



# The Creative Writer

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## Members practice social distancing

Our March 16<sup>th</sup> meeting was cancelled due to the CDC recommendations concerning the current Covid-19 virus. Member Kim Vernon Rodgers emailed information regarding formatting for contests, including a list of contests for the upcoming Arkansas Writers Conference, the rules for those contests, and a sample of a cover sheet and an entry. Since that time, AWC has rescheduled their conference to August 1, 2020. They have also extended the contest deadline to May 23, 2020.

**Homework** for April was to write an entry for one of the AWC contests listed, and bring it to the next meeting in proper format, ready to be judged. Members were encouraged to actually enter their piece in a contest, and hopefully write more and enter several contests. But if a member didn't want to pay the entry fee for the AWC contests, writing entries is excellent practice, and all were encouraged to do so.

### *The Creative Writer*

is a monthly newsletter for the White County Creative Writers of Searcy, Ark.

If you have news stories or photos to share, send them to [del.garrett.s0ke@gmail.com](mailto:del.garrett.s0ke@gmail.com). Deadline for reader submission is seven days prior to each month's meeting. WCCW reserves the right to edit all submissions.

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**Check out the WCCW website for a list of contests for our conference.**

**Until we meet again:** I hope you are all are doing well. It is a crazy time right now. I would encourage you to take care of yourselves, physically and mentally. If you are writing, please share your successes with the rest of us. Reach out to fellow members and let's encourage and support each other.

**Next meeting:**

**April 2020**

**Meeting is cancelled.**

**We hope to be able to meet in May  
And if not, we will attempt to schedule  
a Zoom meeting.**