

YOUNG POET COMPETITION

A POEM FOR THE PUFFINS



The National Trust for Jersey and Birds On The Edge are excited to announce the first children's poetry competition dedicated to our Puffins.

We would like to invite all children aged up to 13 years to submit a poem for the Arrival of the Puffins celebration which is taking place at Plémont in April.

The poems can be in any format but must feature Puffins, as well as any other wildlife in Jersey that the author wishes to highlight. The aim of this competition is to encourage creative writing and the celebration of the Puffin's annual return to their breeding grounds in Jersey.

The winner will be named 'Puffin Poet of the Year' and will receive a Jersey Seafaris trip voucher for a group of four. The runner-up will receive a £50 Waterstones voucher. Both winners will be invited to read their poems at the opening of the celebration.

COMPETITION RULES

1. You must be 13 years or younger and live in Jersey.
2. All entries need to fill this form and include the title and poem in the right sections.
3. Limit of 40 lines per poem.
4. Only one poem per participant.
5. The copyright of the poem remains with the author. However, by entering the competition, all authors grant The National Trust for Jersey the right to publish and/or broadcast their poem.
6. Your parent or guardian will need to give permission for you to enter. Without this permission we are not allowed to keep information about you, such as your contact details. This is because of data protection rules. Permission can be given by completing this submission form.
7. The judges' decision is final.
8. Your entry in the competition means that you accept these rules.

DATES

- EXTENDED NEW DEADLINE: 7th April
- Winner and runner-up will be notified on: 9th April
- Results to be publicly announced on: 10th April

PLEASE SEND YOUR ENTRIES VIA EMAIL TO: cris@nationaltrust.je

Entries can be edited in Word, or filled in by hand, scanned, and sent as an attachment.

(SUBMISSION FORM ON THE NEXT PAGE)

SUBMISSION FORM

YOUR NAME: _____

YOUR DATE OF BIRTH: _____

YOUR PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S NAME: _____

YOUR PARENT'S/GUARDIAN PHONE NUMBER: _____

YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

(OR YOUR PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S): _____

YOUR ADDRESS: _____

TITLE OF YOUR POEM: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT: I certify that this is my child's own, original work. I consent to them entering the competition and understand that the entries might be published/broadcast by the National Trust for Jersey.

Signature of parent/guardian _____

YOUR POEM HERE - WITH TITLE

