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WELCOME TO THE BOOKISH PLAZA eZINE

May is the month of

commemorating our Dutch Caribbean heroes fallen in the Second World War. In the Picture this time with a section of our books on the war in the Caribbean. On May 3rd these heroes will be honored during a meeting in Rotterdam.

Mother's Day is around the bend. Surprise mom with a book. Check out the BookIsh Plaza website for ideas. The upcoming poetry course in Papiamentu by dr. Henry Habibe



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will take place in June. So subscribe in time

Literary events to look forward too are the Clark Accord Lecture and

Bijlmer Boekt!

Another literary prize has lately been instituted in Curaçao. New Arrivals with three new publications by Frida Domacassé & Rosabelle Illes.

New Books is among others the biography of Miguel Pourier, former prime minister of the Netherlands Antilles.

Happy reading. Share our ezine, if vou LIKE!

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LITERARY NEWS

POETRY COURSE IN PAPIAMENTU



During 5 sessions dr. Henry Habibe will give an introduction to poetry in Papiamentu. This course will take place every Saturday, starting on June 4th and finalizing on July 2nd.

Time: 02.00 – 03.30 pm Place: American Book Center Lange Poten 23, 2511 CN The Hague Costs: € 133,75

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EVENTS calendar

BOOKISH PLAZA @ **UPCOMING EVENTS**

1 JULY 2016

KETI KOTI FESTIVAL Amsterdam





OTHER EVENTS

3 MAY 2016 **DUTCH CARIBBEAN PEOPLE AT THE** SERVICE OF WORLDPEACE Rotterdam

11 MAY 2016 **CLARK ACCORD LECTURE** Theme: Winti in Literature Restaurant Spice Quest, Paramaribo

17 MAY 2016 **BIJLMER BOEKT!** Bijlmerparktheater, Amsterdam ZO

19 MAY 2016 P.C. HOOFT PRIZE CEREMONY for Astrid Roemer 03.30 pm Letterkundig Museum, Den Haag

10 JUNE 2016 **RUDOLF VAN LIER LECTURE** Leo Balai on the processing of the history of slavery Leiden

17 JUNE 2016

MUSICA VIVA - Gustavo Corrales Romero & Jorge Andrés Martina Het Veur Theater Leidschendam-Voorburg



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Joseph Sickman Corsen Prize



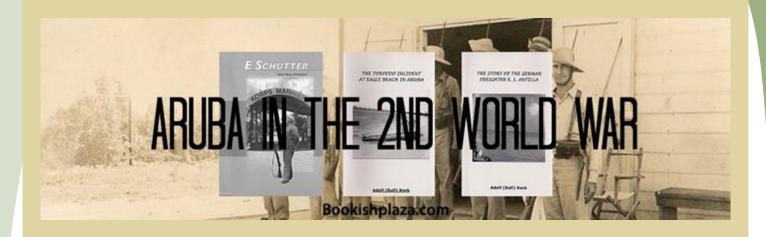
The public library Frank Martinus Arion in Willemstad, Curaçao, has instituted a the Joseph Sickman **Corsen-prize for Linguistics**, Literature & Production. Last Saturday April 23th the prizes were granted.

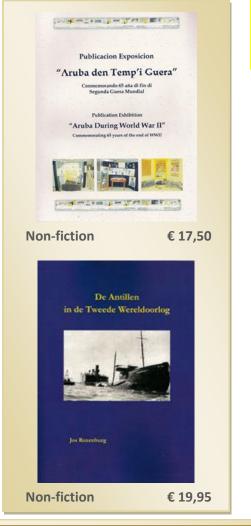
Prize for Literature: Philip Rademaker Prize for Linguistics: Sidney M. Joubert



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In the Picture - 4 & 5 May - Caribbean in the 2nd World War





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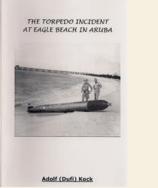
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Non-fiction

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- Interview
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Homenaje/Tribute

Homenaje/Tribute Frida Domacassé

The poet is inspired by her yesteryear favorite singers. These singers, notably from all over the world, left an important mark on the music of their time and on contemporary music. With this work she brings a lyrical tribute to Carmen Miranda, Billy Holiday, Violeta Parra, Celia Cruz, Argentina Santos, Miriam Makeba, Nina simone, Mercedes Sosa and Amparo Ochoa. The poems are written in Dutch and in English. The booklet is handy in size and is illustrated with photographs.

Poetry

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<u>Title</u> **Rosabelle Illes**

Title contains various themes of a philosophical nature. Simple questions of daily life, but also inquiries on transcendental life. The writer tackles topics that philosophers have explored and developed, such as the difference between people and animals, the role of language, inequality in society and liberty.

Short Stories & Poetry

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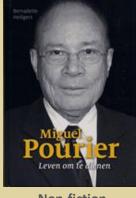
New Books



Love is Love Frida Domacassé

Collection of poems the poet wrote as a contribution to the struggle for gay marriage on the Dutch Caribbean islands. Same-sex marriage on Aruba. Bonaire and Curaçao is still not to be taken for granted. With these poems she wants to address this issue of homosexuality, lesbianism and gay marriage.

In her poems, the prejudices regarding homosexuality come afore. In addition, there are also poems showing that love is always beautiful. It doesn't matter between whom. Love remains love: something beautiful. The poems are in Dutch & Papiamentu.



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Poetry

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