



Verse & Short Story

Competitions

ENTRY FORM

7th - 11th June 2018

Entries close Thursday 29th March 2018

THESE CONDITIONS APPLY TO ALL SECTIONS (Please read carefully)

1. Each Verse or Short Story is to be written in English and is eligible for one class only. Entries must be solely the work of the stated author.
2. An official entry form must accompany all entries.
3. Authors who have been awarded either a 1st or 2nd place in this competition within the past 3 years are required to limit their number of entries to two for each class.
4. Each entry must be original and not have been previously entered in this competition, published, or publicly broadcast. Entries are permitted to have previously been entered and/or received an award, *other* than 1st prize, in another competition.
5. Authors are obliged to notify the coordinator, if a work is awarded a 1st prize in another competition before the results of this competition are announced. In this case the entry will be withdrawn, with public acknowledgement and refund of entry fee.
6. Each entry to be typed in 1.5 or double space on one side only, using A4 paper. No illustrations or other embellishments are to be with, or on the work. Only one copy of each work is required. Please ensure you have your own backup copy.
7. Emailed entries will not be accepted. This ensures the work is received exactly as the author intended.
8. No author's name or any type of identifying text is to appear in any form within the submitted document. Author's name must only appear on the Entry Form.
9. Each entry is to have a completed Cover Sheet. Refer the last page of this document.
10. The Festival Committee reserves the right to publish, in limited edition, and without payment to the author, an Anthology of award-winning entries. A selection of these may also be published once only in *The Grenfell Record* and on the Festival website, also without fee payable to the author. Copyright remains with the author thereafter.
11. Anthologies will cost \$25, including postage and handling. Money should be sent prior to publication, since there are no guarantees of copies being available after the Festival.
12. All winners will be notified several weeks prior to the Festival. Major prize winners will be announced at the Awards Evening (Saturday 9 June 2018) and they will be invited to attend as special guests and receive their awards.
13. All results will be posted on the website as soon as they are available.
14. Entrants seeking a mailed copy of results should send a stamped self-addressed envelope (9x17cm) with their entry/entries.
15. By entering the competition entrants agree to all conditions. In all matters, the judges' decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into.

SECTION 1 - VERSE (limited to 48 lines)

Festival Patron's Statuette to be presented for best overall verse

CLASS 1 - Traditional Verse, Australian theme

First Prize: \$450

Second Prize: \$200

CLASS 2 - Humorous Verse, Australian theme

First Prize: \$250

Second Prize: \$100

CLASS 3 - Free Verse, any theme

First Prize: \$250

Second Prize: \$100

CLASS 4 - High School student, any theme (age under 18 years by closing date)

First Prize: \$150

Second Prize: \$50

CLASS 5 - Primary School Student, any theme

First Prize: \$50

Second Prize: \$25

plus Medallions for 1st, 2nd and Highly Commended winners

Entry Fees:

Adult: \$20 per entry

School age students: free, with a maximum of two entries per student. (New this year)

Payment Options:

This year the Festival is using Eventbrite for the payment of verse entry fees. Please use the following link and the 'Pay Verse Entry Fee' button for credit card payment of your entry.

www.henrylawsonfestival.com.au/entry-fee

Credit Card- Eventbrite

Cheque or Money Order

Cheque or Money Orders: payable to "Grenfell Henry Lawson Festival"

Mailing Address

Verse and Short Story Coordinator

PO Box 77

Grenfell NSW 2810

Coordinator: Mary Moffitt P: (02 6343 1575) M: (0419 440 692)

Email: verse@henrylawsonfestival.com.au

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(Entries to be post marked by this date)

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SECTION 2 – SHORT STORY (Limited to 2000 words)

Harold Goodwin Memorial Statuette for best short story overall

CLASS 1 - Open Short Story any theme
First Prize: \$500
Second Prize: \$200

CLASS 2 - High School student, any theme (age under 18 years by closing date)
First Prize: \$150
Second Prize: \$50

CLASS 3 - Primary School Student, any theme
First Prize: \$50
Second prize: \$25
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Note, one entry per line, and attach an extra sheet if needed

Payment:

- Credit card- Eventbrite
 Cheque
 Money order

Note, please add \$25 for each **Anthology** ordered on this form

Please ensure all parts of the entry form have been completed and each entry has the

Cover Sheet completed with Section, Class, Title, Number of words (Short Story) or Lines (Verse).

SECTION	CLASS	TITLE

I declare that this/these entries are **entirely my own work** and acknowledge I have read the conditions applying to all sections and agree to be bound by these conditions.

Your signature:

Name:(print).....

Address:

Town/City: State: Post code:.....

Telephone:()..... Mobile:.....

Email:

School:(if applicable)

Anthology Purchases: Please mail me copies at \$25 each which includes postage



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COVER SHEET

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PLEASE PRINT AND ATTACH TO EACH OF YOUR ENTRIES. TICK ONE BOX ONLY

Section 1 Verse	Section 2 Short Story
Class 1 Traditional Verse, Aust theme	Class 1 Open Short Story any theme
Class 2 Humorous Verse, Aust theme	Class 2 High School student, any theme
Class 3 Free Verse, any theme	Class 3 Primary student, any theme
Class 4 High School student, any theme	
Class 5 Primary student, any theme	

TITLE:

VERSE number of lines:	OR	Short Story number of words:

Please mail the completed entry form, entries with cover sheet and entry fee to:
 Henry Lawson Festival of Arts
 Verse and Short Story Coordinator
 PO Box 77,
 GRENFELL NSW 2810

<i>Office use only</i>	
Date received:	Entry number: