



Massillon Public Library  
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### ADULT POETRY CONTEST

1. Poems submitted to the contest must be original work.
2. Contest is open to all.
3. Deadline for entries is Monday, March 31, 2008 by 8:30 p.m.
4. Poems must be submitted with this form. Submissions become the property of the Massillon Public Library and will be considered for publication in Massillon Public Library's first ever "Patron Book of Poetry."
5. The decision of the judge is final.
6. Winners of the Adult Poetry Contest will be given the opportunity to read their poems at the "Poetry Read-In" to be held at the Massillon Public Library on Tuesday, April 8, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. Winners will be awarded their prizes during the Read-In.
7. Poems should be submitted to the Main Library Adult Circulation Desk, the main desks at the Belloni Branch (Brewster), the Askren Branch (Navarre) and the Bookmobile.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Should my poem be chosen as the winning poem, I give permission to the Massillon Public Library to display my photo and name as the winner of the contest.

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Signature date

***Poems may be submitted on the back of this form if space permits.***