

CELEBRATING THE WRITTEN WORD

FRIENDS of the WESTHAMPTON FREE LIBRARY CONTEST HONORING THE LIBRARY'S LITERACY PROJECT

The Friends are *Celebrating the Written Word* by inviting entries for two writing categories: Short Stories (fiction or non-fiction) and Poetry.

You may submit up to three (double-spaced!) submissions in each category. Although we are not counting words, please limit prose pieces to no more than twenty pages each; poems, to two pages each.

Submissions should be post-marked no later than **May 26, 2015**, and winners will be announced mid-June. First Place winner in each category will receive a merchant gift certificate of \$100; Second Place, a \$50 merchant certificate; Honorable Mention, a \$25 merchant certificate. Participation is open to anyone over 18 years of age except members of the library staff, board of trustees and Friends executive board.

A reception/reading will take place at the Westhampton Free Library; date TBA.

FRIENDS of the WESTHAMPTON FREE LIBRARY *CELEBRATING THE WRITTEN WORD* ENTRY FORM (REQUIRED)*

NAME: _____ DATE OF ENTRY(IES): _____

CATEGORY(IES): _____ TITLE(S) OF ENTRY(IES): _____

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

By entering the contest you are giving us permission to publish your work.

*Submissions should be mailed to: Friends of the Westhampton Free Library, ATTN: CTWW, PO Box 318, Westhampton, NY 11977. Additional forms are available on line at www.westhamptonfreelibrary.com. Entry form must be attached to your submission(s).

There is no entry fee. A contribution of any amount would be greatly appreciated. All proceeds will be used to help fund the library's Literacy Project. Thank you.