

COUNTY OF PICKENS

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Celebrate National Poetry Month by entering the Pickens County Library System's 9th Annual Poetry Contest!

April is National Poetry Month and in celebration, poets of all ages are invited to submit an original poem to the Pickens County Library System's 9th Annual Poetry Contest. Entries will be accepted from March 1st-March 31st at any Pickens County Library location or electronically at maryb@pcls.fyi. Prizes will be awarded in three age categories: youth (up to age 11), teens (ages 12-18), and adults (ages 19 and up). Submissions may be in any style.

Winners will be announced and prizes will be given at an Awards Ceremony on **Saturday, April 27th at 2 pm at the Hampton Memorial Library in Easley**. All winners will receive a gift card. Many thanks to The Friends of the Library for sponsoring this year's contest.

Entries may be no longer than 36 lines of poetry on one (8.5 x 11") page. Each entry **MUST** include the author's name, age, and contact information (phone number, mailing address, and/or email address). **Entries missing information or received after March 31st will be removed from the contest. Only one entry per person is permitted.**

For more information, please call the library at 864-850-7077 or email maryb@pcls.fyi.

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9th Annual Poetry Contest

sponsored by The Friends of the Library

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at any Pickens County Library location, or electronically to
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A winner from each category will be chosen:

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