



Northeast Branch 2009 Poetry Contest

Celebrate National Poetry Month in April!

CONTEST RULES:

1. Entrants must be Seattle Public Library cardholders.
2. Entries must be received by Thursday, April 30, 2009.
Entries received after this date will not be considered.
3. Entries must be on or accompanied by the attached entry form.
4. Entries must be typed, word-processed, or neatly printed in block style.
5. Entries must fit on one page.
6. Entries must be original and written within the last year.
7. Only one poem may be entered per person.
8. Poems may be written in any style. Poems do not have to rhyme.
9. Entries will not be returned.
10. Entries must be delivered to: **Northeast Branch**
6801 35th Ave. N.E.
Seattle, WA 98115
11. Contest results will be announced at the awards ceremony and poetry reading in the Northeast Branch on Tuesday, May 19 at 6:00 p.m.

AWARDS:

Winners will receive recognition, prizes, certificates, and an opportunity to read their poems aloud during the awards ceremony at Northeast Branch on **Tuesday, May 19 at 6:00 p.m.**

First-, second-, and third-place awards will be given in three divisions:

Children (under 12)

Teen (12 – 18)

Adult (over 18)

A grand prize winner will walk away with the coveted Wedgie Award Trophy. All submitted poems will be published in booklets available for viewing at the Northeast Branch.

For more information, call the Northeast Branch at (206) 684-7539.

Good Luck!



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