

Pure Poetry ~ Shepparton

Part I: Mentoring Opportunity

Closing date for submissions: 15 February 2010

Open to emerging poets residing in Greater Shepparton

Prize: 3-week mentoring with Ross Donlon

Submit a selection of work, to a total maximum of 200 lines (may be separate poems)



Part II: Pure Poetry Recital ~ part of the SheppARTon Festival

Hear the breadth and individuality of Australian expression in a recital of poetry by local writers interwoven through a program of contemporary Australian piano, cello and clarinet music. The program includes recent music by Ballarat composer Suzie May Camm and Melbourne composer Anthony Lyons.

Recital date: Saturday 13 March

Time: 5 pm – 6.30 pm

Where: Wesley Hall, Uniting Care Cutting Edge, Shepparton

Entry: Gold coin donation

Part I SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- Submission is open to emerging poets over the age of 18 years, who reside in the Greater Shepparton region
- 'Emerging' poets are those who have had fewer than 25 works published in print or online
- Entries must be the original work of the applicant, and not have been published or won a prize in a competition
- Entry fee is AUD\$5 per submission, payable by money order/cheque/credit card to the mailing address below
- One submission per person. Fees will not be refunded
- All entries to be in English, single-spaced and using a standard 12 pt font such as Times New Roman
- Applicant's name must not appear on the poems
- The Application & Consent Form must accompany your submission, available from: www.ballaratwriters.com
- Entries must be submitted in hard copy to the mailing address below
- Entries postmarked after 15 February 2010 will not be considered
- No correspondence entered into, the judge's decision is final
- Successful applicants will be notified by email, and results announced on the website: www.ballaratwriters.com
- Selected poets will read their work/s in the *Pure Poetry Recital* in the SheppARTon Festival
- Copyright remains with the author

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Mailing address for submissions:

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Pure Poetry ~ Shepparton Application & Consent Form



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Name:
Home address:
Town/Area: Postcode:
Phone (Home): (Mobile):
Email:

****Successful poets will be notified by email only. Results will be posted on our website****

Poem title (s):
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I declare that the enclosed poetry is entirely my own work.
I agree to the conditions of entry and accept the judges' decision as final.
Signature: Date:

Payment of \$5 (please choose one):

- Cheque / Money order enclosed, **payable to:** 'Ballarat Writing Council'
- MasterCard Visa Bankcard

Name on card:
Card Number:
..... expiry date ____/____

Amount: \$
Signature:

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