

New Web Series Created By Two Local Writers



Allison Graham

Allison Graham and Norm Berketa are not only writing a few TV show concepts... they have decided to share the creative process on the web, in a new reality series called "The Writer's Block".



Norm Berketa

The series puts you as a fly on the wall, while Allison and Norm create the ideas that will hopefully someday make it to a television near you! It's all real, and most of all... It's unscripted, unrehearsed and uncensored. Visit the website [here](#).



On another note, Norm and Allison have written a TV series trailer for Muse Entertainment, which was shot on Labour Day weekend, 2008.



Norm Berketa, NMB's owner and Creative Director, will be seen on Rogers' latest offering, "Nighttime with Mr. Hollywood", hosted by the wacky Matt Demers. The show airs Monday nights at 10pm on Rogers Cable 22. Check the [official site](#) for more information!



SENS Hit The Ice!



The SENS 2009/2010 season has begun, and as of January 7th, they are at 22-17-4. A good season so far! Click [HERE](#) for the 2009/2010 regular season schedule.

A Word From NMB Founder, Norm Berketa

As 2009 drew to a close, I was fortunate enough to be working at a BigTime murder mystery Toronto... a New Year's gala that rocked the hc and kick-started 2010 off with a bang. I was fortunate enough to bring my fiancée along for show and party afterward. We rang the new year in together, and it was a great time all around. indeed... we're looking forward to 2010! Honest just HAS to be better than 2009!!!

I don't think I'm alone in saying that 2009 was of the worst years in the 2000's so far. With economy collapsing, businesses folding and people generally afraid of losing everything, 2009 left thinking that things couldn't get any worse. I hope that's true.

As an actor living in Ottawa, it was one of the leanest years in my 13-year career.

As a business owner, I felt the impact of tight purse-strings.

As a father, I felt unsure of my children's future.

I'm sure that everyone has felt the impact of 2009 directly or indirectly. Perhaps your industry is untouched, or perhaps your product or service is needed regardless of the economy. If that's the case, congratulations and I wish you continued success. For everyone else, please join me in hoping that 2010 is the year we start recovering. More than that, let's hope that we go beyond recovering. Here's to doing what you love, making a good living at it!

