



# Society of Women Writers NSW Inc

## National Poetry Competition 2017

First Prize \$300

Second Prize \$200

Third Prize \$100

### Terms and Conditions

1. Entries must be unpublished, in English, the original work of the entrant and must not have received an award in any competition, nor be concurrently entered in any other competition.
2. Entrants must be residents of Australia.
3. **AUTHOR'S NAME MUST ONLY APPEAR ON THE ENTRY FORM AND NOT ON THE POEM/S.**
4. Entries must be:
  - a) Maximum 80 lines.
  - b) Typed, 1.5 spacing, page numbered and printed single-sided on white A4 paper.
5. Multiple entries accepted. Each entry requires the payment of the entry fee and an entry form (overleaf). The entry form may be photocopied.
6. Entries must be received by the Receiving Officer by **5.00pm EST on 12 June 2017**. Entries after this date will not be accepted. Postmark date is acceptable.
7. The Judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. No entries will be returned.
8. The Judge reserves the right to withhold prizes if entries are not considered of sufficient standard.
9. Only the short-listed entrants will be contacted.
10. The Award Ceremony will be on **8 November 2017** at the Society's luncheon held at the State Library of NSW, Macquarie Street, Sydney.
11. The first place winner or their nominee must be present (at own expense) at the Awards Ceremony.





# ENTRY FORM — SWW NSW Inc — NATIONAL POETRY COMPETITION 2017

## Entry Fees:

- For members of SWW NSW Inc: \$10 per poem, or \$40 for five (5) poems
- For non members of SWW NSW Inc: \$15 per poem, or \$60 for five (5) poems

## How to Enter:

A completed copy of the entry form must be attached to the entry and posted to the Receiving Officer

## Payment Methods – DO NOT SEND CASH

- Cheque/money order made payable to: **Society of Women Writers NSW Inc** (exactly as written) OR
- Direct debit. Details: BSB: 062 018 A/c No: 00950433 A/c Name: The Society of Women Writers NSW  
In the payment description field please include first name initial, surname and code POET, eg B Smith POET

Entries should be posted or emailed to the Receiving Officer by **5.00pm EST on 12 June 2017**.

**Mary Ann Napper, Poetry Competition**  
**26 Sunnyridge Place**  
**BAYVIEW NSW 2104**

ENTRANT DETAILS			
First Name		Surname	
Address			
		State	Postcode
Email	Phone		Mobile
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to receive the Society's monthly E-Newsletter. Please add my email address to the mailing list.			
I am a member of SWW <input type="checkbox"/>	I am not a member of SWW <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to join SWW NSW Inc Application form may be downloaded from <a href="http://www.womenwritersnsw.org">www.womenwritersnsw.org</a>	
ENTRY DETAILS			
List Poem Title/s			
1.			
2.			
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5.			
Payment Options	Cheque/Money Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Direct Debit <input type="checkbox"/>	
DECLARATION BY AUTHOR			
I agree to the Conditions of Entry and declare the poem/s submitted is/are my own original, previously unpublished work. My entries have not previously achieved a place, nor are they concurrently entered in any other competition.			
Author Signature			Date