



St. Louis Writers Guild's Workshop For Writers

Spotlight: *We're Pleased to Present...*



Mary Menke, Author of Zero Time

Mary Menke kicks off the 2012 season of Workshops for Writers!

Editing/Proofreading: A Do-it-Yourself Job?

Date: Saturday, January 7, 2012

Time: 10am-Noon

At The Kirkwood Community Center, Kirkwood, MO

Free for members, \$5 for non-members

Mary Menke, writer, editor, and teacher, started WordAbilities, providing writing and editing services to businesses and individuals in 2006. At the January 7 workshop, Mary will discuss how to decide if you need an editor, what to expect from one, and how to edit your own manuscript. She will also discuss the challenges and fulfillment of editing SLWG's brand-new anthology, *St. Louis Reflections*.

Workshop participants are encouraged to bring in up to two pages of their recent work, with time allotted at the end of the workshop to edit each other's efforts.

Mary Menke

Mary is a graduate of St. Louis University (B.S. Communications/Journalism) and Lindenwood University (MBA). A former business writing and communication trainer for SkillPath Seminars, she is an adjunct instructor at Ranken Technical College (Fundamentals of Composition, Oral Communication, Job Search Success) and University of Phoenix (University Composition and Communication I and II). She has been a member of St. Louis Writers Guild since 2001 and served as Vice-President, Operations for six years.