

# Tri-county Literacy Council Mid-winter Conference 2020



We are pleased to feature **BJ Ward**, noted poet, whose poetry and essays have been featured on National Public Radio and in publications such as *Poetry*, *The American Poetry Review*, *The Sun Magazine*, *TriQuarterly*, *The Literary Review*, *The Normal School*, and *The New York Times*.

Whether you've heard or worked with BJ in the past, and whether you teach kindergarten or high school, you'll leave this workshop with a greater understanding of how poets choose line breaks in free-verse poetry. BJ comments, "This kind of attention to the shaping of the silences/white space of a free verse poem, often leads to greater pleasure and enthusiasm for poetry in the classroom."

What teacher of literacy doesn't want that?

## Mail-in REGISTRATION

### Mid-winter Conference

Wednesday, January 15, 2020

Snow date January 29, 2020

**BJ Ward, Poet**

Clinton Township Middle School

34 Grayrock Road

Clinton, NJ 08809

Time: 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Make Check payable to:

Tri-county Literacy Council

mail this form and payment to:

Janine Bitters, 42 Sutton Rd.,  
Lebanon, NJ 08833

Name:	Email:
Phone (where we can reach you in case of school closing): _____	Tri-county Member: _____Yes _____No
Fees: _____\$15.00 members _____ \$25.00 non-members	<b><i>Become a member!</i></b> Event (15.00) + membership (35.00) through 8/31/20 Total enclosed _____ \$50.00

**2 Professional Development Hours**