



## **Enfield Poets' 25th Anniversary Poetry Competition 2026**

### **Conditions of Entry:**

1. The Competition is on any theme and any form, must be the original work of the author and should not be a translation or have been previously published or won a prize in another competition.
2. Competitors must be aged 16 or over.
3. Poems should be no more than 50 lines in length, excluding title. Spaces between verses do not count.
4. Poems should be typed in English or handwritten neatly on one side of A4 paper. One poem only on each sheet.
5. No alterations may be made to poems once submitted.
6. Competitors names and addresses must not appear anywhere on the poems. Please write the titles and contact details clearly on either the entry form or a separate sheet of A4.
7. Competitors may submit any number of poems for a fee of £4 per poem or £10 for three poems. Payments to be made in sterling on line at [www.enfieldpoets.com](http://www.enfieldpoets.com).
8. Postal entries are accepted and should be sent to:  
The Enfield Poets' Poetry Competition, Forty Hall, Forty Hill, Enfield, Middlesex, EN2 9HA together with a cheque payable to The Enfield Poets.
9. Deadline for submission is 31 August 2026. Late entries will be accepted if postmarked 31 August 2026.
10. The Judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
11. Travel expenses to read at the Festival will not be covered.