



Writer's Meetup

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Writer's Meetup:

Meet and Greet. This is one of many meetups I hope to have to focus on just building a writing community. Our group could be the folks you lean on for advice and encouragement, to discuss the blocks and hurdles to the craft.

Meetup Issues:

Anyone have suggestions about the meetup in order to get more participation and members?
The move to Yahoo Egroups is coming along.

NaNoWriMo Contest in November

National Novel Writing Month Contest is coming up in November if anyone is interested in joining.

www.nanowrimo.org

I mentioned before possibly having our own novel-writing contest, but perhaps changing the length. Thoughts?

Writing Tips:

- Write on more than one project at a time. This allows your creative juices to work for one if not for the other.
- Re-read your stuff. This often sparks my muse, allowing me to get back into the groove of writing again.
- Setup a deadline for yourself such as writing 500-1000 words a day.
- Put off editing after you complete your work. For some would-be authors, they tend to get stuck in the 'making-it-perfect' and doing so while they are writing. This ends up having them never finish what they write.

Writing Prompt

Write a story synopsis based on the following titles:(pick one)

The R.I.P Files
Curiosity the Cat
Feast of Mistakes
Silent Scorn

Synopsis should be a brief paragraph that catches the reader's attention and sparks their interest to read your story.

If you want, write the story that this prompts.

Typo's happen