

## Chocolate Poetry Contest

<b>Deadline to Enter</b>	October 31, 2009
<b>Max Length</b>	One page. Must be written in English
<b>6 Poem Categories</b>	Greater Vancouver, BC: Child Greater Vancouver, BC: Youth (age 11-16) Greater Vancouver, BC: Adult All other areas of the world: Child All other areas of the world: Youth (age 11-16) All other areas of the world: Adult
<b>Prizes</b>	One winner and one runner-up in each of 6 categories above will each receive a selection of chocolates
	Winners will be contacted and announced by November 30.
<b>Poems to be judged on:</b>	Creativity, General interest level, Relation to chocolate, Inspirational content, Good energy.

### Rules:

1. No purchase necessary. Contest open world-wide to all ages.
2. Submissions must include Category, author's name, address, phone number, e-mail address, and age. Submissions may be sent by e-mail to [poems@chocolatefestival.ca](mailto:poems@chocolatefestival.ca), fax to 1-866-871-5225, or mailed to 445B Bromley St., Coquitlam, BC V3K 6N7 postmarked by midnight, October 31, 2009. International entries must be e-mailed to avoid slow mail delivery.
3. Author/poet must attest to the originality of the poem and the age of the poet.
4. This is a talent contest, not a random draw. The West Coast Chocolate Festival will read the entries and a jury will choose two (2) winners in each of the six (6) categories. All decisions of the Jury are final and no arbitration will be considered.
5. Where an entrant is found to have given incorrect age information, or is found to not be the author of the submitted work, or the entry is found to contain any kind of plagiarism, that entry will be disqualified and another winner will be chosen.

