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# The Birmingham Book Festival's Spring Thing

A Festival In A Day - Saturday 29 May 2010 - 10.30am – 5.30pm  
Birmingham Conservatoire, Paradise Place, Birmingham B3 3HG

A day of literature events in Birmingham, featuring just the kind of inspiring writers you have come to expect from the Birmingham Book Festival, from prose to poetry to performance, culminating in a reading from the national Poet Laureate.

Line up includes... Carol Ann Duffy      Aifric Campbell  
Helen Dunmore      Samantha Harvey  
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Day Tickets: £29 (£26) / £25 (£22) / £19 (£16)  
A Day Ticket is great value and guarantees you access to all events!

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**The events will take place between 10.30am and 5.30pm, with each lasting around forty five minutes. There will be plenty of opportunities to buy books, get them signed and ask the authors questions during the events.**

We hope that you will use your day ticket to its full extent and go to all events. However, you are welcome to choose the ones you find most relevant. An exact timetable will be available in advance so that you can plan your day.

There will be a forty five minute lunch break. There are several cafes and shops within walking distance of the venue. Tea, coffee and soft drinks will be available for purchase within the venue.

- Please note tickets are not available for individual events at present. It is possible some individual event tickets may be released later on, but this cannot be guaranteed.
- We advise that some of these events may be unsuitable for persons under the age of 14.

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