

Winners in the Dr. Doris Mueller Poetry and Prose Contests

Winners in the 2011 Dr. Doris Mueller Poetry and Prose Contests have been announced by MWG President Deborah Marshall. Cash prizes and certificates are awarded to the top three winners in each category. Honorable Mention awards were not named in the fiction categories, so MWG is making those awards according to posted contest guidelines.

Fiction for Children – Jody Feldman, judge

First Place: "Boots – The Black Sheep," Marilyn Hope Lake, Ph.D., Hutchinson, KS

Second Place: "Does the Sun Have Fun?" Judy Stock, Boonville, MO

Third Place: "The Adventures of Green Bean the Brave," Libby Beilsmith, St. Charles, MO

Honorable Mention: "Raggie," Shirley Dilley, Clearwater, FL

Honorable Mention: "Lizzie, Plain and Simple," Jennifer Jiang, Cape Girardeau, MO & Michael Piasias, Roseville, CA

Honorable Mention: "Can You Imagine?" Jennifer Jiang, Cape Girardeau, MO & Michael Piasias, Roseville, CA

Fiction for YA/Adults – Harvey Stanbrough, judge

First Place: "Sparkly Thing," Chip Houser, University City, MO

Second Place: "Words Never Heard, Pain Never Felt," Terry Cobb, Harris, MO

Third Place: "The Window Washer," Donna Volkenannt, St. Peters, MO

Honorable Mention: "Lost," Caryn Coyle, Baltimore, MD

Honorable Mention: "New Wheels," Faye Adams, De Soto, MO

Honorable Mention: "Revenge by Retriever," Sylvia Forbes, Fayette, MO

Poetry – John Han, judge

First Place: "Widow's Walk," Sally Clark, Fredericksburg, TX:

Second Place: "Accommodating Rabbits," Barbara Blanks, Garland, TX

Third Place: "Blast from the Past," Nick Sweet, Shepherd, TX

Honorable Mention: "Hummingbird Feeder," Deborah Schott, Chesterfield, MO

Honorable Mention: "Oblivious Symmetry," Brittany Danielle Kussman, Florissant, MO

Honorable Mention: "After She Died," Jim Barton, Huttig, AR