



### NPS 2011 Under-21 Weekday Events

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Tuesday, August 9, 2011							all ages
10AM	11AM	Noon	1PM	2PM	3PM		
MIT Stata Center	Rookie Open Mic		Head to Head Haiku Prelims				
Democ. Center			Grief and Remembrance				
Cantab Down	Roots Reading		Tips from the Bar				
Wednesday, August 10, 2011							
10AM	11AM	Noon	1PM	2PM	3PM		
MIT Stata Center	Head to Head Haiku Prelims		Poet CD/ Penmanship Showcase				
Rodney's Books	Volunteer Open Mic		Booking Your Tour				
Democ. Center	Slam as a Safe Space?		Recovery Reading				
Cantab Down	Points of Origin Open Mic		Workshopping the Workshop				
Thursday, August 11, 2011							
10AM	11AM	Noon	1PM	2PM	3PM		
MIT Stata Center	Harry Potter vs. Buffy the Vampire Slayer Slam		Nerd Slam				
Rodney's Books	Volunteer Open Mic		International Touring				
Democ. Center	Slam as a Safe Space?		Youth Slam				
Cantab Down	Where I'm From Open Mic		Box of Doom Slam				
Friday, August 12, 2011							
10AM	11AM	Noon	1PM	2PM	3PM		
Rodney's Books	Volunteer Open Mic		Masquerade Reading				
Camb. YMCA	ASL Showcase		Head to Head Haiku Finals				

All day venues are in Cambridge, on Red Line T. **MIT Stata Center:** 32 Vassar St. Room 32-123, (Kendall MIT) • **Rodney's Bookstore:** 698 Mass Ave. (Central Sq.) • **Democracy Center:** 45 Mt. Auburn St. (Harvard) • **Cantab Lounge:** 738 Mass Ave. (Central Sq.)

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Monday, August 8, 2011							18+
7PM	8PM	9PM	10PM	11PM	LATE		
Middle East Down			Opening Ceremonies: BeeCool Poetry/ Music MashUp!				
Tuesday, August 9, 2011							
7PM	8PM	9PM	10PM	11PM	LATE		
Café 939	Poetry Slam #5: NM, AZ, MN, UT		Poetry Slam #11: DC, WI, IL, OH				
Democ. Center	Poetry Slam #6: CA, NY, NY, TX		Poetry Slam #12: GA, CA, NH, MA				
All Asia	Poetry Slam #4: CA, HI, RI, MO		All Asia is 21+ after 9PM				
Cantab Down	Poetry Slam #2: ID, NC, NY, MN		Poetry Slam #8: TX, CA, PA, AZ				
Wednesday, August 10, 2011							
7PM	8PM	9PM	10PM	11PM	LATE		
Café 939	Poetry Slam #17: TX, TX, IL, MN		Poetry Slam #8: TX, CA, PA, AZ				
Democ. Center	Poetry Slam #18: NJ, TN, VA, NY		Poetry Slam #24: WI, CO, NB, ON				
All Asia	Poetry Slam #16: GA, CA, MA, CT		All Asia is 21+ after 9PM				
Cantab Down	Poetry Slam #14: LA, NJ, NC, BC		Poetry Slam #20: AL, AZ, NY, MO				
Thursday, August 11, 2011							
7PM	8PM	9PM	10PM	11PM	LATE		
Café 939	Poetry Slam #29: MA, CA, MI, WA		Poetry Slam #36: MA, RI, NC, CT				
Democ. Center	Poetry Slam #30: TX, AR, KS, CA		Poetry Slam #37: NM, CA, LA, CA				
MIT Stata Ctr.	Poetry Slam #31: WI, OR, NH, CO		Poetry Slam #38: GA, CA, VT, BC				
All Asia	Poetry Slam #28: DC, OH, WI, NC		All Asia is 21+ after 9PM				
Cantab Down	Poetry Slam #26: NB, NC, CA, NY		Poetry Slam #33: HI, NJ, TX, OH				

**Cafe 939:** 939 Boylston Street, IN BOSTON (Hynes Green Line T) • *All other venues in CAMBRIDGE (on Red Line T)* **MIT Stata Center:** 32 Vassar St. Room 32-123, (Kendall MIT) • **Cantab Lounge:** 738 Mass Ave. (Central Sq.) • **All Asia:** 334 Mass Ave. (Central Sq.) • **Middle East:** 472 Mass Ave. (Central Sq.)

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Camb. YMCA		ASL Showcase		Head to Head Haiku Finals		
Friday Evening, August 12, 2011						
	7PM	8PM	9PM	10PM	11PM	LATE
Brattle Theater	Doors Open!	Semi-Final Poetry Slam			Film: Louder than a Bomb (MassLEAP)	all ages
Camb. YMCA	Doors Open!	Semi-Final Poetry Slam				
Middle East Up	Doors Open!	Semi-Final Poetry Slam				
Middle East Down	Doors Open!	Semi-Final Poetry Slam		Group Piece Showcase Slam		18+
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Saturday Evening, August 13, 2011						

THE NATIONAL POETRY SLAM 2011 FINALS will take place at **seven o'clock on Saturday evening** at Berklee School of Music Performance Center, 136 Massachusetts Avenue, in Boston. Use the Hynes Green Line T Stop or take the No. 1 Bus.

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Many of the poets you have seen this weekend tour professionally. If you would like poets to visit your school or town, please talk to your favorite teams or visit [www.poetryslam.com](http://www.poetryslam.com). In New England, visit [www.slamnews.com](http://www.slamnews.com).