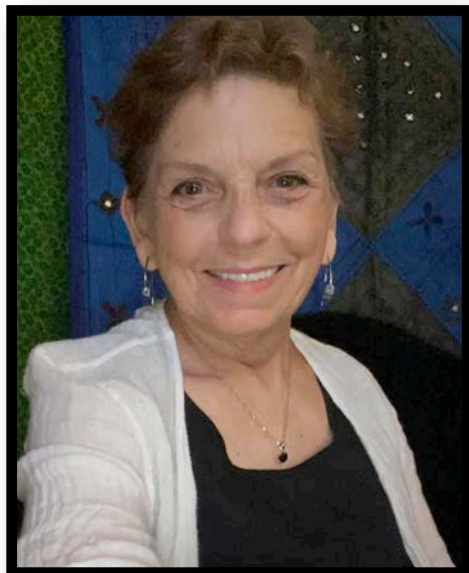




NOVEMBER 2021 NEWSLETTER

A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT



"My gripe is not with lovers of the truth but with truth herself. What succor, what consolation is there in truth, compared to a story? What good is truth, at midnight, in the dark, when the wind is roaring like a bear in the chimney? When the lightning strikes shadows on the bedroom wall and the rain taps at the window with its long fingernails?"

No. When fear and cold make a statue of you in your bed, don't expect hard-boned and fleshless truth to come running to your aid. What you need are the plump comforts of a story. The soothing, rocking safety of a lie."

Diane Setterfield,
The Thirteenth Tale

Hello my friends,

Happy Thanksgiving to all of you. It is a time to be with family and share stories. October was a scary month this year. There were so many storytelling programs on Zoom this year that were frightening. There were ghosts, witches, and vampires galore. Even MO-TELL proved to have a very scary program. We held a virtual concert on Zoom on October 16 th with tellers Bobby Norfolk, Sherry Norfolk and Ken Wolfe. The stories were so scary one of the audience members contacted me immediately following the concert with a message "The storytellers were great. I do think I may watch a Hallmark movie before I try to sleep tonight." I can't wait until next year's Halloween program.

Speaking of programs, MO-TELL is gearing up for Tellabration! A Night of Storytelling for Adults. The date is November 19. The time is 7 pm. The storytellers are Lee Giezentanner, Sue Hinkel and Angela Williams.

Tellabration! We are a part of a something big! See you there.

(See more on Tellabration on the next page.)

TELLABRATION!™

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J.G.
"Paw-paw"
Pinkerton



IN 1988, I DREAMED OF HAVING A NIGHT EACH YEAR WHEN STORYTELLERS IN EACH COMMUNITY GOT TOGETHER AND TOLD STORIES TO THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS.

I CALLED THE IDEA TELLABRATION!™

FRIENDS OF STORYTELLING LIKED THE IDEA AND BEGAN MAKING IT HAPPEN. EACH YEAR THE CIRCLE OF FRIENDS HAS GROWN AND NOW TELLABRATION!™ HAPPENS ALL ACROSS AMERICA AS WELL AS IN OTHER LANDS. I AM ONLY THE MAN WHO HAD THE IDEA... IT IS THE FRIENDS OF STORYTELLING WHO HAVE MADE THE EVENT A SUCCESS. HUNDREDS OF TELLERS TELLING TO THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE. MAY WHAT THE TELLERS SHARE BRING JOY TO MANY PEOPLE AND MAY THE LISTENERS COME TO KNOW THAT...THROUGH STORYTELLING, WE CAN DRAW CLOSER TOGETHER IN PEACE... AND IN FRIENDSHIP... AND IN LOVE.

STORYTELLING REACHES AROUND THE WORLD AND ACROSS ALL GENERATIONS... REMINDING US OF OUR COMMON HUMANITY. I KNOW STORYTELLING CREATES EXPERIENCES... AND ... SHARED EXPERIENCES ARE THE BASIS OF ALL RELATIONSHIPS. MY BEST WISHES GO WITH ALL WHO JOIN IN THIS COMMON ENDEAVOR.

NATIONAL STORYTELLING NETWORK



PRESENTS

Tellabration!™

A NIGHT OF STORYTELLING FOR ADULTS

NOVEMBER 19TH, 7PM

FEATURING THE NARRATIVE MAGNIFICENCE OF:



Lee Giezantanner



Sue Hinkel



Angela Williams

LOOK FOR AN EMAIL FROM MO-TELL WITH ZOOM LINKS AND PASS CODES.

FALL IS FALLING

CATCH THE LEAVES IN YOUR
FINE MO-TELL GARMENTS!

MERCH!
GEAR!

SWAG!
Loot!

CAPS - \$20

BAGS - \$5

LONG-SLEEVED
T-SHIRTS - \$20

*We've heard it all before...
we rejoice in the retelling!*

WWW.MO-TELL.ORG



MUG - \$20

MO-TELL MEMBER OF THE MONTH



Allen De Bay

I live in Osborne Kansas. I work at Osborne Industries building and repairing electronics for pigs, and other animals. The electronics help keep track of food intake, weight, ventilation, and heat pad controls. My hobbies include collecting stamps, coins, storytelling albums (my collection now includes over five hundred), and paranormal investigations.

I am interested in learning about all kinds of storytelling and storytellers. I study storytellers to help find storytellers for the Kansas Storytelling Festival, and sometimes recommend them to other festivals. My interest in storytelling started by watching storytellers at the Kansas Storytelling Festival. I now go to all the festivals in Nebraska and Missouri when I am not busy with acting in plays, lighting and sound effects at school plays, being President of the Downs Lions Club and other hobbies. Creating a network of collaboration between multiple festivals is also one of my interests that I work on to help the storytelling community.

It is important to be part of storytelling organizations like MO-TELL to help support storytelling, learn about events and opportunities to perform in live or online events, learn more about storytelling and make connections with people in the storytelling field.

Since I have primarily been a tall tale/liar's storyteller and Bil Lepp was at the first contest that I ever competed in he was one of my early influences. When I was at the National Storytelling Festival, I performed at the National Storytelling Festival swapping grounds I performed in a style like Bil Lepp where somebody pointed that out. That's when I realized there is already a real Bil Lepp. Why do I want to try to be another Bil when I can be me? Although I still tell stories in some storyteller's styles when I am working on a story when I am on stage, I try to just be me. When I am working on creating imagery, I often think about how Laura Packer would describe something. If I am working on the timing of a story I often think about where Donald Davis would put pauses in the story. When I am adapting a story as I am studying an audience, I think how Tim Lowry or Ed Stivender would change the story to create a more interactive experience for the audience.

One of my favorite stories is "The Cracked Pot" because it shows how imperfection can create beauty. Since you asked, one of my favorite Halloween jokes is:

Q: What is the safest way to pay for creepy Halloween decorations on the internet?

A: Always use cryptocurrency.

My favorite holiday is the 4th of July because I enjoy blowing things up with my family. My favorite holiday memories are of Thanksgiving because that is when the most family members would come back, and I always enjoyed the family stories that would be told and to catch up with all the things that happened during the year.

My last favorite vacation, my friends from Michigan came and picked me up and we explored a Bishop Castle made by one man in Colorado, went hiking and seeing the Grand Canyon, Horseshoe Bend, Bryce Canyon National Park, and Zion National Park.

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FOR YOUR FRIDGE

STORIES, GATHERINGS, AND STORY GATHERINGS
AROUND OUR FAIR STATE.

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HERE

GATEWAY NOVEMBER 2021

Gateway Storytellers -

We're going Bi Monthly
Every third Tuesday beginning in
January of 2022.
We will meet in December.
We encourage everyone to attend the
Kansas City Storytelling
Celebration next week.

RAPS

NOVEMBER 2021

RAPS Meetings for November 2021 for MO- TELL Newsletter.

Thursday November 4, 2021
Meeting Cancelled for KC
Storytelling Celebration

Saturday November 13, 2021, 2:00
pm – Second Saturday Meeting
Featured Teller: Lorraine Darnell
Story Theme: The Turkey Stared
Me In the Eye.

Saturday October 23, 2021
Meeting Cancelled for Thanksgiving

Thursday December 2, 2021 7:00
pm – First Thursday Meeting
If all goes well, RAPS first hybrid
meeting
(In person **AND** on Zoom)

If not on RAPS Mailing List,
Contact: [RAPS.Secretary@gmail.co](mailto:RAPS.Secretary@gmail.com)
[m](#) for additional info and Zoom
links.

TELLABRATION! (TM)

In Kansas City, MO



Discussion of Study

River and Prairie Songweaver

Saturday, November 20, 2021

7:00 PM (CST) on Zoom

The event is free, but registration is required.

Donations are welcome!

Join us on Zoom:

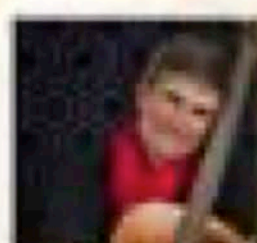
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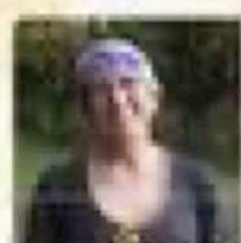
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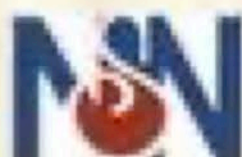


PLATE 10
SYNOPSIS
PLATE 11

TILLAMATION™ began in 1987 when Connecticut yarn spinner, J.G. Pickerton, launches his vision of a night of storytelling for adults. Since then **TILLAMATION™** sites have joined hands around the world with over 100 sites spinning stories to thousands of story listeners. **TILLAMATION™** is a trademarked program of the National Storytelling Network.





22nd Annual Kansas City Storytelling Celebration Nov. 3-6, 2021

Mid-Continent Public Library has created a virtual celebration that offers the public, as well as schools, daycare centers, and care facilities the chance to enjoy performances by regional and national storytellers.

To find a full schedule of programs or request a free link to access more than 15 recorded storytelling programs for your school or organization, visit mymcpl.org/storytelling-celebration.

Featured storytellers...



Carol Birch



***Mitchell Capel
"Gran'daddy Junebug"***



Eth-Noh-Tec



Leeny Del Seamonds

Regional storytellers...

Heather Harlen

Mike & Nancee Micham

Deb Swanegan

Ric Vice

Jackie & Papa Wright

LaRita Wright

Visit mymcpl.org/storytelling-Celebration for a storyteller bios, program schedule, & to request link to our free Storyteller Program Playlist.



For 22 years, the Kansas City Storytelling Celebration has brought nationally- and regionally-known storytellers to libraries, schools, day cares, community centers, and assisted living centers to ignite interest in the art of sharing stories—from the mythical to the personal—to people of all ages.

This year, Mid-Continent Public Library has created a virtual celebration, November 3-6, to continue this tradition through online resources and social media platforms. The 2021 Kansas City Storytelling Celebration will conclude on Saturday, November 6 with a day of virtual storytelling workshops and concerts. If you are interested in hosting a virtual storytelling program for your school, classroom, community or care center, please [fill out the request form](#) to receive a private YouTube link for a virtual program. Links to programming will be valid from November 3-17. (Links will be sent out beginning Nov. 2)

Please feel free to share the link to this form with others in your organization. If you have questions, please email speterson-davis@mymcpl.org.

2021 KC Storytelling Celebration

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Tales of a Clever Cook, a Fast Fox, and a Clingy Coffin \(MCPL360\)](#) |

Mon, Nov 1, 2021 - 7:00pm

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: A Freedom Ride and a Haunted Journey \(MCPL360\)](#) |

Tue, Nov 2, 2021 - 7:00pm

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Performance Options & Opportunities \(Zoom\)](#) |

Wed, Nov 3, 2021 - 6:30pm

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Let's Laugh A LOT! \(MCPL360\)](#) |

Thu, Nov 4, 2021 - 10:00am

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Becoming a Storyteller with Mitch Capel \(Zoom\)](#) |

Thu, Nov 4, 2021 - 6:30pm

[VIEW ALL EVENTS](#)

SEE KC EVENTS BELOW

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Tales of a Clever Cook, a Fast Fox, and a Clingy Coffin \(MCPL360\)](#)

Mon, Nov 1 2021

7:00pm - 7:30pm Central

Virtual Event

Join storytellers Papa and Jackie Wright for their take on three classic tales—Clever Gretel, Proud Fox, and Stop the Coffin!

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: A Freedom Ride and a Haunted Journey \(MCPL360\)](#)

Tue, Nov 2 2021

7:00pm - 7:45pm Central

Virtual Event

Join storyteller Deb Swanegan as she tells the story of a modern day pilgrimage to the Underground Railroad and the tale of a haunted trip on the Doodlebug train. For adults.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Performance Options & Opportunities \(Zoom\)](#)

Wed, Nov 3 2021

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

There's story, performance, and biz-ness. So, we'll examine matching venues and audiences for your storytelling content and style.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Let's Laugh A LOT! \(MCPL360\)](#)

Thu, Nov 4 2021

10:00am - 10:30am Central

Virtual Event

Time for some silly stories and songs from storyteller Heather Harlan. Sing a song about ketchup and join in the story about the Monkey and Two Cats. Sometimes you just need to get giggling!

EVENT DETAILS

Northeast Storytelling Presents Our Annual Conference, Sharing the Fire
at the Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside Hotel, NH:

"Imagining Our Power"

SAVE THE DATE MARCH 25-27 2022

With Keynote Speaker and Storyteller: Megan Wells

Call for Proposals are open! Have a skill you want to share? A program on methodology you're excited about? Knowledge you want to expound upon to help others? A fabulous story you want to share at the Olio? Please use the link provided below to submit your Workshop and Olio proposals.

- Deadline For Workshop and Intensive Proposals is November 15,2021.**
- Deadline For Olio Proposals is November 20,2021.**

Sharing the Fire Call for Proposals

"Megan Wells is an award-winning and nationally-respected professional storyteller who has enthralled audiences for more than 40 years. This extensive experience has allowed Megan to develop a vast repertoire of engaging stories, including traditional tales, multicultural myths, historical retellings, and even some personal stories from her own life. Regardless of the story she's telling, Megan's passion and energy bring the words to life in front of your eyes."

Visit Megan's Website

We're so excited to see you in 2022, in New Hampshire!

[REGISTER NOW](#)

MEANWHILE, BACK AT THE STORY CENTER...

[Storytelling Certificate Celebration: Oral Storytelling \(ZOOM\)](#)

Sat, Dec 4 2021

10:30am - 12:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

Storytelling Certificate Celebration: Oral Storytelling Join The Story Center and Metropolitan Community College as we recognize the participants that have earned their certificate from The Oral Stor

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[Story Swap \(ZOOM\)](#)

Thu, Dec 16 2021

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

An open-mic storytelling event that's open to anyone! Put your name in the hat for a chance to share a seven-minute story, or just come to enjoy the show.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[Performance Basics \(ZOOM\)](#)

Mon, Jan 10 2022

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

In this interactive workshop, discover how to unleash your potential and connect with your audience. Attendees will practice vocal projection, movement, pacing, and tips for combating stage fright.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[Story Swap \(ZOOM\)](#)

Thu, Jan 20 2022

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

[2021 KC Storytelling Celebration: Performance Options & Opportunities \(Zoom\)](#)

Wed, Nov 3 2021

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

There's story, performance, and biz-ness. So, we'll examine matching venues and audiences for your storytelling content and style.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[Story Swap \(ZOOM\)](#)

Thu, Nov 18 2021

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

An open-mic storytelling event that's open to anyone! Put your name in the hat for a chance to share a seven-minute story, or just come to enjoy the show.

EVENT DETAILS

[REGISTER NOW](#)

[Resources for Storytellers \(ZOOM\)](#)

Mon, Nov 29 2021

6:30pm - 8:00pm Central

Story Center Event

Virtual Event

It takes various tools to become a seasoned storyteller, including books, websites, organizations, and more.

EVENT DETAILS

THAT'S RIGHT. LURE 'EM IN WITH THE FOOD.

NOW YOU'VE GOT AN AUDIENCE.

KEEP 'EM THERE WITH STORIES.

Happy Thanksgiving!

from your friends at



Story of the Month

MERCURY AND THE WOODMAN

A Woodman was felling a tree on the bank of a river, when his axe, glancing off the trunk, flew out of his hands and fell into the water. As he stood by the water's edge lamenting his loss, Mercury appeared and asked him the reason for his grief; and on learning what had happened, out of pity for his distress he dived into the river and, bringing up a golden axe, asked him if that was the one he had lost. The Woodman replied that it was not, and Mercury then dived a second time, and, bringing up a silver axe, asked if that was his.

"No, that is not mine either," said the Woodman.

Once more Mercury dived into the river and brought up the missing axe. The Woodman was overjoyed at recovering his property and thanked his benefactor warmly; and the latter was so pleased with his honesty that he made him a present of the other two axes. When the Woodman told the story to his companions, one of these was filled with envy of his good fortune and determined to try his luck for himself.

So, he went and began to fell a tree at the edge of the river, and presently contrived to let his axe drop into the water. Mercury appeared as before, and, on learning that his axe had fallen in, he dived and brought up a golden axe, as he had done on the previous occasion. Without waiting to be asked whether it was his or not the fellow cried, "That's mine, that's mine," and stretched out his hand eagerly for the prize: but Mercury was so disgusted at his dishonesty that he not only declined to give him the golden axe, but also refused to recover for him the one he had let fall into the stream.

Honesty is the best policy.

MO-TELL SWAG CAUGHT IN THE WILD!

WANNA BE IN THE NEWSLETTER?
WEAR YOUR MO-TELL GEAR OUT IN THE WORLD!



TAKE A SNAP AND SEND TO:

MOTELLNEWS@GMAIL.COM

AND THE SUBJECT LINE: SWAGTRAVELS

JOIN & THRIVE!

HERE'S HOW...

RAPS

River and Prairie Storyweavers (RAPS)
Dues: \$25 per year for Individual (\$35 per year for Family - any number)

Membership gives you access to a supportive audience for gaining storytelling experience, and makes you part of a group of really nice storytelling supporters. Requests to RAPS for storytellers are only shared with RAPS Members. Membership also gives you the opportunity to serve on the RAPS board and set the direction of future RAPS endeavors.

Contact: RAPS.secretary@gmail.com

Mail dues to: RAPS Treasurer
c/o Alice Nathan

840 NW North Ridge Ct.
Blue Springs, MO 64015

Website: [https://](https://www.riverandprairiestoryweavers.org/)

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Facebook: [https://www.facebook.com/](https://www.facebook.com/raps.storyweavers)

[raps.storyweavers](https://www.facebook.com/raps.storyweavers)

Meeting times: 1st Thursday of each month - 7:00 pm
2nd Saturday of each month - 2:00 pm

GATEWAY

Website: gatewaystorytellers.wordpress.com

Membership, February 1- January 31

Annual dues-\$25

Send to:

**Robert Jensen,
3413 Rand Ln.,
Belleville, IL 62226**

rmjensen1016@gmail.com

Monthly meeting-Third Tuesday of each month, 7:00 PM

Bi-monthly mini workshops and feature teller slots

Membership includes participating in and telling on our monthly Story Slams

NATIONAL STORYTELLING NETWORK LONG-TERM EVENT CALENDAR

- APRIL 10: **EARTH UP** (WEEKEND: WORKSHOPS, PERFORMANCES, SLAM, FRINGE, MASTER CLASS, SOCIAL TIME, PANEL DISCUSSIONS, SHOWCASES & KID SCHOOL PROGRAM) APPLICATIONS OPEN JANUARY 2021
- MAY 15: **CAUGHT IN A BIND** (SLAM + FRINGE)
- JUNE 12: **AMPLIFY** (SLAM + FRINGE)
- **JULY 21-25, 2021 NSN'S 'CONNECTED' VIRTUAL CONFERENCE & FESTIVAL** - MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW! APPLICATIONS COMING SOON.
- AUGUST 21 - **HOT** (SLAM + FRINGE)
- SEPTEMBER 18 - **SCHOOLED** (SLAM + FRINGE)
- OCTOBER 22-24 - **SPOOKED** (WEEKEND)
- NOVEMBER 13 - **STUFFING** (SLAM + FRINGE)
- DECEMBER 11 - **LIGHT** (SLAM + FRINGE + FAMILY SHOW)



FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION



OCTOBER 24TH, 1901

ANNIE EDSON TAYLOR, AN AMERICAN SCHOOLTEACHER, CELEBRATED HER 63RD BIRTHDAY BY HURLING OVER THE NIAGARA FALLS IN A BARREL.

IMAGINE THE LEVEL OF DEDICATION AND COMMITMENT IT TOOK TO BE PUSHED AWAY FROM THE SAFE SHORES OF THE NIAGARA RIVER TOWARD THE WATERY, SILENT PRECIPICE INTO THE ROARING FALLS.

SHE MADE HER DECISION. SHE STUCK WITH IT IN THE BOBBING, DARK CONFINES OF A SEALED BARREL.

SHE WAS THE VERY FIRST PERSON TO EVER SURVIVE THE EXPERIENCE.

FAME WAS HERS (SADLY, FORTUNE DIDN'T QUITE FOLLOW.)

LET US ALL ADMIRE TAYLOR'S ABILITY TO COMMIT TO A CAUSE IN WHICH SHE BELIEVED.

YES, LET US ALL DWELL WITH ADMIRATION FOR A LONG, DWELLING, ADMIRING MOMENT...

AND NOW, QUITE DELIBERATELY, A SHORT MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT ABOUT A MUCH EASIER COMMITMENT:

WE MISS SEEING YOU IN PERSON. EVEN THOUGH WE ARE UNABLE TO GATHER IN PERSON, WE HAVE ENJOYED STORYTELLING OPPORTUNITIES VIRTUALLY. WE HOPE YOU WILL CONSIDER RENEWING YOUR MEMBERSHIP WITH US. SOME OF THE BENEFITS OFFERED TO OUR MEMBERS ARE AS FOLLOWS?

1. MISSOURI STATE PARKS STORYTELLING OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FUTURE
 2. MISSOURI LIAR'S CONTEST
 3. WEB SITE PRESENCE FOR STORYTELLERS
 4. MONTHLY STORYTELLING PROGRAMS
 5. NATIONAL STORYTELLING NETWORK AFFILIATION
 6. A WORLD CLASS NEWSLETTER
 7. ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
 8. CONNECTION TO THE OTHER STORYTELLING ORGANIZATIONS IN THE REGION
- THIS YEAR WE ARE ALSO OFFERING A MO-TELL BAG FOR ALL NEW AND RENEWED MEMBERSHIPS. SOON WE WILL HAVE LONG SLEEVED T-SHIRTS, HATS AND BAGS FOR SALE.

SO, FALL TO THE NEXT PAGE FOR MORE DETAILS!

(WHICH IS STILL EASIER THAN MS. TAYLOR'S FEAT.)

THE MO-TELL BILL OF FARE

OFTEN IMITATED, NEVER DUPLICATED

MEMBERSHIP DUES AND GIFTS

FISCAL YEAR, FEBRUARY 1-JANUARY 31

MEMBERSHIP	ANNUAL DUES	GIFTS
SINGLE MEMBERSHIP 1 YEAR	\$25	LOGO BAG (1)
SINGLE MEMBERSHIP 2 YEARS	\$40	LOGO BAG (2)
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP 1 YEAR	\$35	LOGO BAG (1)
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP 2 YEARS	\$50	LOGO BAG (2)
LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP -60	\$250	LOGO BAG <i>PLUS</i> MEMBER'S CHOICE OF ONE: (CAP) (T-SHIRT) (LOGO MUG)
LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP 60+	\$200	LOGO BAG <i>PLUS</i> MEMBER'S CHOICE OF ONE: (CAP) (T-SHIRT) (LOGO MUG)

SEND CHECK PAYABLE TO:

MO-TELL
C/O
SUE HINKEL
2236 HIGHWAY N
PACIFIC, MO 63069



OR PAY VIA MO-TELL'S PAYPAL ACCOUNT: SUEHINKEL1@GMAIL.COM

THE BENEFITS YOU RECEIVE FOR YOUR ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP:

1. MISSOURI STATE PARKS STORYTELLING OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FUTURE
2. MISSOURI LIAR'S CONTEST
3. WEB SITE PRESENCE FOR STORYTELLERS
4. MONTHLY STORYTELLING PROGRAMS
5. LOADS OF MERCH (HATS, CAPS, CLIPS, MUGS, BAGS, AND WHATNOT!)
6. NATIONAL STORYTELLING NETWORK AFFILIATION
7. A WORLD CLASS NEWSLETTER (HUZZAH!)
8. ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING (AND A VOICE THEREIN!)
9. CONNECTION TO THE OTHER STORYTELLING ORGANIZATIONS IN THE REGION

THIS YEAR WE ARE ALSO OFFERING:

A MO-TELL LOGO BAG FOR ALL NEW AND RENEWED MEMBERSHIPS, YOU LUCKY LUCKSTERS, YOU!

JANUARY-ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

FEBRUARY-JUNE, AUGUST-DECEMBER- MONTHLY PROGRAMS

JULY-THE ANNUAL MISSOURI STATE LIAR'S CONTEST

WHY WE DO WHAT WE DO

Missouri Storytelling, Inc (MO-TELL) is an organization of storytellers and other interested persons dedicated to spreading the joy and art of storytelling throughout Missouri.

MISSION STATEMENT

We envision that every Missourian will hear and share stories and keep the oral tradition alive.

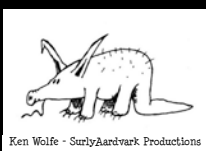
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