



## St Andrew's College Principal's Prize for Poetry 2019

### ***PURPOSE***

The competition aims to promote expression of creative thought about aspects of "College life" through poetry.

### ***TOPIC***

Any topic or title within the broad theme of '*Still Life*'

### ***PRIZE***

The winner will receive **\$1,000** to be awarded at the **Valedictory Dinner** on the **Thursday 7 November, 2019**.

The judges reserve the right to decline to make an award if there is insufficient merit in the entrant pool.

### ***PUBLICATION***

The winning entry, and selected others, will be published on the College website.

### ***JUDGES***

The competition will be judged by a panel comprising the Vice Principal, Senior Tutor and St Andrew's Student's Club cultural representative.

The panel's decision upon the award is final. NO correspondence will be entered into regarding the judges' decision.

### ***CONTENT***

Poems should be in English, and a maximum of 40 lines. The work must be original, unpublished, and not part of a larger work. It should be based on the author's personal creative thought and not merely reproduce or summarise other material.

### ***SUBMISSIONS***

Poems must be submitted on paper with a cover sheet containing the entrant's name. This sheet will be removed prior to judging to ensure anonymity. NO marks identifying the author may appear in the work submitted to the judges.

Poems should be typed double spaced on one side of the paper only.

### ***ELIGIBILITY***

The competition is open to all current students of St Andrew's College engaged in either undergraduate or postgraduate study. This year we are offering students the chance to take part in a writing workshop to assist them to further develop their writing skills. Applicants for the prize are welcome to use the workshop to work on their entry.

### ***CLOSING DATE***

All entries must be received by **5:00pm Friday 18 October**

The winner will be notified by **Friday 1 November**

### ***ADDRESS***

Entries should be handed to Gigi Rahman in the Principal's Office, in an envelope, and marked:

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