



# Happy Birthday, Edgar



## with The New England Horror Writers

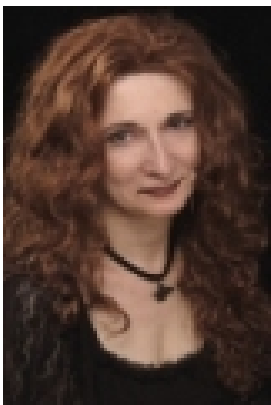
Celebrate the birthday of Edgar Allen Poe in macabre style with the New England Horror Writers on January 19. Daniel G. Keohane, author of *Solomon's Grave*; Morven Westfield, author of vampire novels *Darksome Thirst* and *The Old Power Returns*; and, Tracy Carbone, author of the young adult thriller *Man of Mystery Hill*, will share their preternatural insights on the dark art of horror writing.



**Dan Keohane's** debut novel, *Solomon's Grave*, was released last year and was a finalist for the international Bram Stoker Award. His short stories have been published over the years in such magazines and anthologies as Cemetery Dance, Shroud Magazine, Apex Science Fiction, Fantastic Stories and many others. He is also the co-chair of the New England Horror Writers organization. His website can be found at [www.dankeohane.com](http://www.dankeohane.com).

**Tracy Carbone** lives in Massachusetts and writes in her spare time, mostly late at night or on the train commuting to her day job. *The Man of Mystery Hill: An Abby McNabb Mystery* is Tracy's first children's novel but she has sold several short stories in the US and Canada. Tracy enjoys spending time with her daughter Abigail, on whom the character Abby McNabb is based. Please visit her website for more details about her writing or to contact the author.

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A vampire fan since she saw her first Hammer film, **Morven Westfield** is the author of two vampire novels (*Darksome Thirst* and *The Old Power Returns*) and a vampire-themed short story in the Northern Haunts anthology. She is the webmaster for New England Horror Writers (NEHW) and a board member of Broad Universe, an international organization that promotes science fiction, fantasy, and horror written by women. Morven lives in Massachusetts with her husband, a pragmatist who is amused by his wife's interest in things that go bump in the night. In her spare time, she produces a podcast called "Vampires, Witches, and Geeks."  
<http://www.morvenwestfield.com/>

Date: Wednesday, January 19

Time: 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Location: Beaman Memorial Library, West Boylston

Cost: **FREE**

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