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Naperville Writers Group Continues 2009 Literary Series With Readings by Tom Roby

February 27, 7 to 9 pm at Barnes and Noble in Bolingbrook

Naperville, IL – The Naperville Writers Group's February literary evening will feature poet Tom Roby.

Roby publishes and performs his poetry in a variety of venues, while leading workshops, writing criticism, and winning various competitions. He is President of the Poets' Club of Chicago, and was chairperson of their annual sonnet contest. A member of the National Association for Poetry Therapy, Tom has made presentations based on his chapbook, *Griever's Circuit* (Fractal Edge Press, 2004), poems about the death of his wife, Mary. He and his multi-instrumentalist son, Lem, comprise Omniphonic, a duo that performs "The Sounds of Poems, the Poetry of Sound." You can hear tracks from their forthcoming CD at the Vox Café archive (08/21/05) of Wordslingers.org. Tom will read from his latest book of poems, *Shape Shifter* published by Puddin'head Press.

In addition to Roby, members of the Naperville Writers Group will read their prose and poetry, and time will be provided for members of the public to read during open mic.

The event will be held on Friday, February 27, from 7 to 9 pm at the Barnes and Noble at the Promenade Center in Bolingbrook, 631 E Boughton Road. The event is free and open to the public. If you would like to read, please arrive early and sign up.

Future Naperville Writers Group events will continue in March at the Bolingbrook Barnes and Noble. These readings will feature Naperville Writers Group members and other local authors. Each evening will provide open mic time for members of the public to read.

Since its founding in 1987, the Naperville Writers Group has served scores of members of all ages. Members develop their writing skills through thoughtful, positive and useful critiques. Its members come from throughout Chicago's western suburbs and range from published, award-winning writers to those seeking an outlet for their interest. Naperville Writers Group members write a large variety of genres including memoirs, novels, poetry, creative non-fiction and many more. The group welcomes visitors to our weekly meetings on the North Central College campus in Naperville. Further information about the Naperville Writers Group is available at www.napervillewritersgroup.org.

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