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Author and journalist Thomas Swick presents travelogue workshop at Selby Public Library

Learn how to turn your vagabond adventures into narrative tales during a travelogue workshop from author and journalist Thomas Swick. The Fort-Lauderdale-based writer will present "Writing the World; How to Turn Your Travel Experiences into Evocative Stories," from 10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Saturday, April 4, in the conference room at Selby Public Library, 1331 First St., Sarasota.

Renowned travel writer Rolf Potts once called Swick, "one of the best travel writer-editors in America." The former editorial writer for the "Providence Journal" in Rhode Island and former travel editor for the "Sun-Sentinel" in Fort Lauderdale taught English in Poland and Greece, and has worked as a journalist in New Jersey for the "Trenton Times." He published his first book, "Unquiet Days: At Home in Poland," in 1991 about the start of the solidarity movement there. His second book, "A Way to See the World: From Texas to Transylvania with a Maverick Traveler," was published in 2003.

Workshop participants should bring a notebook and something to write with, or a laptop. The workshop includes a lunch break. Class size is limited to 25 and registration is required. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Selby Public Library.

For more information or to register for the workshop, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000 and ask about the travelogue workshop at Selby Public Library.

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