

POETRY COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

The Acton Public Library, 60 Old Boston Post Road, Old Saybrook, CT announces its

27th Annual Poetry Competition

Entries will be accepted from February 1, 2021 through February 27, 2021 at the library.

Rules for all participants:

- Poems must be original and unpublished
- Author must be a resident of Connecticut
- One poem per letter size page (one side of page only)
- No more than 40 lines per poem
- All poems must have titles
- Author's name, address, phone number and division should appear on the back of the poem (Poet's name is not given to the judges)
- No more than three entries per person

Open to all ages in the following divisions:

Grades 1-3 Grades 4-6 Grades 7-8 Grades 9-12 Adult

The new Poet Laureate Sonnet Division is open to Adults only.

Winners will be notified by phone beginning April 14, 2021, and will be recognized during the library's annual Poetry Night.

Awards will be provided by the Friends of Acton Public Library.

The Sonnet award will be provided by the Old Saybrook Poet Laureate.

Please attach this part to your submission.

I certify that I have read, understand, and agree to all contest rules.

SIGNATURE: _____

(If under 18, parent signature)

POEM TITLES: _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL : _____

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