

# Festival of Words celebrates indigenous cultures

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Poet Laura Tohe will receive the Festival of Words Writers Award at a ceremony March 2. Courtesy/J. Morgan Edwards

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The free, daylong festival will feature the presentation of the Festival of Words Writers Award, which will be presented to poet Laura Tohe.

Tohe (Diné, Tsénahabilnii, Sleepy Rock People clan, and born for the Tódich'inii, Bitter Water clan) has published several volumes of poetry including "Making Friends with Water" and "No Parole Today," as well as the oral history "Code Talker Stories."

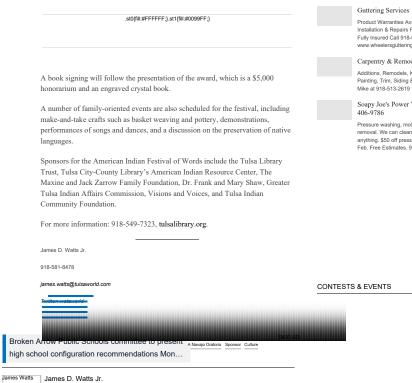
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