



Mid-Michigan RWA 2009 Meeting Schedule

Unless otherwise noted, meetings are held the third Saturday of each month on a rotating basis at area restaurants and meeting centers. The usual meeting agenda is as follows: 11:30 a.m., lunch (optional); 1:00 p.m. (approximate time), program/speaker; 2:00 p.m. (approximate time), business meeting.

- ♥ January: Old Board/New Board transition meeting--no chapter meeting this month.
- ♥ February 21: La Senorita Restaurant in Lansing, MI. - Writing Short: Writing and Marketing a Short Story Romance. Margo Hoornstra, speaker.
- ♥ March 21: Grand Rapids - Synopsis Workshop. Maris Soule, speaker. See the [March newsletter](#) for details and driving directions.
- ♥ April 24-26: Retreat From Harsh Reality at the Yarrow Golf and Conference Resort in Augusta, Michigan. Guest author [Thea Devine](#) will present her "Manuscript Tune-Up" and "Tool Kit for Writers" workshops. Advance registration required. Open to non-MMRWA members. Please see: [Retreat From Harsh Reality](#) for more information.
- ♥ May 16: Kalamazoo - Building a Website. John DePierre, speaker.
- ♥ June 20: Grand Rapids - [No chapter meeting this month.] Special Event: Debra Dixon will present her Book in A Day Workshop, which covers GMC and The Hero's Journey. The workshop will run from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please note: There is a fee for this workshop; advance registration and payment is required for attendance. There will be no registration at the door on the day of the event. Please contact meetings@midmichiganrwa.org for more information!
- ♥ July: No chapter meeting.
- ♥ August 15: Lansing - Understanding Print on Demand. Dana Corbit, speaker. (tentative)
- ♥ September 19: Kalamazoo - Writer Power: Feeling Important in the Restrictive Market. Alison Hart (AKA Jennifer Greene), speaker.
- ♥ October 17: Grand Rapids – MMRWA Idol.
- ♥ November 21: Kalamazoo - The Ins and Outs of a Crime Lab. Jerry Luedecking, speaker.
- ♥ December 12: Lansing – End of Year Meeting and Holiday Party.