

## ***'Words and Wild Places'***



***A creative writing project funded by the Arts Council through the National Lottery and LEADER in the Shropshire Hills.***

**'Words and Wild Places'** is a creative writing project, which very much emphasises the arts, creativity and the natural environment, for people who would not normally engage with the arts.

The project also aims to reinforce people's connection with the arts and to encourage further involvement beyond the life of the project, thus leaving a legacy.

The Writing workshops will take place in the following six areas: Lydbury North and Bishop's Castle area, Bettws y Crwyn, Chapel Lawn and Clun area, Ludlow and Clee Hill area, Craven Arms, Cardington, Rushbury and Hope Bowdler area and the Wenlock area.

**Paul Evans, writer, radio broadcaster and leader of 'Words and Wild Places' will take us on trips to special sites where he will help us to look at our surroundings and use words imaginatively to create a unique piece of writing.**

**"The workshop will welcome and support everyone to write about our special landscapes", said Paul.**

**Free of charge**

**Booking essential**



**A £10 refundable deposit is required when booking, places limited.  
No prior experience of creative writing required**



### ***Workshops arranged so far:***

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September.** 10-4pm ***'Words and Wild Places'***, Friends of The Shropshire Hills and Paul Evans, writer, broadcaster and naturalist will be exploring Sacred Spaces in Corvedale to begin a writing project. Contact Catherine Murphy on 01568 611154 or [info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk)

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> October.** 10-4pm ***'Words and Wild Places'***, Lydbury North and Bishop's Castle. Join Paul Evans, writer, broadcaster and naturalist for a guided walk leading to guided writing, inspired by Bury Ditches Hill fort. Contact Catherine Murphy on 01568 611154 or [info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk)

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November** 10 –4pm '**Words and Wild Places**', Newcastle on Clun. Join Paul Evans, writer, broadcaster and naturalist for a guided walk and guided writing, inspired by special features in the Bettws y Crwyn and Mainstone areas. Contact Catherine Murphy on 01568 611154 or [info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk)

**Sunday 5th February** 10am – 4pm '**Words and Wild Places**', Rushbury and Cardington. Join Paul Evans, writer and radio broadcaster, on a trip to special sites in the area. Contact Sue cooper on 01568 611154 or [info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:info@cfga.fsnet.co.uk)

Coming soon, further '**Words and Wild Places**' in Little Wenlock and Clee Hill

