



## Living Stories 2024

### Writing Competition and Creative Writing Workshops

*Presented by WestWords and WestLit Libraries with Blue Mountains Library*

**Writing Competition • Closes 6 May**  
**Workshops with James Roy • 23 April**

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### The Writing Competition

Do you have a story to tell? Do you love writing? Do you feel excited when you think about putting words down, and having them really mean something? Does the idea of seeing your name at the top of a page of great writing full of terrific ideas thrill you? Would you like to be able to write better, and to learn from the best?

There are great prizes to be won in this year's annual Living Stories Western Sydney Writing Prize and you could be part of it. All you need to do is get creative and pen your response to the prompt..."Over the Line...". Click [here](#) for all entry and eligibility details. Closes 6 May.

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### The Creative Writing Workshops



For that extra edge, book into one of our creative writing workshops. These will be delivered by acclaimed local author [James Roy](#), who has an impressive list of awards for his works of fiction and non-fiction for young people.

The Living Stories workshops are free and go for 90-minutes. They will help improve your craft in short story and poetry and generate ideas to create a piece of writing for the Living Stories Writing Prize.

Bookings are essential via Eventbrite - links below.  
When registering, please make sure you are booking into the correct workshop for your age range.

If you subsequently find you can't make it - we know life happens - please cancel via Eventbrite as this will free up your spot for someone else. Places in these workshops are limited.

[Living Stories Workshop | Ages 10-15 years](#)  
Springwood Hub, 23 April, 11.30am

[Living Stories Workshop | Ages 16 years to adult](#)  
Katoomba Library, 23 April, 2pm