

**Wimmera Regional
Library Corporation**

**Short Story
Competition
2010**

I hereby submit my entry
into the Wimmera Regional
Library Corporation 2010
Short Story Competition.

Teenage: 12 – 18 years

Open

Please tick appropriate box

ENTRIES ARE NOW OPEN

ENTRIES CLOSE

Wednesday 8 September

WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Wednesday 13 October



Entry form

I declare that:

This entry is entirely my own work and it is an original unpublished work. I have read and understood the Conditions of Entry and by signing this I agree to comply with the Conditions of Entry.

Signed :

Signed :
(Parent/Guardian for under 18 entrants)

Date:

Library Card Number: U0000_____

Name:

Postal Address:

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Postcode:

Daytime phone:

Entry forms also available at:
www.wrlc.org.au

Entries can be posted to:
Wimmera Regional Library Corporation
Mibus Centre
28 McLachlan Street
HORSHAM VIC 3400

OR delivered to a Branch Library at:
Birchip, Dimboola, Edenhope, Goroke,
Harrow, Horsham, Kaniva, Nhill,
St Arnaud, Stawell, Warracknabeal
and the Mobile Library.

Enquiries: can be made at any Branch Library
or by phoning 5382 1777 during business
hours.

Short Story Competition 2010

Members of the Wimmera Regional Library Corporation are invited to submit entries in accordance with the Conditions of Entry.

PRIZES:

Open:

First: \$300

Second: \$200

Third: \$100

Teenage:

First: \$150

Second: \$100

Third: \$50

Winners will be announced and prizes awarded:

7pm, Wednesday 13 October
at Horsham Library
28 McLachlan Street
Horsham

All entrants, families and friends
are invited to attend

Suggested sites for hints on story writing:

<http://www.shortstorygroup.com/storytips.htm>

<http://www.wikihow.com/Write-a-Short-Story>

<http://www.fishpublishing.com/writing-short-stories.php>



Conditions of Entry

1. Participants must be a member of the Wimmera Regional Library Corporation. Membership is free and available at any WRLC branch library.
2. Multiple entries are accepted but each must be accompanied by a separate entry form.
3. Entries are to be original and unpublished works of the author.
4. WRLC reserves the right to have all entries undergo a prejudging process and reserves the right to reject works over the nominated word limit.
5. Word limits—Open not more than 2000 words, Teenage not more than 1000 words.
6. Scripts and poetry will not be accepted.
7. Entries from persons under 18 years of age must be verified by parent/guardian as entrant's own work.
8. All entries are to be typed or clearly written on A4 paper—no folders are to be used. Manuscripts will not be returned and entrants are advised to retain a copy of their entry.
9. In order to ensure anonymity in the judging process, the author's name must not appear on the entries. All personal details should be included on the entry form.
10. Announcement of winners and presentation of prizes will be held **Wednesday 13 October 2010 in Horsham Library.**
11. All entries are to be submitted to:
Short Story Competition, Wimmera Regional Library Corporation, Mibus Centre, 28 McLachlan Street, Horsham, 3400,
or to a Branch Library, by close of business Wednesday 8 September 2010. Facsimile and email entries cannot be accepted.
12. Entries will be judged on content & the judges decision is final. No correspondence will be entered into.
13. WRLC staff & their immediate family are ineligible to enter this competition.

Please note:

- Manuscripts will not be returned.
- The judge is unable to provide individual feedback on submitted stories.