**East Avenue Books Poetry Competition**

To celebrate the importance of poetry to East Avenue Books we are holding an inaugural poetry competition.

The top four entries will be awarded a prize and be displayed in our window.

 **1st prize – $100 2nd prize – $60**

 **3rd prize – $30 4th prize – $10**

Entrants for the competition must be current residents of South Australia.

**Only one poem per person will be accepted.**The poem must be unpublished and not on offer to any other competition or publisher at the time of entry. This also includes on-line publications.

Poems can be on any subject and **must be no longer than 50 lines**, typed and double-spaced.

Name/phone/or email address must **not** appear anywhere on the poem. Please attach your entry form by staple to your poem. All entries, except those of the winners, will be destroyed after judging.

The winning poems will be announced at an afternoon event at East Avenue Books on September 17th. The judge’s decision is final and will not enter into any correspondence.

**Entry closing date is Thursday, August 31st, 2017**

**………………………………………………………………………………………………….Entry form**

**Please attach this form to your poem**

Name ………………………………………………………………………………………….

Daytime Contact Number…………………….....................................................

Email address……………………………………………………………………………….

The title of my poem is……………………………………………………………………

I am aware of the entry conditions, including that this poem may be displayed in the window of East Avenue Books and may be displayed on our website.

Signed……………………………………………………………Date…………...............

Mail poem to:

**East Avenue Books Poetry Competition**

53 East Avenue, Clarence Park, 5034

Phone: 7226 6753