



LITERARY ARTS

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POETRY | SHORT STORIES | POSTERS

Entry Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	<i>Youth Art Building</i>
Judged:	Monday, June 9	11:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Youth Art Building</i>

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED.

TEEN DIVISION

Ages 14 through 18

FREE TO ENTER – Ages 14 through 18
LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON
BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISIONS 350 – 351
People's Choice Ribbon

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All entries must be original work, written in English, and unpublished.
- B. For judging purposes, the author's name shall NOT appear on entries.
- C. Author should keep a copy of their work.
- D. Entries may not be submitted to an editor or another contest during the period of this competition.
- E. For each entry, include a 3" x 5" card with the author's name, address, phone number, title of work, first sentence, division, and class numbers.
- F. Author retains all rights; however, the author must agree that entries may be displayed and used for publicity purposes at the discretion of the fair management.
- G. Teens, 14 through 18 years of age will be judged using the American System of Judging.
- H. Youth, ages 5 through 13 will be judged using the Danish System of Judging.
- I. Entry must be received on 8 1/2 x 11 copy paper, which can be scanned into a computer to be electronically transmitted.

DIVISION 350 – TEEN SHORT STORY

CLASS

1. Short Story

FORMAT: One copy of a short story on 8 1/2" x 11" white paper with each page numbered, titled, TYPED, single-spaced. The story should be between 1000 and 3000 words. The story should be titled.

DIVISION 351 – TEEN POETRY

CLASS

1. Poetry
2. Fair Theme
3. Haiku

FORMAT: One copy of each poem on an 8 1/2" x 11" paper, TYPED, double-spaced. Maximum length: 24 lines. Any style, form, or subject is accepted. Booklets are okay. Titled.

YOUTH DIVISION

Ages 5 through 13

FREE TO ENTER – Ages 5 through 13

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISION 352

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Stories must be written by one student, no group entries
- B. Stories must not be more than 750 words
- C. Stories must be Titled and original
- D. Fact or Fiction
- E. Grammatically correct
- F. Danish Judging
- G. Typed, preferably, or neatly handwritten
- H. Written without reference to registered trademarks
- I. Entry must be received on 8 ½ x 11 copy paper, which can be scanned into a computer to be electronically transmitted.

DIVISION 352 – CREATIVE WRITING

CLASS

1. Ages 5 and under
2. Ages 6 through 10
3. Ages 11 through 13

POETRY & POSTER DIVISIONS

FREE TO ENTER UNTIL FRIDAY, MAY 30th

\$3 PER ENTRY JUNE 2 - 3rd

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISIONS 354 & 355

RULES for DIVISIONS 354 & 355 (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Create a poem and/or poster expressing your feelings and thoughts. Your poem may be a Haiku, Acrostic, Alliteration, or any other poetic format you choose.
- B. **POEM RULES:** The poem must be neatly written or typed using black ink on lined or unlined paper, 8 ½" x 11" white paper. You may create a border to frame your poem, no other illustrations should be added. On the back of the paper, please list your name, grade, school, and teacher, if home-schooled, please list "home-schooled."
- C. **POSTER RULES:** Posters must have a slogan or a title that matches the theme of the poster. On the back of the poster, please write, the name, school, and teacher, if home-schooled, print "homeschooled."
- D. Danish Judging.

DIVISION 354 – POEMS

Grades K-8th

CLASS

1. Ages 5 and under
2. Ages 6 through 10
3. Ages 11 through 13

DIVISION 355

CLASS # | POSTERS

1. Ages 5 and under Posters
2. Ages 6 through 10 Posters
3. Ages 11 through 13 Posters
4. Ages 14 through 18 Posters