

Poetry Contest



Rules:

- There will be 4 categories for judging: grades K-5, 6-8, 9-12 and Adults.
- Poems cannot be over thirty-two (32) lines of text. Title does not count as a line.
- Poems may be in any genre and on any appropriate subject; i.e., no pro-violence, pro-drugs, etc.
- Poems containing language that is vulgar, offensive, or wholly inappropriate will not be accepted.
- All entries must be in English and be the original work of the entrant.
- Poems must not have been published anywhere prior to contest.
- Poems must avoid using "texting" lingo and all words must be spelled out.
- All poems must be neatly typed or hand printed and titled.
- You may submit up to three (3) poems.
- No email submissions will be accepted.
- Submit poem without your name on it for anonymous judging. Be sure title of poem is on entry form.
- Send copy only of your poem; submissions will not be returned.
- For information contact Joanne Snead at 304-298-3039 or Joanne_Snead@yahoo.com.
- **Deadline for entries: March 24, 2018**
- Awards and cash prizes will be awarded at Poetry Tea, 6:30 pm, April 24 at Ft. Ashby Library. Winning entries will be read by author or person chosen.

Entry Form



Check Category: grade K-5 _____ grade 6-8 _____ grade 9-12 _____ adult _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

Title Poem #1: _____

Title Poem #2: _____

Title Poem #3: _____

Mail or deliver entry form with poem(s) to Fort
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