Kansas Writers Association

Notes from Monthly Meeting

July 20, 2024

**Members – Guests Present: 21**

Brian Balzer Louise Pelzl

Julienne Beacham Lydia Pico

Sonny Collins Kathy Pritchett

Starla Criser Sam Schrepel

Rae Cuda Clystia Skinner

Jana Dahmen Julie Skinner

Dan Ferguson Wendell Skinner

Ronald Fitten Ben Sutherland

Ernestine Frame Beth Sutton

Thomas Heeren Daniel Stone

JaTonna Kirkwood

General introductions of members and guests

Discussion of the Wichita Public Library Author Day event on August 10.

* Reminder that if any author is interested in having a partial table, contact with the library should be made asap as they are only allowing 88 authors to participate this year.
* KWA will have a table at the event, and we need 2-3 people to man the table. We have business cards and some information to put on the table. Ben Sutherland has agreed to sit at the table, but more people are still needed to help.

Discussion of the 2024 KWA Anthology.

* Submission deadline is August 30, 2024.
* Reminder about what is allowed for submissions.
* Information about the guidelines are on the Facebook page.

Discussion of August program.

* World Building by Wendell Skinner

Discussion about the Treasurer position.

* Ernestine Frame gave her decision to step down for 2024.
* Brief revelation of the Treasurer’s duties.
* Ben Sutherland requested that anyone interested in taking over the position notify him or a board member.

July Program presented by Jana Dahmen.