The Christopher Salmon Foundation in partnership with Wirral Poetry Festival and Wirral Libraries announces



# The Christopher Salmon Poetry Competition 2021

# For poems on the theme of Friendship

For people in Wirral aged 19 years and under, in full-time education. Entry is Free

Prize of £100 for each of five age categories:

(7 and under)(8-11) (11-13) (14-16) (16-19)

Entry closes on 28 May 2021

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## **Christopher Salmon Foundation Poetry Competition 2021**

Your Details (Use bloc	k capitals	please)				
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Home Address:						
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Contact Telephone N	o:					
Home Contact Email	address:					
Please tick the age ca	tegory yo	u are entering	under:			
Age 7 & under (KS 1)						
Age 8 -11 (KS 2)						
Age 11-13 (KS 3)						
Age 14-16 (KS 4)						
Age 16-19 in full-time education						
For entrants aged unc	ler 18 plea	se complete t	he following:			
School Year/Date of Birth						
School name:						
Name of Parent/Guard (& their signature if no		ed via school):				
Name of Teacher/Hea	ad of Englis	h if applicable:				

### Note to Schools

Please ensure you obtain written/emailed Parent/Guardian's consent. Please retain that consent for a 12 month period in line with our Privacy Notice.

### **Data Protection**

All entries will be processed within the strict guidelines of The Data Protection Act 2018 which includes the requirements of The General Data Protection Regulation (CDPR). For full details of how Wirral Council processes personal data please see our overarching privacy notice at

www.wirral.gov.uk/about-council/freedom-information-and-data-protection/privacy-notice

### The Competition

The Promoter of the competition is the Christopher Salmon Foundation and the competition is entitled "The Chris Salmon Poetry Competition 2021". It runs from 1 January 2021 ("Opening Date") to 12 noon on 28 May 2021 ("Closing Date"). All entries must be received no later than 12 noon on the Closing Date and late entries will not be accepted.

The Promoter accepts no responsibility for entries that are not received by the closing date for any reason technical or otherwise. They reserve the right to hold void, suspend, cancel or amend the competition, notifying any changes to entrants as soon as possible. If there is any reason to believe that there has been a breach of these terms and conditions, the Promoter may, at its sole discretion, reserve the right to exclude an entrant from the competition. The Promoter is not responsible for technical errors or other occurrences which prevent the competition from running as stated.

For full terms and conditions please see wirralpoetryfestival.org.uk/christophersalmon

Please print your name:			
Poem Title:			

Please also make sure you have filled in / e-mailed the entry form with this sheet.

Entries must be marked FAO Diane Mitchell, Birkenhead Central Library, Borough Road, Birkenhead CH41 2XB or sent via email to: chrissalmonpoetry@wirral.gov.uk and be received no later than 12 noon on 28.05.21.

Late entries cannot be accepted. Please see terms and conditions on the back page of this leaflet.

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# **Summary of Terms and Conditions**

The competition is open to persons in five age categories:
(i) Age 7 and under (Key Stage 1); (ii) Ages 8-11 (Key Stage 2); (iii) Ages 11-13 (Key Stage 3);
(iv) Ages 14-16 (Key Stage 4); (v) Age 16-19 if in full-time education

Entrants must live or attend school or college in the Wirral area and entry to the competition is free. You may be required to provide proof of eligibility to enter the competition. Entrants must submit an original unpublished poem based on the theme of "Friendship" which is no longer than 30 lines. There is strictly only one entry allowed per person and by submitting an entry, you are agreeing to be bound by these terms and conditions.

You must provide your name and home address, contact telephone number and your age and/or details of your school on the official entry form. These details will be used by the Promoter to categorise the competition entries by age; identify the authors of the winning entries and contact the winners

Entries can be submitted directly by the entrant or via the entrant's school, using the official entry form.

Please email chrissalmonpoetry@wirral.gov.uk or by post:

FAO Diane Mitchell, Birkenhead Central Library, Borough Road, Birkenhead CH41 2XB.

Where the entrant is under 18 years of age, the parent/guardian's consent must be given. This consent can be facilitated via a school entry or a direct entry can be signed by the parent or guardian. Consent can be withdrawn at any time by contacting Diane Mitchell using the contact details given in bold text above, before 28 May 2021.

No amendments or alterations may be made to a poem once it has been submitted and competition entries cannot be returned.

The competition will be judged, and prizes awarded by a panel of judges, whose decision is final. There is one prize for each age group of £100. The Promoter will contact the winners to inform them that they have won a prize and invite them and their families to an event celebrating National Poetry Day in Oct 2021.

Where the Promoter wishes to make additional use of the winners' personal details, then informed consent will be sought. This additional use may include but not be limited to publishing the names and photographs of the winners. This publicity material will be published on social media platforms such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and on the Chris Salmon Foundation, Wirral Libraries and Wirral Poetry Festival website.

A winner has the right to withdraw consent at any time and this withdrawal will take immediate effect. This does not apply to any processing which took place before consent was withdrawn.

No correspondence will be entered into regarding the interpretation of these terms and conditions. If you have any questions or queries regarding the competition please contact Diane Mitchell email **chrissalmonpoetry@wirral.gov.uk** or by post:

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