

**Fiction Among Friends
St. George Island Writers' Retreat
St. George Island, Florida - November 4--11, 2013
REGISTRATION FORM AND WAIVER**

QUESTIONS?
CONTACT ME
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Before October 1: 518-623-9305
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Name:

Home - work - cell phone, in preferred order home cell

Address:

City/St/Zip:

Email:

The license (tag) number of the car you will be driving to Abbeyfeale:

Emergency Contact, name and phone:

My Participation

Please respond to all questions applicable to you:

Retreat November 4 - 11

() I wish to be a commuter retreat participant @ \$575, less any discount for which I may qualify. This fee covers all meals, snacks, beverages, workshops, critique sessions, but those arriving Monday will be responsible for forging a plan for that evening's dinner. Note discount information below.

() I wish to be an in-residence retreat participant \$675, less any discount for which I may qualify. This fee covers lodging, all meals, snacks, beverages, workshops, critique sessions. Note discount information below.

Retreat Discounts

MEAL DEAL DISCOUNT:

I will qualify for my \$100 meal deal discount by taking full responsibility (shopping and preparation) for one dinner or two lunches at Abbeyfeale. I have noted below my planned entrée(s) to help ensure that there will be a reasonably varied menu throughout the week. (See "Accommodations" page for general information about meals.)

() I will prepare one dinner, main course to be:

() I will prepare two lunches, main courses to be:

RETURNING RETREATER DISCOUNT

() I wish to apply a money-off coupon from a past Fiction Among Friends Retreat (— \$50).

FRIENDS DISCOUNT

() I am registering with, _____, my friend, so that each of us may receive a discount (- \$50)

MY REGISTRATION FEE AFTER DISCOUNTS IS: _____

A. Check all that apply:

- I do NOT want my name/address provided to other attendees.
- Please do share my name/address
- I will hand write at the retreats or bring my own laptop or typewriter, but Perky will have a printer available.
- I understand that there will be no smoking in Abbeyfeale.
- I would like to be notified of future workshops via: __Email __USPS

B. Brief Writing Bio (retreat registrants):

C. Goals for retreat (Retreat registrants; please include any specific writing issues that you would like to address; use additional page if additional space is needed):

D. What topic(s) would you particularly like addressed during workshops this year?

Although the retreat site may not be fully handicapped accessible, there is an elevator available. List any special needs you may have:

E. Meals will be prepared by participants and shared family style. We regret that we cannot accommodate special diets to any great degree, but let us know what we might help with on your behalf:

F. Prerequisites

We have established a few retreat prerequisites to ensure that participants have compatible needs and interests:

1. Come with an interest in writing and an eagerness to learn more and enjoy the company of other writers. Plan to savor the time with these like-minded folks.

2. You certainly need not be a published author to attend the retreat, and your genre may be something other than fiction, but this writing-intensive retreat is geared toward those with works in progress. Therefore, we suggest that you send with your registration a sample of your writing from the project you plan to focus on at the St. George Island Writers' Retreat. Please email no more than about ten double-spaced pages.

Emailed samples are preferred, but hard copies (send 2 copies, please) will be accepted. Your work will not be reproduced or shared with any outside parties. Enclose a SASE if you wish hard copies to be returned; otherwise they will be destroyed to protect your ownership. See contact information below.

E. All Participants: I have read and understand the information above and the cancellation policy shown on the St. George Rates page. I realize that cancellation may result in forfeit of all or part of my registration fee depending upon the date of cancellation.

Returning this completed form constitutes my acceptance of the terms.

Registration Checklist:

- Registration Form - All

() Retreat participant writing sample enclosed or emailed (circle one) to PersisGranger@aol.com

If you choose to mail a hard copy of this form:

Mail to: Perky Granger, 11 Clarence Russell Road, Warrensburg, NY 12885 (if before Oct. 1) or
7460 SE 51st Way, Trenton, FL 32693 (if after Oct. 1)

Please make checks payable to Persis Granger

Please see complete next page before returning document.

Waiver and Assumption of Risk

I, _____, Customer, of

(address) _____

State of _____, voluntarily sign this waiver and assumption of risk in favor of Persis R. Granger of 11 Clarence Russell Road, Warrensburg, NY 12885, Owner, in consideration for the opportunity to use the owner's facilities and/or the opportunity to receive instruction from the owner or the owner's employees, and/or to engage in the activities sponsored by the owner, as follows:

- Residing in or participating in activities at sites arranged by the owner, including but not limited to Abbeyfeale
- Sharing meals, snacks and beverages prepared by the owner or those engaged by her
- Participating in workshops, discussions and writing exercises led by the owner or those engaged by her
- Going with or without the owner on occasional outings on St. George Island and surrounding area

I understand that there are certain risks and dangers associated with the activities and use of the facilities.

I fully assume the risks involved as acceptable to me and I agree to use my best judgment in undertaking these activities and follow all safety instructions.

I waive and release the owner from any claim for personal injury, property damage, or death that may arise from my use of the facilities or from my participation in the activities or instruction. I am a competent adult, aged 21 or older, and I assume these risks of my own free will.

Submission of this form constitutes my acceptance of its terms.

Dated _____, 20 _____

Printed Name of Customer

ONE MORE THING: Would you please take a moment to let me know how you learned about The St. George Island Writers' Retreat for Women?

___ A friend told me

___ I read about it online at the following site: _____

___ I read about it in the following print media: _____

___ Other: _____