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Creative Writing Workshop for High School Students at ABAC May 30

TIFTON – High school students who want to improve their creative writing skills can attend a summer writing workshop on May 30 sponsored by the Department of Literature and Languages in the School of Liberal Arts at Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College.

Pulitzer Prize nominated novelist Janice Daugharty, who is ABAC’s Writer-in-Residence, headlines the workshop which will also feature Dr. Jeff Newberry and Dr. Sandra Giles from the ABAC faculty. Newberry serves as the ABAC Poet-in-Residence, and Giles is an accomplished essayist.

The workshop runs from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. in the Academic Achievement Center located on the first floor of the Carlton Center on the ABAC campus. It will feature several guest speakers and various creative exercises.

All types of writing including poetry, fiction, and non-fiction will be showcased in the workshop, which is available at a cost of $20 per person. Breakfast, lunch, and a t-shirt are included in the cost of the event. Students are encouraged to bring their own writings as well as a notebook or laptop.
To register for this workshop, students can go to www.abac.edu/academics/schools?liberal-arts. Payment can be made online or via check made payable to ABAC Department of Literature and Languages. Checks can be sent to Dr. Jordan Cofer, c/o Summer Writing Workshop, ABAC, 2802 Moore Hwy., Tifton, GA 31793.

For more information on this workshop, interested persons can contact Cofer at 229-391-4971 or Newberry at 229-391-4972. They can also be reached via e-mail at jcofer@abac.edu or jnewberry@abac.edu.