

Title of Submission _____

Author Name _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

UNPUBLISHED ENTRIES:

_____ POEM @ \$25 Member = _____
@ \$30 Nonmember
(50-line maximum)

_____ SHORT STORY @ \$25 Member = _____
@ \$30 NonMember
(15-page maximum)

_____ ESSAY/ARTICLE @ \$25 Member = _____
@ \$30 NonMember
(15-page maximum)

_____ NOVEL/NOVELLA @ \$50 Member = _____
@ \$60 Nonmember
(5-page synopsis and first 25 pages)

_____ NEW DRAMA @ \$40 Member = _____
@ \$50 Nonmember
(30 minute/6 actor cast max)

PUBLISHED ENTRIES:

(2017 or 2018 Publication Date. Judged on literary merit first, production value second.)

_____ FICTION: NOVEL, NOVELLA, SHORT STORY COLLECTION @ \$50 Member = _____
@ \$60 Nonmember

_____ NONFICTION @ \$50 Member = _____
@ \$60 Nonmember

_____ CHILDREN'S LITERATURE (circle one) Chapter or Illustrated Picture Books @ \$50 Member = _____
@ \$60 Nonmember

CRITIQUES:

Only available for unpublished works entered in current contest. Additional Fees:*

_____ POEM @ \$20* = _____

_____ SHORT STORY @ \$25* = _____

_____ ESSAY/ARTICLE @ \$25* = _____

_____ NOVEL/NOVELLA @ \$40* = _____
(5-page synopsis and first 25 pages only)

_____ NEW DRAMA @ \$40* = _____
(30 minute/6 actor cast max)

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID: = _____

(Entry/ies PLUS Critique/s)

Make checks payable and mail entries postmarked no later than midnight July 2, 2018 to:

**Arizona Authors' Association
2018 Arizona Literary Contest
6939 East Chaparral Road
Paradise Valley, AZ 85253-7000**

Write one check to cover all entries.
NO SIGNATURE CONFIRMATIONS ACCEPTED

Contest Rules and Submission Guidelines

● IT's BACK! Green Pieces Press Arizona Book of the Year will be selected from the First Prize winners in published fiction, nonfiction and children's literature.

● New Drama Writing. All Amateur playwrights eligible. One script per author. Thirty minute/ six actor cast max. Script must be suitable for staging in a studio theatre.

● Winners in unpublished categories automatically consign first serial rights to Arizona Authors Association (right to print an excerpt in Arizona Literary Magazine first). If an entry becomes published after the contest submission deadline, the author must withdraw that entry.

● Winning entries will be published or featured in the Arizona Literary Magazine 2019.

● Entries will be accepted beginning January 1, 2018 and must be postmarked no later than midnight July 2, 2018.

● Unpublished categories - Entry by U.S. Mail - Three (3) copies of each entry must be provided. Digital entries need only submit one (1) WORD file. No author name may be listed anywhere other than on the entry forms.

● Published categories: Three (3) copies of each entry must be provided.

● Published Ebooks (copyright 2017 or 2018) with valid ISBN must be submitted in print and bound form like a galley or ARC.

● All published books, including Ebooks, must include ISBN, copyright dates of 2017 or 2018 and publisher information.

● Except for Poetry, all hard copies of unpublished manuscripts must be double-spaced with 12-point font and 1-inch margins, stapled or clipped. Page numbers and titles on header on all pages. NOTE: Manuscripts failing to follow these guidelines may be disqualified without further notice to author at the sole discretion of Contest Officials and/or Literary Judges.

● Fill out one separate entry form for each entry. Forms may be photocopied or printed from our website.

● Manuscripts will not be returned (unless a critique is requested). Published books will be donated.

● Contest Officials and Literary Judges reserve the right to switch the category for any entry, to cancel a category if the number of entries is insufficient, or to decide not to name a winner/ winners in any given category or categories if the level of the best entries does not meet International publishing industry standards.

● Any entry not conforming to Contest Rules and Submission Guidelines shall be disqualified without notice to the author and without refund.