

# Wellington Literacy Association

## Events in 2017



### Term 1:

- ▶ **John and Ruth McIntyre:** *Encouraging teachers to use Read aloud books to motivate and inspire*  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 4.15 – 6.30pm
- ▶ **Annual General Meeting**  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 6.15pm Dowse Gallery

### Term 2:

- ▶ **Dr David Moreau:** *MovinCog Initiative - Centre for Brain Research in Auckland*  
Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May, 4.15 – 6.30 pm Sacred Heart School

### Term 3:

- ▶ *Three for one – Three speakers on one night!*
- ▶ Workshop 1 **Julie Hanify** - Teacher and Author *Autism*
- ▶ Workshop 2 **Liz Kane** - Literacy Consultant in schools *Teaching students with persistent reading and spelling difficulties*
- ▶ Workshop 3 **Giselle McCashin** - Teacher, Advisor, Consultant and Teacher again!  
*Acceleration - our understanding and how it impacts on what happens in our classrooms*  
Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> August, 4.15 - 6.30pm Dowse Gallery

- ▶ **N Z L A Conference: *The Power of Words***  
One-day conference Road Show in Wellington  
2nd October  
Featuring: *Ralph Fletcher, Kyle Mewburn, Sheena Cameron and Louise Dempsey*
- ▶ Road show also in Hamilton and Christchurch
- ▶ Hosted by Waikato Literacy Association



### Term 4:

- ▶ **Sarah Aiono:** *Introduction to 'Play based' learning*  
**Longworth Education Hawkes Bay**
- ▶ **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October, 4.00pm – 6.00pm Dowse Gallery**