15 p.m. Reception and Book Signing,
Administration Building 110

3:30–4:45 p.m. Writing Workshops
(Various rooms, TBA)

5:00–6:00 p.m. Dinner with Open Mic,
College Community Center 123

US Poet Laureate Juan Felipe Herrera, the nation's first Chicano Poet Laureate, will address the 30th Annual Creative Writing Forum, reading and performing material from his long career. The reading will be followed by a book signing, workshops for students, and dinner with open mic.

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Latin Millennials in Business—Challenges and Opportunities

Friday, April 22, 10:10–11:05 a.m.
Essex, College Community Center 123

Tabata Gomez, a director at Procter & Gamble Global Cosmetics in Hunt Valley, Md., will share her experience as a Mexican woman in the business world.

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CBC Latin-American Film Series

The German Doctor (Argentina). An Argentinean family welcome a German doctor into their home and entrust their young daughter to his care, not knowing that they are harboring one of the most dangerous criminals in the world. At the same time, Israeli agents are desperately looking to bring the German doctor to justice.

Maluala (Cuba). *Maluala* takes us into a palenque, a settlement of escaped slaves hidden somewhere in Cuba's eastern mountains, where discord is sown between black "kings" by clever subversives working for the Spanish government.

Sin Nombre (Mexico-USA). *Sin Nombre* is a Mexican-American adventure thriller film about a Honduran girl trying to immigrate to the U.S.A., and a boy caught up in the terrifying violence of gang life.

Dates, times, and locations will be posted soon.
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