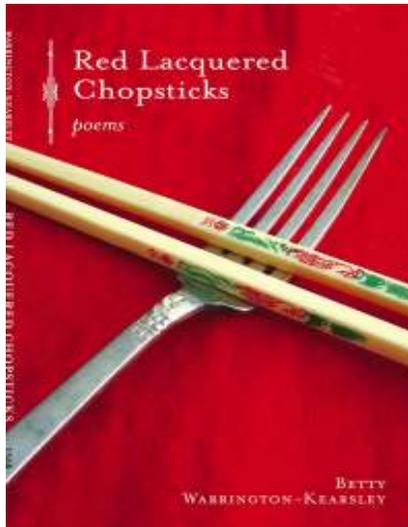


# Publishers Writers Network (PWN)

A rare opportunity for writers and publishers alike to meet and mingle, the Publishers Writers Network (PWN) is a gathering of professionals and amateurs in the writing and publishing world for an entertaining and engaging evening.

This month, Canadian poet Betty Warrington-Kearsley and Director of Candid Creation Publishing, Mr. Phoon Kok Hwa will join us for our PWN session to share their experiences in writing and publishing. Ms. Kearsley will also be conducting a poetry reading.



Date : 8 December 2006

Time : 7 pm

Venue : Ear Shot Cafe @ The Arts House  
1 Old Parliament Lane  
Singapore 179 429

Admission is free.

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**Betty Warrington-Kearsley** was born in England but grew up with her Chinese family in a kampong in Singapore. She also writes Haiku and short stories, and is working on a memoir. She won first prize in ARC's 2004 Diana Brebner Poetry contest and was short-listed for the 2004 Shaunt Basmajian Poetry Award. She has published in several magazines and anthologies. She also writes under her pen name, Pe-Lien.

**Phoon Kok Hwa** is the Director, Special Projects at Candid Creation Publishing LLP, the first and only publishing company to be awarded the "Partnership for Arts Businesses" by the National Arts Council Singapore in 2005. Founded in 1999, the company is the publisher-of-choice for many renowned personalities and has worked with many first-time authors to publish and market a wide genre of books.

This event is jointly brought to you by the Arts House and the Singapore Writers Centre. The Arts House, managed by Old Parliament House Limited, is Singapore's newest arts and heritage venue dedicated to encouraging artistic and cultural activities in Singapore. The Singapore Writers' Centre, set up recently by the National Book Development Council and supported by the National Arts Council, aims to be a resource and networking hub where the writing community in Singapore can gain access to a myriad of services and resources tailored for their special needs.

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