

# Arts Council of Appling County

## 2017 Poetry Contest

The Arts Council of Appling County is holding our first Poetry Contest in honor of all those that have a passion for the arts.

**Entries are being accepted now until September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017.**

The Poetry Contest is for all ages and will be separated into three age groups:

Children's Group: up to 12 years old

Teen Group: 13-18 years old

Adult Group: 19+ years old

There is no limit to how many entries that can be submitted by one person. To qualify, entries must be as follows:

- On any topic
- Any style of writing
- Fit on ONE letter-size page (8.5x11) and preferably typed
- Submitted with [entry form](#) via U.S mail or via email with the attached form or [applingarts@gmail.com](mailto:applingarts@gmail.com)
- Hard copies should have the name and age group on the **back of the poem**
- Deadline September 7, 2017

Prizes will be awarded to the top three winners in each age group

1st place - \$50 Gift certificate to a local business

2nd place - \$25 Gift certificate to a local business

3rd place - \$15 Gift certificate to a local business

2017 Arts Council of Appling County Poetry Contest Entry Form

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Qualifying Entries Should Be on Any Topic/ Any Style of Writing

Each Poem should be on ONE page of 8 ½ x 11" paper

Deadline September 7, 2017

Hard Copies should have name and age group on back of poem

Emailed copies should have name and age group at the bottom of the attached poem

Prizes will be awarded to the top three winners in each age group:

**1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place prizes will be awarded in each category!**

Entries can be submitted online to [applingarts@gmail.com](mailto:applingarts@gmail.com) or via U.S. mail to PO Box 821 Baxley, GA 31515. Please include the following information below in your email with attached poem(s).

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* (If Under 18, Parent or Guardian Must Sign \*\*The signature on this form constitutes a release to reprint the attached work for public distribution on our Official Website and other Arts Council publications. Arts Council of Appling County is a not for profit and cannot compensate the artist.