

A. R. AMMONS

POETRY CONTEST

Sponsored by BB&T, Columbus Regional Healthcare, Reuben Brown House Preservation Society and The News Reporter

Rules for 2019 Contest:

1. Division V shall be for original poetry written by students enrolled in undergraduate college coursework. Eligible individuals will be those enrolled at the time of submission in an undergraduate course in a North Carolina college or technical school or those enrolled in out-of-state undergraduate institutions who are residents of Columbus County. Students simultaneously enrolled in college and high school coursework may choose the division in which they compete, but may compete in only one division.
2. Each entry must be accompanied by its own Official Entry Form or a copy. A student may enter up to **three** poems. THE ENTRANT'S NAME SHOULD **NOT** APPEAR ON THE POEM(S), BUT ONLY ON THE ENTRY FORM(S). Entries may be mailed in by any student or by college personnel, but the entrant must have signed the entry form personally. (Contest Rules and the Entry Form may be downloaded at www.reubenbrownhouse.com.)
3. Monetary prizes will be awarded by the judges for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, certificates for Honorable Mention. All entries will be judged anonymously by a committee, and all prizes will be awarded solely at the discretion of the judges.
4. This year's entries must be **postmarked by February 16, 2019** and must be received by the Committee Secretary no later than **February 23, 2019**.

5. Mail entries to: Mrs. Hilda Ray, Secretary
A. R. Ammons Poetry Contest
P. O. Box 2147
Whiteville, NC 28472

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE:

Name (Mr., Ms.) _____ E-Mail Address _____ Division V
Mailing Address _____ City, State and Zipcode _____
Phone Number (____) _____ Name of College Attended _____
Name of Poem _____

I state that this is my original poem. I understand that this copy of my poem will not be returned to me and I give permission for my poem to be published by the Committee.

_____ (Signature)