

Creative Writing Competition 2024

Entry Form

Please complete clearly in **BLOCK CAPITALS**, or tick the appropriate box. Completed forms, along with competition entries, will need to be sent to Olivia McCallum at RDA National Office by **Friday 1st March 2024**

ENTRY IS COMPLETELY FREE OF CHARGE

RDA Group	RDA Region
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Correspondent Details

	Title	Forename		Surname
Name				
Address				
Postcode			Email	
Telephone			Mobile	

Entry Title		
Writer's Name	Forename/s	Surname

Category Details (please tick one only)		\checkmark
CLASS 1	An RDA Poem – maximum 350 words, must have an RDA theme	
CLASS 2	A Letter – maximum 500 words, must have an RDA theme	
CLASS 3	A Short RDA Story - maximum 500 words, must have an RDA theme	

We would like to use any entries received for promotion and publicity for the next 12 months on our website, in our publications and on social media which will be in the public domain. This can include the writer's name, the writer's group name and the contents of your entry.

If you, or your parent, guardian or carer (if under 18 or relevant) are happy for us to do this, please tick this box clearly.

Instructions

Please send all entries (only one entry per participant, per class please) with a **fully-completed entry form for each entry** to Olivia McCallum at RDA National Office, Lowlands Equestrian Centre, Old Warwick Road, Shrewley, Warwickshire CV35 7AX (or email the completed entry form and the competition entry itself to **trainingandeducation@rda.org.uk**) by the closing date of **FRIDAY 1**st **MARCH 2024.** There will be no regional judging. <u>Please ensure that you keep your own copies of each entry safely</u>, as we will be unable to return any entries sent into National Office. RDA National Office cannot be held responsible for any entries not received in time, lost, or damaged. All entries are sent entirely at the entrants' own risk. Late entries cannot be accepted.

DATA PROTECTION/ PRIVACY

In order to run this competition, we have to process the personal data (correspondent name, contact details, writer's name) you provide to us in this application form and in your entry (any personal data included as part of the entry). We have a legitimate interest in doing so. If you do not provide this personal data we cannot contact you about your entry or identify you if you have won a prize. Any personal data you have provided will only be used in correspondence directly related to this competition and will be retained for a maximum of 12 months for promotion and publicity purposes if you have given us permission to do so by opting in on the application form. After this 12-month period this information will be deleted. We will not share your personal data with anyone outside RDA including any external judges of this competition.