



Blaidh Nemorlith (Thom Boulton) is the **Poet Laureate for the City of Plymouth.**

Blaidh is passionate about poetry, folklore and fairy tales and writes for both adults and children.

He is a free verse poet.

Blaidh is available for workshops, festivals and events. As of January 2017, Blaidh is free on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays (during term time). Booking is more flexible during school holidays (see Plymouth City Council website).

## Children's Workshops

Blaidh (Thom) is a qualified Primary teacher. There are several options available for school visits.

- Assemblies**
- Fairytale storytelling**
- Folklore storytelling**
- Poetry writing workshop**

These can all be adapted for KS1, KS2, KS3, KS4 and A Level age groups. They can be tailored to suit a theme or element and link to the curriculum if given enough notice and detail.



## Adult Events, Festivals and Workshops



Blaidh (Thom) is available for poetry readings at adult literature events as well as festivals. Blaidh has appeared at **CrossCountry Writers** (Open Mic), The Word (Spoken Word event), *Twin Sounds* (Brest/Plymouth writers exchange) and ran his own very successful folklore poetry/music event during the Plymouth Literature Festival, called 'In The Darkly Woods' (pictured below).

Blaidh is also available to run writing workshops for beginner or amateur poets, looking at developing their writing and discovering what is accessible for them (both online and locally).

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Visit the link below and go to Press Kit to find a complete run down of all the different workshops available.  
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