

Saturday February 3, 2007

Allison Hedge Coke

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Riverside

WRITERS' WEEK

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Author Event

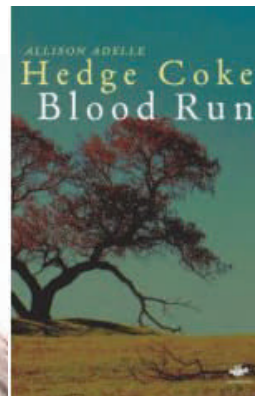
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Riverside Public Library

3581 Mission Inn Avenue at Orange

Riverside, Ca. 92501

All events free! (951) 826-5369



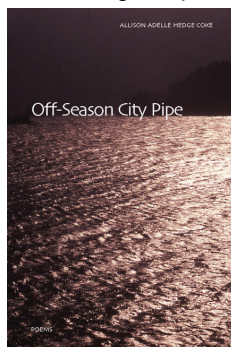
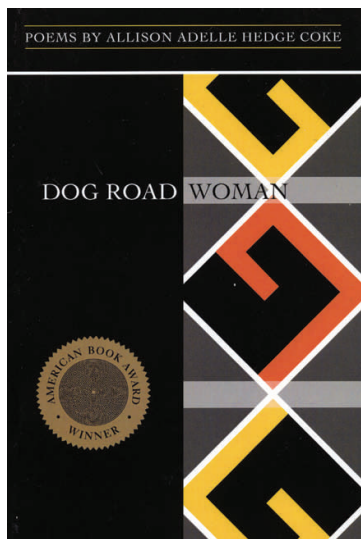
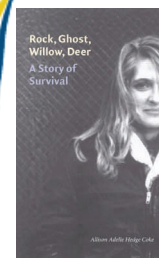
Come meet award-winning poet, author, performance artist, teacher, and mentor **Allison Hedge Coke**.

She descends from moundbuilders and is of Cherokee, Huron, Creek, French Canadian, Lorraine, Portuguese, English, Scot, and Irish ascendants and grew up in North Carolina, Canada, and on the Great Plains. Hedge Coke has worked horses, fields, waters, and factories.

More recently, she is involved in the literary, teaching, and performing arts. A sought-after visiting writer and scholar for over 20 years, she is currently professor of Creative Writing and Native Studies at Northern Michigan University.

Critics call her work "sublime", "important", and "visionary".

Allison Hedge Coke will read and discuss her work, talk with the audience, and sign copies of her books.



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Cultural Arts Program

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