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Geneva, Switzerland

LIBRARY IN ENGLISH

Writers' Workshop

Next Meeting September 16, 2022
at 10:30

at:

Lieu: The Reading Room L.I.E. premises
3, rue de Monthoux

Assignment: Ghost Stories

Leader: Marlene

As the repairs to the Library's Reading Room due to water damage have not yet been completed, we had to revert to meeting at Fruitties. Future meetings will be held there until further notice of the state of the Reading Room. We ordered our tea and settled down in comfort for our meeting.

In attendance was **Rose**, (leader)
Marlene (secretary) with
apologies from **Zinat**.



Business:

Rose confirmed that the Library has relaxed the restrictions and the main entrance is now available to all. Masks are not required.

The Library's opening hours for returns and lending: 12:30 to 16:00. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Wednesdays 10:00 to 16:00 and Sundays, 11:30 to 13:00, Monday and Friday closed.

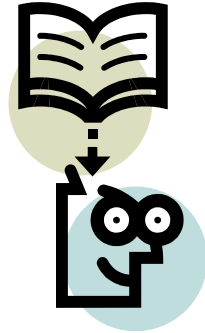
Marlene advised that the group received an e-mail from Paul Murgatroyd providing us with a web address: xrcreative.org to which we could submit work in aid of the planet.

As there was no further business to attend to, we proceeded to reading our pieces on 'Lost and Fount'.

Reading:

Rose read her piece 'Where is it?'. Like in any marriage Walter's long-suffering wife, Fay, was at the end of her tether for any attention from her preoccupied husband. His chores ended up with her and his forgetfulness became a problem. One day he forgot his briefcase on the train and a visit to the Lost Property Office, who luckily found it without delay. This loss made him realise that he had shut out his wife who deserved his love and attention. With a kiss they found their deep connection again.

Marlene wrote a short 'Forever' which followed the friendship of two 6-year-old girls right through their school years and University. They experienced all the sleepovers, ups and downs of teenage romance and the heartbreak of separation during the last years of high school. After completing their education, each went their own way, inevitably losing touch. Thirty years later a near collision in a supermarket with their trolleys, they came face to face and recognised each other. They reconnected over lunch the next day as if no time had passed.

**Future Dates & Assignments:**

You will be advised of any date changes from those listed below before the end of the year. We list the leaders and proposed optional assignments for **2022**:

Secretary: Marlene Jeanrenaud

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Sept 16 Ghost Stories – Marlene

Oct 21 Autumn – Rose

Nov 18 Year's End - Marlene

December no meeting