



Stroud Book Festival Writing Competitions 2019

Poetry, Flash Fiction & Mainstream Fiction

Poetry judge: Jo Bell

Poetry maximum length: 40 lines

Prizes: 1st £500 | 2nd £250 | 3rd £100

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Flash Fiction judge: Tania Hershman

Flash Fiction maximum length: 500 words

Prizes: 1st £500 | 2nd £250 | 3rd £100



Credit: Naomi Woddiss

Mainstream Fiction judge: Alice Jolly

Mainstream Fiction entry requirement: Synopsis of up to 200 words plus excerpt of up to 3,000 words

Prizes: 1st £100 plus a four day writing retreat kindly donated by

Hawkwood College, Stroud | 2nd £75 | 3rd £50

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Poetry and Flash Fiction: Open to International writers

Mainstream Fiction: Open to Gloucestershire writers

Fees: £5 per entry. For Poetry / Flash Fiction, £3 per additional entry

Competition opens: 1 June 2019. Deadline for submissions: 22 September 2019

Winners notified by: 20 October 2019

Prizes at Stroud Book Festival: November 2019

Full submission guidelines at stroudbookfestival.org.uk/competition





Stroud Book Festival Writing Competitions 2019 Postal Entry Form

Name	
Address	
Postcode/zip	
Country	
Email	
Telephone	

Enter the titles of your entries below, marking **P** for poetry , **F** for flash fiction and **M** for mainstream fiction. Entry fees: £5 per entry. For Poetry / Flash Fiction, £3 per additional entry.

TITLE (in capitals please)	P	F	M	£
TOTAL ENTRY FEE				

Cheques / postal orders should be in sterling and made payable to Stroud Book Festival.

Tick to confirm that you have read and accepted the Stroud Book Festival Competition rules which can be found at stroudbookfestival.org.uk/competition

Tick this box if you want to receive information about Stroud Book Festival writing competitions and events.

Send the completed form with payment to:

Stroud Book Festival, The Old Police Station, Beeches Green, Stroud GL5 1BB

Or apply online at stroudbookfestival.org.uk/competition

Full submission guidelines on our website stroudbookfestival.org.uk/competition