



come home to english

october 24-29, 2011

All events are free of charge, open to the public,
and take place at Arizona State University in Tempe.

art & archives gallery

Mon.-Fri., Oct. 24-28, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. daily | Language and Literature 316 (LL 316)

Display of original artwork by faculty, staff, students, alumni, and friends of the Department of English at ASU.

vernissage: meet the artists

Tues., Oct. 25, 3:30-5 p.m. | Language and Literature 316 (LL 316)

Celebrates the opening of the Come Home to English Art and Archives Gallery. Meet the artists! Music by Clinical Professor Laura Turchi (viola). Free of charge and open to the public. Refreshments served.

“the language of prairie dogs”—con slobodchikoff

Weds., Oct. 26, 3:15 p.m. | Language and Literature 316 (LL 316)

Con Slobodchikoff, Professor Emeritus in the Biology Department at Northern Arizona University, presents this interdisciplinary lecture hosted by English's Linguistics Program. Slobodchikoff has most recently been working with the communication and social behavior of prairie dogs, which he calls “the most sophisticated animal language decoded so far.” Refreshments served.

“the language of food”—viktorija todorovska + mCraw helms writing awards presentation

Thurs., Oct. 27, 3 p.m. | Language and Literature 316 (LL 316)

Alumna Viktorija Todorovska (MTESL 1996; PhD 2000), author of *The Puglian Cookbook*, gives this talk and demonstration as part of English's Alumni Lecture Series. Following the presentation, recipients of the Randel and Susan McCraw Helms Homecoming Writing Awards read from their winning entries. Refreshments served.

homecoming block party

Sat., Oct. 29, 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. | English Booth on the Alumni Lawn (in front of Old Main)

“Books may well be the only true magic.”—Alice Hoffman. Part of the annual CLAS celebration, our 2011 booth features a giant crossword puzzle created by ASU English Regents' Professor Alberto Ríos (prizes for correct answers!), children's book giveaway with Clinical Professor Laura Turchi and students, and other activities for kids exploring the “magic” of language (including a live magician, an “Are You Smarter Than a Third Grader” contest, and a design-your-own tote bag station—all supplies provided).

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