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Poetry and Psychoanalysis on: 'FACE THE TRUTH'

Facilitated by: Dr Gloriana Bartoli



VENUE: Jubilee Building, 545 Parnell Rd, Parnell, Auckland

And available remotely via Zoom; a link will be sent upon registration

TIME: Friday 25 August 2023 at 7 - 9:30 pm

FEE: \$ 20, students \$ 10

Wine & cheese will follow the discussion.

"Risk! Risk anything! Care no more for the opinions of others, for those voices. Do the hardest thing on earth for you. Act for yourself. Face the truth." by Katherine Mansfield (1888-1923).

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The New Zealand Institute of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy (NZIPP) participates with a Poetry Competition and an Event in occasion of the National Poetry Day. The theme will be based on Katherine Mansfield's quote: 'Face the Truth'.

Both Poetry and Psychoanalysis appear to be driven by a sort of unknown matrix towards getting to know the 'truth' about oneself. What is this truth about? What does it mean facing the truth? Why are we interested in it? Can we really face the truth? As there is always another truth, an unknown or invisible part of it!

NZIPP launches its 4th <u>Competition on Poetry and Psychoanalysis</u> <u>http://www.nzbookawards.nz/national-poetry-day/competition-calendar/</u>
Poems on the theme "Face the Truth" are welcome from anyone interested. Up to 3 poems can be sent to: <u>NZIPPandPoetry@gmail.com</u> by <u>20th August 2023</u>.



Winners of the competition will be announced at the Event organised by NZIPP in occasion the National Poetry Day on Friday 25 August: https://www.nzbookawards.nz/national-poetry-day/calendar-of-events/. The event will be facilitated by Dr Gloriana Bartoli, who will introduce the winners of the competition and invite them to read their poems. The audience will be invited to participate by sharing thoughts, reactions, and reflections on the link between poetry and psychoanalysis stimulated by the poems presented and one's own experience.

Poems will be also published on NZIPP Website and Facebook