

2017-2018 Annual AWG Contest Winners

Articles of General Interest: **No entries**

Inspiration: **2 entries not enough to be judged**

Unrhymed Poetry: 26 entries

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| 1 st Place – Discovery | Alice King Greenwood, Odessa |
| 2 nd Place – One More Thing | Dee Dee Chumley, Edmond, Ok |
| 3 rd Place – First Kiss | Judy Sitton Ware, Cisco |
| HM – Garage Band Rehearsal. 1966 | Nick Sweet, Shepherd, TX |
| HM – Fireflies | Lauren Schaeffer, AHS (Mr. Pace) |
| HM – Remembering Summer Sundays | Alice King Greenwood |

Rhymed Poetry: 14 entries

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| 1 st Place – Barbara, Marian and the Elder | Nick Sweet |
| 2 nd Place – Departing Daughter | Nick Sweet |
| 3 rd Place – Unvanquished Villain | Dee Dee Chumley |
| HM – Colors of Texas | Yvonne Nunn, Hermleigh, TX |
| HM – Suddenly | Deborah Clayton, Iowa |

Fiction for Adults: 11 entries

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| 1 st Place – The Farmers' Market | Linda Gordon, Abilene |
| 2 nd Place – Talents | Linda Gordon |
| 3 rd Place – The Stolen Star | Coy Roper, Abilene |
| HM – Proud to Be an American Woman | Debra Alexander, Cisco |
| HM – Louis' Love Letter | Coy Roper, Abilene |
| HM – A Broken Toy Soldier | Sleepy Gomez, Cisco |

Flash Poetry: 9 entries

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| 1 st Place – The New Purple | Linda Gordon |
| 2 nd Place – Autumn's Nonconformist | Mary Berry |
| 3 rd Place – Branches | Loretta Diane Walker, Odessa |
| HM - A Blooming Bush | Yvonne Nunn |

Flash Fiction: 11 entries

1st Place – Sammy and C. S. Lewis
2nd Place – Teatime
3rd Place – The Adoring One
HM- A Diverse Universe
HM - Irene

Coy Roper
Seth Pace, Abilene
Jill Henderson, Meadowlakes
Nick Sweet
Clark Brannan, Burleson

Memoir/Nostalgia: 13 (only 4 last year)

1st Place – Fish Tale
2nd Place - A Guide to Modern Nostalgia
3rd Place - Broken Tradition Sort of
HM - The Coming of Summer (Ice Cream Arrives)
HM – The Great Escape
HM – Blame It On the Snickerdoodles

Dee Dee Chumley
Amanda Cooper, AHS (Mr. Pace)
Sheree Murphree, Amarillo
Coy Roper
Diane McCartney, Canon City, CO
Coy Roper

Children's Stories: 7 entries (only 4 last year)

1st Place – Nose Knows
2nd Place – No More Candy
3rd Place – Leaping Lizards

Cindy Mims, Abilene
Deborah Clayton, Iowa
Nick Sweet