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**ARIA Returns with “Anthology Night: A New Author Showcase and Book Signing Event”  
on Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 9:00 PM hosted by Borealis Coffee Company,  
500 Wood Street, Bristol, RI**

The Association of Rhode Island Authors (ARIA) is pleased to work with the Borealis Coffee Company of Bristol, RI to present a public event featuring selected readings from our eight published Anthologies. These authors will also discuss their own books and accomplishments; with time set aside for Q&A, book signings and sales.

Here are our Featured Authors and their works:

Norman Desmarias, a Professor Emeritus from Providence College, has authored several books about the early history of Rhode Island. He will read *Raids at Narragansett* from Shoreline.

East Providence native, Ed Taylor is the author of “Drop”, a young adult novel about school classmates. He will be presenting his short story, *Bittersweet* from Under the Thirteenth Star.

The multi-talented Angelina Singer has authored six novels of the young adult, new adult romance and science fiction genres. She will be reading *The Pact* from Selections.

Barbara Ann Whitman will be reading *My Secret* from Past, Present and Future. She is the author of “Have Mercy”, a young adult fiction novel.

East Providence resident, Belle DeCosta has written four literary fiction novels and a memoir. She will be presenting *An Introduction* from Hope.

Kevin Duarte’s timely thriller “Seeker of the Eclipse” is currently circulating with agents. He will be reading *The Fourth Quadrant* from Green.



Kara Marziali writes children's books and short stories. She will be presenting *A Flurry of Memories* from Iconic Rhode Island.

Deb Zanelli has authored eight horror-crime/science fiction novels. The most recent is being debuted tonight! She will be reading *Ghosts* from In a Dark Time.

This event is free to the public. Borealis offers coffee, food items and alcoholic beverages for purchase. We will be providing audience-style seating for 40-50 people; additional seating will also be available.

PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE STARTING AT 6:30 PM ON THE EVENING OF MAY 9TH.