

# LADY DENMAN CUP COMPETITION 2017



## Inspired by the Climate Change Campaign *For the Love of...*

### Schedule

Inspired by the Climate Change Campaign *For the Love of*, the Lady Denman Cup Competition 2017 invites WI members to write a piece of poetry about what they love that could be lost to climate change. Entries can be written in any poetical style but must use no more than 500 words.

Entrants must submit 4 copies of their entry, typed if possible, on A4 paper to their Federation Secretary (some federations may accept entries via email, please check before sending). Any entries sent directly to the NFWI Unit without being approved by the federation, cannot be entered and will be returned to the entrant. Please check entry fee requirements directly with your federation office.

### Federation Entries

**Entries can be submitted either via email or by hard copy.**

Federations must send three copies of each entry to the Administrative Secretary at the NFWI Unit, Denman, Marcham, Abingdon, Oxon OX13 6NW no later than **Friday 28 July 2017**. Please ensure the name of the entrant, WI and federation are only written on the first copy; entrant's details must not be written on the remaining copies.

Entries must be accompanied by a completed Individual Entry Form. A Federation Entry Form must be included with the final chosen entries for judging at national level.

**Electronic Entries:** Federations may email their chosen entries for national judging to [h.neal@nfwl-unit.org.uk](mailto:h.neal@nfwl-unit.org.uk) by the closing date. Each entry must be accompanied by an electronically completed Individual Entry Form and Federation Entry Form.

Please note...

- Each entry must include a total word count; entries with over 500 words will not be accepted and will be returned to the Federation Secretary. It is the responsibility of the federation to ensure that all entries submitted have the correct word count.
- Federations are kindly asked to support the competition and publish in their newsletters, a closing date for judging at federation level.

- Please note that entries will be judged in the first instance at federation level and up to three entries from each federation can go forward to the national competition.
- Federations will be charged £10 (incl. VAT) per entry. **Please do not send your entry fee with your entries.** After the closing date, the NFWI Finance Department will invoice those federations who have entered, accordingly.
- All federation entries will be acknowledged via email to the Federation Secretary.
- All entries at national level will receive a critique by the Judge.
- No correspondence will be entered into after the competition.
- Deadline for federation entries is **Friday 28 July 2017**; after this date late entries will not be accepted.

### ***Prizes***

Book tokens will be given as prizes: 1st prize, book tokens to the value of £75; 2nd prize book tokens to the value of £50 and 3rd prize book tokens to the value of £30. The winner/winning federation will be presented with the Lady Denman Cup.

**Please note that all forms relating to the Lady Denman Cup Competition 2017 can be downloaded from the Moodle or obtained from your Federation Secretary.**

