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"IT'S NOT ALL ABOUT JACK: STRONG WOMEN IN APPALACHIAN FOLKTALES"

September 8th, 2020 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Dr. Tina Hanlon will present "It's Not All About Jack: Strong Women in Appalachian Folktales."

The folktales in our region and around the world that are best known in books and films traditionally focused on adventurous male heroes (such as Jack defeating giants) and passive girls rescued by princes (such as Snow White). Tina Hanlon will discuss tales from Appalachian oral traditions in which the brave and clever heroes are girls and women. Some of them appear in contemporary novels, films, and dramas as well, including adaptations written at Ferrum by Rex Stephenson.

Dr. Tina L. Hanlon is a Professor of English at Ferrum College. Her BA is from Gettysburg College and her MA and PhD in English from The Ohio State University. Since 1993 she has been studying, teaching, and writing about Appalachian folktales and children's literature through a variety of courses at Ferrum and the Hollins summer graduate programs in children's literature. She has worked with Rex Stephenson (who started Ferrum's Jack Tale Players 45 years ago this fall) and Emily and Rachel Blankenship-Tucker on their adaptations of tales with strong female characters. In 2000 she created the web site AppLit: Resources for Readers and Teachers of Appalachian Literature for Children and Young Adults (www2.ferrum.edu/AppLit).

Please join us for a great program, fellowship, and invite a friend!

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(To register, please complete this form and return it to the Center by September 4th)

Name _____ Spouse/Guest _____
(Please include the Rev., Dr., Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss)

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime Telephone Number _____ Email Address _____

Mobile Phone Number _____

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NEW INFORMATION!



To make a reservation, please return the form at the bottom of the first page, call the office at (540)-483-1518, or email PNCenter@gmail.com. Please make your reservations the Friday before the event. If you have questions about how to access Zoom, please call (540)-483-1518. **Check in on Zoom is at 9:45 a.m.** There is **NO CHARGE** for attending by Zoom.

For those coming to the Center:

Please arrive at McCauley Hall for a coffee social at 9:30 a.m. prior to the event. The event will start at 10:00 a.m., and it will be **HOSTED VIA ZOOM**. Lunch starts at approximately 1:00 p.m. Lunch is \$10.00 per person. We will be practicing social distancing with a new McCauley Hall CLL layout as pictured. **YOU MUST** call ahead and make a reservation if

you plan to attend the CLL in person at Phoebe Needles Center. We will use information on how many are coming to create safe social distances for everyone. Wearing a mask is **REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES** and may be removed for eating.

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