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## **Horsman to participate in Peninsula event**

Coastside musician and poet Gary Horsman will help the public revisit the 1950s when the Menlo Park Library presents a lecture by California resident Al Hinkle from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, June 5.

Hinkle was the basis for Jack Kerouac's "On

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the Road" character "Big Ed Dunkel." He will discuss his life in this lecture, which is part of the library's "Saturday series" of lectures and other presentations.

Besides the lecture, the event will recreate some Beat energy with Horsman, who will play some music and read poetry, Uma Rani Iyli and Leah Lubin presenting artwork, and Beat expert and speaker Richard Marcel, who will discuss the Beats.

This free event takes place in the downstairs meeting room of the library, at 800 Alma St. in Menlo Park.

For information, call the library at (650) 330-2500.

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