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The inaugural Literary Kitchen Festival, which aims to champion new and emerging writing talent, will take up residence at the Peckham Pelican bar at 92 Peckham Road from June 16-22.

Running alongside the Camberwell Arts Festival, it will feature a series of talks, writing workshops and readings by authors including Peckham resident Evie Wyld, whose latest novel, All The Birds, Singing, was shoutlisted for a Costa price.

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Visitors can brush up their punctuation at Miss B's Grammar Salon, play literary ping pong, attend a poet-led walk and take part in a haiku jam. An Unwriters Anonymous event will help budding novelists tackle.

procrastination and writer's block.

The Peckham Pelican will also become a live writing space for the duration of the event, with poets, short-story writers and novelists encouraged to come and meet other local writers and create a shared

writing space.

Most events are free to attend.

For a full list, visit www.literarykitchen.co.uk/festival