



NEWSLETTER FROM THE DEAN

February 2022

HELLO FROM THE DEAN

Hello everyone,
I hope your semester is starting out well. Be sure mark your calendars for our next three events: Culture & Language Festival, Blind Date with a Book, and the Symposium! Also, if you're a writer or photographer, we would love for you to submit to *Embers*. See the deadlines below.

If you need anything, let me know.

~Dr. Mendoza

"Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart" (Psalm 37:4, ESV).



L&L SPRING 2022

REMINDERS

EMBERS LITERARY & ARTS MAGAZINE

Submissions are open. Start taking photos and/or writing your poetry, flash fiction, and more. For more information, talk to Dr. Strovas, strovask@wbu.edu

IMPORTANT DATES

ANNOUNCEMENTS



This Valentine's Day, you can have the perfect date, whether it is someone dark and brooding like Edgar Allen Poe,

whimsical like Douglas Adams, or deep like Toni Morrison. Mark your calendar for Friday, February 11, 6:00-8:00 p.m. in Gates Hall. \$5 entry for book, beverage, and treat.

WRITER'S CRITIQUE GROUP

Our writer's critique group is going virtual! We will be having it the last Tuesday of every month, starting February 22nd. Simply email your work to mendozak@wbu.edu a week before (2/15). All genres welcome (up to 5 pages). Please give any disclaimers. Try not to submit anything too offensive. Once you send your work, a Zoom link and the other students' work will be emailed to you shortly.

VOLUNTEER WITH LANGUAGE & CULTURE FESTIVAL

We could use some volunteers on February 8th. See Dr. Mora or Dr. Heath. Also, come check out the artwork and support our local high school kids.

FUN CORNER

Language & Culture Festival—February 8
Blind Date with a Book—February 11
Embers Photo Contest Deadline—February 11
Embers Submission Deadline—February 18
Symposium Submission Deadline—March 25
Symposium—April 19

L&L CELEBRATES

Accomplishments? – Be sure to let us know when you get a job, publish, win an award, etc. We want to celebrate with you. You can email them to mendozak@wbu.edu

What would you find in Charles Dicken's Pantry?

The best of thyme and the worst of thyme.

"Haiku for Coffee" by Kate Miller-Wilson

It's Monday morning;

The coffee maker is dead:

Double depresso.

"Haiku for Life's Mysteries" by Kate Miller-Wilson

I can't help thinking:

Why is "abbreviation"

A very long word?

