



A Literary Walk in the Woods 2018 Program Series

This year’s program will feature a classic nature writer, a contemporary nature lyricist, and two Southwest writers.

The program begins in the classroom with a biography of the author, proceeds with a one-mile nature walk on Zook Loop Trail, stopping half way at the Rock Garden to read selections from the author’s work. Class is free but a state park pass (\$7.00) is required. Reservations required at 719-576-2016. Meet at the Visitor Center. For your comfort, consider bringing a lightweight folding chair or mat to sit on.

9:30—11:30am on Selected Saturdays

May 26: Professor John Nizalowski, Department of Languages, Literature and Mass Communication at Colorado Mesa University, in Grand Junction, will present Mabel Dodge Luhan. Professor Nizalowski brought us Frank Waters in 2015 and we welcome his return.



1879—1962



June 30: Nationally-known Storyteller and Author, John Stansfield, will present the life, songs, good works, and readings from the autobiography of John Denver. Attendees will remember his earlier portrayals of Enos Mills and Dr. Charles Fox Gardiner.

1943—1997



1868—1934

July 28: Poet Robin Izer –latest book: *Wisdom Haiku*, will present Mary Austin. Robin has given us Mary Oliver, Emily Dickinson and Gretel Ehrlich in past seasons.



1907—1977

August 25: Ava Heinrichsdorff, retired English chair of Colorado Springs School and leader of nature/writing retreats at Rocky Mountain National Park, will present Loren Easley.

