

Poetry In Print

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are pleased to announce another Open Poetry Competition for SCHOOLS

with prizes on offer to pupils and to their respective schools

This follows our highly successful competitions in 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002 & 2003 which resulted in the publication of high quality anthologies entitled "*Pictures From My Mind*" - "*Thoughts From The Year 2000*" - "*Rhyme Verses Reason*" - "*Along The Lines Of.....*" - "*Wordly Wise*" & "*Words We're Bound To Say*"

School prizes to date have been awarded to:

Tendring Technology College
Dr. Challoner's Grammar
King Edward VI Comm.College
Northcrescent Primary
Harvey Road Primary
Stone Combined
Swalecliffe County Primary
Wellington Primary
Victoria Road Primary
Highworth Grammar
Coxley Primary

Ash Manor School
Loughborough Girls High
Mark Hall School
Great Chart Primary
Belmont Primary
Uffington Primary
Abbotsford School
Wyndham Park Infants
Riverside Primary
Penwortham Technical College
Northampton High

Lynn Grove High
Paignton Comm. College
Weaverham High
Hale Primary
Styal County Primary
Fleet Infant School
S. Dartmoor Comm. College
Plymouth High for Girls
Childwall Primary
Godstowe School

Budehaven Comm. College
St Hilda's R.C. Girls
Danbury Park County Primary
St James The Great Primary
Heamoor County Primary
Tring School
Wallington High
Presdale School
The Bytham Primary
Archbishop Benson

The new competition is being organised to cater for the following age groups.

8 years & under

9-12 years

13-16 years

PRIZE MONEY will be awarded to EACH category as follows:

1st prize £70 + £70 to school

2nd prize £30 + £30 to school

3rd prize £10 + £10 to school

Each of the above winners will also receive a laminated parchment of their poem and a commemorative pen.

PLUS a commemorative **pen** and **certificate** will be awarded to **10 runners up** in **each** category.

The school prize will be awarded to the school attended by the pupil at time of writing.

Each contestant is restricted to **ONE ENTRY ONLY**, but Schools may submit as many entries as they wish.

The poem submitted should have **ONE AUTHOR ONLY**

All suitable entries will be published in a high quality anthology of verse.

To enter contestants should send **ONE** original poem, consisting of **no more than 20 lines** to:

Poetry In Print, PO Box 141, Paignton. TQ3 1YY

Please **PRINT FULL NAME** + **AGE OF PUPIL** clearly at the **TOP of the PAGE**

Please include the full school address + Name of contact Teacher on separate sheet

The closing date for this competition is:- 31st MARCH 2004

The competition will be judged by a panel of Teachers and other Professional Persons.